

BUILDING INDUSTRY ASSOCIATION OF SAN DIEGO COUNTY 2012 COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

In an effort to assist students seeking building industry careers, BIA Cares of San Diego County is offering scholarships for full time, two, three, and four year technical, vocational, and college/university students who are pursuing a career related to the building industry.

ELIGIBILITY

The scholarship is open to full time college students who graduated from a high school in San Diego County or college students living and attending college here in San Diego. In addition, you must be a California resident. We are looking for students who can demonstrate an interest in pursuing a career in the building industry. Many majors such as advertising, finance, construction management, architecture, carpentry, city planning, real estate, and interior design, to name a few, play an integral role in the building industry.

SELECTION CRITERIA

The Scholarship Committee is interested in awarding scholarships to individuals who are interested in pursuing a career in the building industry. Scholarships are based on qualifications including academics, personal achievement, and financial need.

QUESTIONS

If you have any questions, please contact Nancy Diamond at the Building Industry Association (858) 450-1221 or email Nancy at nancy@biasandiego.org. Nancy will forward your questions to the Scholarship Committee.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Applicants must complete the application and return it to the BIA Cares Scholarship Committee at the Building Industry Association, 9201 Spectrum Center Boulevard, Suite 110, San Diego, CA 92123, by April 20, 2012. Please submit a copy of your transcripts (official or unofficial acceptable) together with the application.

These applications are available on line at www.biasandiego.org.

**COLLEGE STUDENTS 2ND, 3RD, AND 4TH YEAR SCHOLARSHIP
APPLICATION FOR BIA CARES OF SAN DIEGO COUNTY
2012 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

DUE APRIL 20, 2012

To: Building Industry Association, 9201 Spectrum Center Blvd., Suite 110, San Diego, CA
92123

Name: _____
Last, First, Middle

Present/Permanent Address: _____

Mailing Address (if different): _____

Telephone: _____ Best Contact Time: _____

E-Mail: _____

EDUCATION

High School Graduated From and Year: _____

Current College/University: _____

Previous College Attended: _____

Date of Attendance: _____

Courses that have been completed in your field: _____

Current Major/Field of Interest: _____

Overall GPA: _____

Full time student: _____ Part time student: _____

Total number of units completed: _____

Anticipated date of graduation: _____

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On a separate typewritten or neatly printed page, please provide the requested information and complete the required essay, which requires careful thought. Please limit your responses to no more than two (2) pages.

REQUESTED INFORMATION

- √ State the field of study and occupation you are most interested in pursuing and explain how this study area or occupation relates to the building industry.
- √ Describe your community and school activities.
- √ Describe your degree of involvement and/or experience to date that relates to the building industry, if any.
- √ Describe any scholarship funds and/or academic awards you have received.
- √ Describe any financial needs you want to be considered.

ESSAY

Since the market and industry crash in 2006/2007, the Building Industry has been fighting to not only survive the devastation caused by the 'crash', but to become a stronger industry here locally. In 300-400 words or less, please provide ideas of how our local industry can accomplish just that! Some areas for consideration might include the influence of governmental, architectural, materials, labor, environmental, redevelopment, planning, legal, financial, infill or land. Solutions can be new or creative ideas. Below are some websites that you might use as sources for information:

www.biasandiego.org/
www.asla.org/
www.aia.org/
www.americanlives.com/

www.sandiegometro.com/
www.planning.org/
www.nctimes.com/
www.culturalcreatives.org/

www.sandag.cog.ca.us/
www.uli.org
www.findarticles.com/
www.habitat.org/