



Chicago Society *for* Coatings Technology

Scholarship Guidelines

Candidates meeting the requirements below are eligible to apply for both scholarships each year of their collegiate career. However, they may receive each respective scholarship award only one time and may receive only one of the scholarships in any given year. (e.g. the Merit Scholarship award recipient will not be included in the drawing for the Joint Scholarship that year, but may reapply for the Joint Scholarship the following year.) The candidate must reapply each year to be considered for that year's scholarship awards.

The CPCA/CSCT Joint Scholarship

This scholarship is awarded to children or grandchildren of the CSCT or CPCA, and course of study is not a consideration. Recipients are drawn at random at the CSCT spring meeting in April.

APPLICATION MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE CPCA EDUCATION CHAIR

CSCT Merit Scholarship

This Grant-In-Aid Scholarship is intended to foster a pursuit of a college education in the physical sciences by the children or grandchildren of current members of the CSCT.

REQUIREMENTS OF CANDIDATES

1. **Two letters of recommendation** are required. One letter must be from a teacher, principal, guidance counselor, or department head. The other person can be from the preceding list or someone involved with your extra curricular activities, job, or community service.
2. **A copy of your high school transcripts** that includes ACT and /or SAT score if the candidate is a high school senior. Undergraduates must include a college transcript.
3. **An essay titled "The need for a college education"** including how your selected area major can be a benefit in the future. Essay to be limited to one typed page.
4. Applicant **must be the son or daughter, or grandson or granddaughter, of a CSCT member** and said member is a current member of a minimum of two years.
5. **Curricula** pursued by the applicant must **include one of the physical sciences**, examples; Mathematics, Chemistry, Computer Science, Physics, & Engineering.
6. The candidate be a full time student, attending (or a high school senior registered to) any accredited college or university leading to a degree in one or more of the above curricula.
7. **The grant is for one year** and is not renewable or transferable.
8. Award is paid directly to the college or university for application against tuition and fees.
9. Alternate awardees will also be selected in the event the original awardee fails to maintain all the requirements above.
10. Current members of the Federation of Society for Coatings Technology are not eligible for the grant-in-aid Scholarship.

COMPLETED APPLICATION, TRANSCRIPTS AND LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE CSCT EDUCATION CHAIR BY DEADLINE NOTED ON APPLICATION