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Association of American Seed Control Officials

AASCO Scholarship Program

Scholarship Fund:

The Association of American Seed Control Officials (AASCO) has established a scholarship fund to assist outstanding college students in achieving their scholastic goals. AASCO is pleased to offer up to three \$1,500 scholarships this coming year to qualified students. The 2014 AASCO Scholarship Application is now available online at the AASCO website.

Scholarships: This committee shall also review scholarship applications for graduate or undergraduate students in U.S. colleges interested in furthering their education in seed technology and/or agriculture (i.e. becoming an RST). The AASCO will provide up to \$1,500 to students who plan to enroll or are already enrolled in a U.S. or Canadian college/university or a 2-year community college and meet these criteria:

- **Criteria:**
 - Interest - current and future - in the seed industry in particular and agriculture in general
 - Scholastic achievement and activities
 - 1,000 word essay on the importance and value of seed laws
 - Financial need
 - Letter(s) of recommendation
- **Eligibility:**
 - Acceptable fields of study include, but are not limited to: Agribusiness with an emphasis in Plant Science, Botany, Plant or Seed Physiology, Plant Science and Soil Science. Special interest in the seed industry is a plus. High school graduating seniors, undergraduate and graduate students enrolling or enrolled on a full-time basis in college or universities are eligible.
- **Deadline:**
 - Applications must be received no later than May 15th, each year. Public announcement of the awards will be made at the AASCO Annual Meeting. Scholarship recipients, as well as other applicants will receive notification by mail following the announcement of the awards.
 - For more information and forms go to AASCO LINK or contact AASCO Scholarship & Financial Assistance Committee Chair.



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- **Applications:**

- Application forms can be downloaded here:
[Download scholarship application](#) (pdf, 976 kb)
- You may also write to AASCO at:
Attn: Greg Helmbrecht
WDATCP - Plant Industry
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Please share this information with high school graduating seniors and/or college students and encourage them to apply.

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