Fruit & Vegetable Industries

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Please check appropriate box for scholarship you are applying for and mail to the sponsoring organization:

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|  | Fruit Industry Scholarship  MichiganState Horticultural Society  63806 90th Avenue  Hartford, MI 49057 | ***or*** |  | Vegetable Industry Scholarship  Michigan Vegetable Council  P.O. Box 367  Mason, MI 48854 |

269 424-3990 phone 517-663-6725 phone

[mihortsociety@aol.com](mailto:mihortsociety@aol.com) [gbird@michiganvegetablecouncil.org](mailto:gbird@michiganvegetablecouncil.org)

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**To the applicant**: Please fill out the application as completely as possible, typed and mail or e-mail it to one of the listings above **by September 30**. **Hand written applications will not be accepted**. The target amount per scholarship is $1,500, but it could be more or less at the discretion of the selection committee. This scholarship is for students who intend to pursue careers in or connected to the Midwest fruit or vegetable industry. The information you provide will be reviewed by the selection committee and you will be notified of their decision by November 15. Award recipients will be announced and the scholarship presented during the Great Lakes Fruit, Vegetable, and Farm Market EXPO in early December in Grand Rapids, MI. Please note that this is not a need-based scholarship, **but attendance at the EXPO is required**. If, however, you have a serious financial need, please enclose a financial statement with the application. For more information about the Great Lakes EXPO, visit [www.glexpo.com](http://www.glexpo.com).

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 (Please print)

College / University\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Current Program: \_\_2 year \_\_4 year \_\_MS/MA \_\_PhD \_\_Other

Note: You must be in at least the second year of your current program to apply.

Major Area of Interest

Total Credits Completed Overall GPA Anticipated Graduation Date

On-Campus Advisor \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**PLEASE FILL IN ALL APPLICABLE BLANKS**.

1. I have participated in the following student organizations and on-campus activities:

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2. I have been involved in the following civic or public service activities (on- or off-campus):

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3. I have had the following work experience in the fruit/vegetable industry:

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4. I have received the following scholarships and awards:

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5. Write a paragraph or two describing your career aspirations:

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6. Complete the following statement. I believe I qualify for this scholarship because…

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