



## **AGC EDUCATION AND RESEARCH FOUNDATION**

### **WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT SCHOLARSHIP**

The AGC Education and Research Foundation offers Workforce Development Scholarships to students enrolled in accredited technical schools or craft training programs in any discipline of construction.

As the U.S. economy shifts from manufacturing to knowledge-based, there has been a corresponding shift in interest in establishing educational programs designed to prepare students for college. The consequence has been the overwhelming impression among youths, their parents and teachers that career and technical education is unacceptable, despite the fact construction jobs often pay better than many post-college options, especially post-downturn.

This scholarship was started thanks to a generous donation from NCCER and its Build our Future initiative.



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**Ensure students across the country receive the support they need to continue their education**

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**Craft professional's salaries range from \$47,000 to \$89,000 annually**

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**Provide financial assistance to students entering craft training or technical programs**

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**Application Deadline:  
June 1, 2022**

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# Workforce Development Scholarship Applicant Criteria

**Application must be submitted online.**

## **A. ELIGIBILITY**

1. Applicant can be anyone who is planning to attend a technical school or approved craft training program in any discipline of construction, including a high school senior, military member, or postsecondary student.
2. Applicant **MUST** desire a career in the construction industry.
3. Applicant can be a full-time student or part-time student.
4. Applicant **MUST** be enrolled or intend to enroll in an approved accredited program. Approved programs include:
  - a) [ABET](#) accredited
  - b) [ACCE](#) (accredited or non-degree recognized)
  - c) [COE](#) accredited
  - d) [ANSI](#) accredited
  - e) [IACET](#) accredited
  - f) NCCER accredited
  - g) Registered Apprenticeship program (federal or state registered)
  - h) Other programs as approved by the Foundation
5. Applicant **MUST** pursue degree, certificate or credential in a construction discipline or construction-related studies/programs.
6. Applicant **MUST** be a U. S. citizen or documented permanent resident of the United States (i.e. must possess a "permanent resident" card).

## **B. REQUIREMENTS**

1. Applicant is responsible for ensuring that all the following items are submitted within the application period, March 1 – June 1 of current year.
  1. Completed online application.
  2. Evaluation form completed (online) by instructor or employer (supervisor).
  3. Official or unofficial transcript of most recent grades. Unofficial transcripts are accepted if they clearly indicate the institution and student's name. Text versions cut and pasted from the school's web site **ARE NOT** acceptable.
2. Incomplete application packages will **NOT** be considered.

## C. AWARDS

1. Scholarships are for a maximum of \$1,000 per student per year and may be renewable if certain criteria are met as outlined below.
2. Applications will be reviewed, and recipients selected by the AGC Education and Research Foundation.
3. Scholarship recipients will be notified in August of the application year and award(s) will be announced on the AGC Foundation website.
4. Checks will be sent directly to recipients in late September. Checks will NOT be sent to the recipients' educational facility.
5. To be considered for renewal annual award installments, the scholarship recipient is required to provide indication of continued enrollment and good standing (min. 2.5 GPA or equivalent). Grade transcripts and upcoming class schedules MUST be forwarded at the conclusion of each academic period. Recipients will not be reminded to provide this information; failure to do so will result in non-renewal of scholarship award.
6. Recipients are encouraged to seek employment in construction if they are not currently employed.

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