Section Scholarship Award
presented by Willamette Valley Section 141
of the American Welding Society

Instructions and application

This $500.00 scholarship is awarded annually
to an applicant pursuing a degree in welding or a related field.

Willamette Valley Section 141
Scholarship Committee
P.O. BOX 58
Walterville, OR 97489
Scholarship Application  
Willamette Valley Section 141 of the American Welding Society

Scholarship History

This scholarship is given by Willamette Valley Section 141 is possible by a section participation investment through the American Welding Society Foundations, Inc.

The section was challenged by a member donor who gave $2,000.00 to start the investment fund. The section responded and through seminars, book sales, accumulated investment interest, we reached the $10,000.00 goal needed to sustain this annual award.

The Willamette Valley Section 141 wishes to thank all the people who helped make this scholarship possible.

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Application Instructions

The information requested on the application form is self-explanatory. Please fill out the form completely. Please note that membership is an option. If you receive a Section Scholarship and you are not a member, you will receive a one-year free student membership.

In addition to the application form you must enclose the following:

Financial Aid Statement
An official letter generated by the financial aid office indicating your current student budget, needs analysis, and financial aid awards, including scholarships. Please contact the financial aid office to obtain this information.

Transcript(s)
Official Scholastic records or grade transcripts showing high school, trade school, college, or university attendance.

Personal Statement
Career objectives, general background information, organizational skills, participation in AWS Student and Section activities, and other factors that will help the selection committee understand your commitment to pursuing welding education. Indicate proposed welding curriculum and chosen school.

Application Checklist:

☐ Complete application, sign & parents sign, if minor ☐ Supply financial aid statement
☐ Prepare personal statement of career goals ☐ Mentioned influential welding instructor
☐ Include transcripts from all applicable schools ☐ Do not send photograph of applicant

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Social Security Number _________________ AWS Member (optional) Y/N If yes, # ____________ Date ________

Applicant’s Name ____________________________________________________________________________

Current Address _____________________________________________________________________________

City ______________________ State __________ Postal Code _______________

Home Phone Number (___)________________________ Work Phone Number (___)________________________

Parent/Guardian’s Name _______________________________________________________________________
(if under 18 years of age)

Parent/Guardian’s Address ____________________________________________________________________

City ______________________ State __________ Postal Code _______________

Are you employed? If so, please provide the following:
Employer’s Name __________________________________________________________________________

Employer’s Phone Number (___)_____________________ Supervisor’s Name ____________________________

Proposed School (Institute, College or University) _________________________________________________

Address ____________________________________________________________________________________

City ______________________ State __________ Postal Code _______________

Proposed Major Area of Study (must be welding related) ____________________________

Starting Date ______________________ Expected Date of Graduation ________________________________

I affirm that the information I have provided on this application and the supporting material is complete, accurate and true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that furnishing false information may result in not being considered or revocation of financial aid at some later date.

Applicant Signature __________________________________________ Date ________________

Parent/Guardian’s Signature __________________________________________ Date ________________
(if under 18 years of age)

Hometown Newspaper ______________________________ Contact Name ____________________________

Mailing Address __________________________________ Contact Telephone _________________________

IF you are selected as a Section Scholarship recipient, the AWS Foundation may request your photograph and/or testimonial for promotion and public relations purposes. Please indicate below:

☐ Yes, I will approve use of my information/photo ☐ No, I will not approve the use of my information/photo

Signed __________________________________________ Parent/Guardian’s Signature ________________
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List Schools You Have Attended (High School to Present)

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Three Attach a transcript from all previous schools attended.

Activities Record (Include School and Community Activities and Honors)
Indicate in the spaces provided the grade levels in which you participated in the listed activity.

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Work Experience (Include present and previous employment)
Total number of hours worked per week Total amount earned per week $

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Financial Aid Report
A student attending a community college or university undergraduate program should attach an official letter generated by the financial aid office at the school indicating your current student budget, needs analysis, and financial aid awards, including scholarships even if no financial aid is received. A student attending a vocational or welding training program should have the training institution develop an analysis of tuition, materials, supplies, books, room and board or other applicable costs to attach to this application. In addition, provide a list of previous and current educational scholarships, grants, loans, and work-study or student employment.

List of Personal References

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Career Influence: Which welding instructor influenced you the most to make welding your career choice?

Instructor's Name: __________________ School or Educational Institute: ____________________________
Phone # __________________ Ext ____________

Three Attach a personal statement that would assist in judging your eligibility.

How did you hear about this scholarship? ___________________________________________