

Scholarship Application Information Page

To support the future of the fields of air and waste management and to help full time graduate students improve their knowledge and skills, A&WMA will be awarding financial scholarships to exceptional individuals for the 2018/2019 academic year. Applicants must be in school during the academic year of 2018/2019 to be considered for a scholarship award.

The award amounts are subject to change, at the discretion of the Trustees of the Air & Waste Management Association Scholarship Endowment Trust Fund. Scholarship monies can only be used for tuition, fees, student stipends, or other related educational expenses. Award checks will be sent directly to the winners' schools.

For a list of past scholarship winners and award amounts, please visit the Scholarships Overview Page. We look forward to receiving your application submission. If you have any questions about the program, contact the Air & Waste Management Association Headquarters, Robin Lebovitz at rlebovitz@awma.org or 412-904-6020.

Instructions for Applying

Eligibility

Individuals must be Full-Time Graduate Students pursuing courses of study and research leading to careers in air quality, waste management, environmental management/policy/law, and/or sustainability during the 2018/2019 academic year. Membership is not a requirement for the student or their advisor; however, it is strongly encouraged. The Scholarship is a one-year award. Individuals must reapply to qualify for a second year.

Deadline

Application materials **must** be submitted online by:

Wednesday, January 10, 2018 at 1:00pm Eastern Time. Only complete applications including all of the sections described below, will be considered.

Steps to Complete an Application:

1. Fill in your basic contact information: Click here to complete:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/AWMA2018scholarship>

Once you have completed the contact information survey, you will then be sent a link to a secure ShareFile site that you can use to upload your application materials:

2. Submit your application materials by Wednesday, January 10, 2018, by 1:00 pm ET:

Application Materials File** will include:

- A. Plan of Study
- B. Statement of Professional Goals- Two (2) page maximum
- C. Transcripts- digital copies only (un-official)
- D. Letter of Acceptance from Graduate School and/or Faculty Advisor
- E. Complete CV- six (6) page maximum
- * F. **Two reference letters: These should be sent by the reference person directly to Robin Lebovitz: rlebovitz@awma.org**
 - Each letter should be completed by persons familiar with the applicant's academic record and plans for graduate study. It is recommended that at least one letter be written by an A&WMA member.

All required materials should be combined into **one (1) PDF file for upload to the ShareFile site. Documents can be combined by converting each to a PDF document and using the file merge (Combine) tool in Adobe Acrobat. All materials must be provided and uploaded as specified for full consideration of the application.