



2010 Scholarship Application

RMEL Foundation - 2010 Educational Scholarship

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Introduction:

The purpose of the RMEL Foundation is to award scholarships to deserving and qualified students in engineering, business, information systems, plant, line or distribution technology, line worker or other curriculum related to the electric energy industry.

Awards:

Awards will be made in two categories:

- 1.) RMEL Foundation Scholarships: historically awarded in amounts up to \$2,500. See the eligibility requirements below for these scholarships.

- 2.) RMEL Foundation Wärtsilä North America, Inc. Scholarships: two \$2,000 scholarships. Immediate family and Wärtsilä employees are not eligible recipients for these scholarships. See additional eligibility requirements below

- 3.) RMEL Foundation Black & Veatch Scholarship: two \$2,000 scholarships. Immediate family and Black & Veatch employees are not eligible recipients for these scholarships. See additional eligibility requirements below

Eligibility:

The applicant must be a high school senior, high school graduate or college undergraduate. In addition you must fulfill ONE of the following:

- 1.) Be pursuing or plan to pursue an electric industry position certificate or associate degree at a college (community college, 4-year college or a 4-year university) and be able to provide information about the specific program you are or will attend and the accreditation status of the institution
- 2.) Be pursuing or plan to pursue an undergraduate degree with intent to pursue a career in the electric energy industry. College undergraduates must be taking the minimum number of semester hours that the institution requires for the student to be considered full time.

If you are receiving educational assistance (tuition reimbursement) from your employer, you are not eligible for the RMEL Foundation scholarship. Applicant must be a U.S. citizen.

Application Instructions:

- This application form must be completed in its entirety.

- The application form must be signed.
- All applicants must submit a current, official high school transcript.
- College freshmen, sophomores and juniors must also submit a current, official college transcript. This is in addition to a high school transcript. Both are required.
- An official transcript is defined as one mailed directly from the educational institution to the RMEL Foundation or a non-tampered transcript bearing the seal of the institution mailed to the RMEL Foundation from you.
- Transcripts must be mailed not faxed.
- Both the application and the official transcript must be postmarked no later than the application deadline listed under Key Dates.
- Applications submitted via certified mail will not be accepted.
- Submit the last 4 digits of your social security number. Winners will be asked to provide their full social security number.

How Recipients are Chosen:

A Selection Committee of the RMEL Foundation reviews all applications and selects the recipients. The selection criteria are:

1. Goals and aspiration in the electric energy industry
2. Motivation to succeed
3. Service to community and school
4. Academic ability

Key Dates:

3/12/10 Postmark Deadline for Applications
4/15/10 Notify award recipients

Where to mail completed application and transcripts:

RMEL Foundation
Attn: Scholarship Selection Committee
7009 S Potomac St
Suite 109
Centennial, CO 80112

If you have questions:

Phone: 303-865-5544
Email: timblum@rmel.org

The completed application and official transcript(s) must be postmarked no later than March 12, 2010.

APPLICATION FORM

Please type or clearly print all information except for signatures. Attach extra sheets where necessary.

APPLICANT DATA:

NAME Last _____ First _____ Middle Int. _____

MAILING ADDRESS Street _____ Apt.# _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone: Home: () _____ Work: () _____

Cell/Other: () _____

E-Mail _____

U.S. CITIZEN ___Yes ___No

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER (last 4 digits) _____

PARENT OR GUARDIAN INFORMATION: *Required if applicant is under 21 years of age*

NAME Last _____ First _____ Middle Int. _____

HOME ADDRESS Street _____ Apt.# _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone: Home: () _____ Work: () _____

Cell/Other: () _____

E-Mail _____

RELATIONSHIP TO APPLICANT _____

HIGH SCHOOL DATA:

SCHOOL NAME _____

GRADUATION DATE (mm/yy): _____

ADDRESS Street _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

POST SECONDARY SCHOOL DATA:

- Applicants must:
- 1.) List the name of the post secondary school for which financial aid is requested.
 - 2.) If unknown, please list in order of preference the schools to which applications for admissions have been sent.
 - 3.) If available, proof of enrollment or acceptance must be submitted.

SCHOOL _____ CITY _____ STATE _____

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Intended major, or program you will attend _____

Anticipated date of graduation _____

WORK EXPERIENCE: *Describe your work experience during the past four years. Indicate dates of employment in each job and approximate number of hours worked each week.*

Position and Company/Organization **From Mo/Yr - To Mo/Yr** **Hrs. Per Week**

ACTIVITIES AND HONORS: *List all school and community activities in which you have participated during the past four years (i.e. student government, sports, choir, band, volunteer work). List in order of importance to you.*

<u>Activity</u>	<u>#of Yrs. Participated</u>	<u>Awards/Honors</u>	<u>Activity</u>	<u>#of Yrs. Participated</u>	<u>Awards/Honors</u>
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