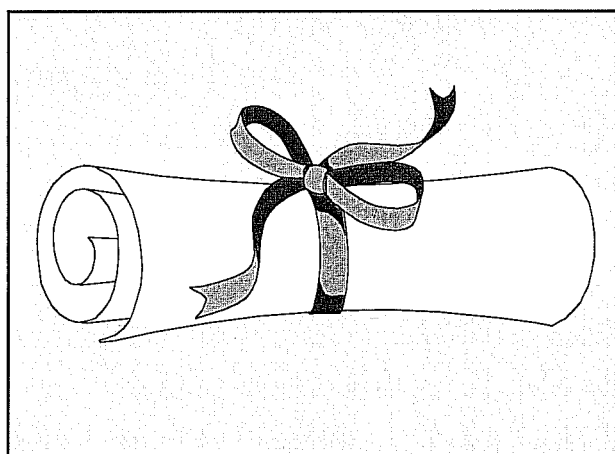


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2010 Scholarship Program Details

Eligibility: *The primary purpose of the Johan G.W. & Frances S. Holmberg Foundation, Inc. (the "Foundation") is the making of scholarship grants to college and graduate school students who are members of the immediate family of a member or former member (including retired, disabled, or deceased members) of the Boston Fire Department, to enable such students to complete an undergraduate or graduate education in the field of their choice at the college or graduate school of their choice. Scholarship grant recipients will be selected from the pool of Eligible Grant Recipients by the Foundation's Scholarship Committee on an objective and non-discriminatory basis. Note, however, that the Foundation reserves the right to impose additional, reasonable restrictions and/or requirements upon the selection of grantees and/or the administration of any particular grant.*



Scholarship Grants: *The Foundation shall make annual scholarship grant(s) of up to a maximum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) per grant. The specific amount of any particular scholarship grant shall be determined by the Board of Directors of the Foundation taking into account the applicant's available financial resources and the costs associated with attending the educational institution the applicant proposes to attend or is attending. Scholarship grantees shall be entitled to apply for and receive scholarship grants for subsequent academic years until the completion of said grantee's education. A scholarship recipient must be a candidate for a degree at an educational institution described in Internal Revenue Code Section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii), that is an educational organization which normally maintains a regular faculty and curriculum and normally has a regularly enrolled body of pupils or students in attendance at the place where its educational activities are regularly carried on. Scholarship grants will not be restricted to any particular college or graduate school or to colleges or graduate schools in any particular locality.*

Selection Criteria: *The selection criteria shall include prior academic performance, the biographical information contained in the applicant's application regarding the potential grantee's career, academic and other relevant experiences, the applicant's essay response, and recommendations from an applicant's instructors and any others who have knowledge of the applicant's academic capabilities. Financial need will be considered as an additional criterion, but not as a required criterion. The Scholarship Committee will have the discretion to interview applicants in order to assess the applicant's motivation, character, ability and potential.*

2010 Scholarship Program Details (cont.)

Scholarship Committee: *The Scholarship Committee shall at all times have at least three (3) members, which members shall initially consist of a designate of the President of the Foundation, the Treasurer or a designate of the Treasurer of the Boston Firefighter's Local 718, and a representative of the Boston City Schools, which representative shall be selected by the Board of Directors of the Foundation. Each member of the Board of Directors of the Foundation and of the Scholarship Committee shall be obligated to disclose any personal knowledge of and relationship with any potential grantee under consideration and to refrain from participation in the selection process in a circumstance where he or she would derive, directly or indirectly, a private benefit if any applicant or applicants are selected over others. No scholarship grant may be awarded to any family member of the Foundation's Board of Directors or any family member of the members of the Scholarship Committee, or for a purpose inconsistent with the purposes described in Internal Revenue Code Section 170(c)(2)(B). No member of the Scholarship Committee shall be allowed to exercise any greater influence over the selection of grant recipients than any other member.*

Scholarship Grant Conditions:

Use of Scholarship Funds. *Scholarship grant funds may be used only for (i) tuition and fees required for enrollment or attendance of the student at a qualifying institution; (2) fees, books, supplies, and equipment required for courses of instruction at such educational institution; and (3) room and board. Qualifying institutions are educational institutions described in Internal Revenue Code §170(b)(1)(A)(ii).*

Payment of Scholarship Funds. *Generally, scholarship grant money will be paid directly to the educational institution attended by the grant recipient. It is anticipated that all funds will be made payable to the educational institution that the grant recipient is attending. The educational institution will be required to agree in writing to use grant funds to defray a portion or the whole of the grant recipient's expenses only if the recipient is enrolled at the educational institution and his or her standing at said institution is consistent with the purposes and conditions of the grant (eg., the recipient satisfies the admissions criteria for said institution or the recipient is maintaining a satisfactory grade point average). The scholarship grant recipient shall be responsible for providing a written interim report at least once during the grant recipient's academic year, including a summary of the use of any funds paid to said institution, the courses taken by the grant recipient and the grades received in said courses in each academic period and to provide a final report with similar information at the end of the academic year.*

Scholarship Grant Renewals: *A grant recipient may apply to renew his or her scholarship grant for a subsequent academic year in order to continue his or her education and such application shall be approved, subject to the availability of scholarship funds for said year, so long as the following conditions are met: (1) neither the Board of Directors or the Scholarship Committee have any information indicating that the prior year's scholarship grant was used for any other purpose than that for which it was made; (2) any and all required reports have been furnished by the grant recipient and the educational institution; and (3) the grant recipient continues to satisfy any objective and nondiscriminatory criteria of the Scholarship Committee that may have been imposed with the prior's year's scholarship grant.*

Improper Use of Scholarship Funds: *If the Foundation learns that all or any part of a scholarship grant is not being used in furtherance of the purposes of the grant, the Foundation shall take all reasonable and appropriate steps, including the institution of legal proceedings, to recover the scholarship grant funds and/or ensure restoration of the diverted funds to the purposes of the scholarship grant.*

Scholarship Application Deadline: *In order to be considered for a scholarship grant, the accompanying Scholarship Application must be completed and received at the address set forth at the top of the application by **no later than May 7, 2010**. Applications received after the deadline will not be considered.*

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2010 Scholarship Application

A. Applicant's Personal Data:

Name: _____
 First Name Middle Initial Last Name

Permanent Address: _____
 Number and Street

 City, State, Zip Code

Telephone: (_____) _____ Country: _____
 Area Code Number (if not U.S.A.)

Date of Birth: _____ Male: _____ Female: _____
 Month/Day/Year

Place of Birth: _____
 City, State or Country

Citizenship: _____ If you are not a U.S. citizen, please provide the following information:

Are you a permanent resident? _____ Yes _____ No

If no, if you have a visa or have applied for one, please describe type and status of your visa/visa application below:

Father's Name: _____

Father's Address: _____

Father's Home Tel: _____ Work Tel: _____

Mother's Name: _____

Mother's Address: _____

Mother's Home Tel: _____ Work Tel: _____

Name of Parent who is/was a member of the Boston Fire Department:

Name: _____ Soc. Sec. Number: _____

B. Applicant's Activity Profile:

Participation in extra curricular activities indicating year(s):
(e.g., Band 2,3; Basketball 1,2,3,4)

Describe Academic Honors & Awards:
(e.g., Honor Society, Dean's List)

Describe Out-of-School Activities, Achievements, Awards, etc.:
(e.g., Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, 4-H Club)

Describe Civic and Charitable Activities:
(e.g., participation in fundraising or neighborhood activities)

C. Applicant's Educational Background:

Provide name, address, grade point average and graduation date (actual or projected) and class rank for each of the following:

High School:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Graduation Date: _____ GPA: _____ Rank: _____

College Preparatory School:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Graduation Date: _____ GPA: _____ Rank: _____

College or University:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Graduation Date: _____ GPA: _____ Rank: _____

Graduate School:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Graduation Date: _____ GPA: _____ Rank: _____

Other Educational Background Information (that you believe may be relevant to this application, if any):

NOTE: Any letters of recommendation from instructors or others that you wish to include with your application should be attached at the end of this application.

D. Applicant's Scholarship Request:

Provide the name of the college or graduate school, address and degree program which you have either been accepted into or are currently enrolled in and for which this scholarship application is being submitted (if undecided, list first choice here):

Name: _____

Address: _____

Degree Program: _____

Projected Graduation Date: _____

Provide the following information regarding the costs of attending the above school (provide costs for full academic year):

Tuition & Fees: _____ Room & Board: _____

Books/Supplies: _____ Transportation: _____

Other Miscellaneous Expenses (list each separately):

Expense: _____ Amount: _____

Expense: _____ Amount: _____

Expense: _____ Amount: _____

Provide names and addresses of other educational institutions that you have applied to and the status of such applications (use other side of this page if you need additional space):

Name: _____

Address: _____

Status of Application: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Status of Application: _____

E. Applicant's Financial Condition:

Have you received any other scholarships? If so, provide details:

Have you, or do you intend to, apply for financial aid? If so, provide details:

Have you any reason to expect scholarship grants or financial aid from any other source? If so, provide details:

List positions held in gainful employment, periods of employment, average time employed, earnings, savings, etc.:

Total Personal Savings: _____

If there is other data to show financial need and general worthiness, please provide details:

F. Applicant's Parent's Confidential Financial Analysis (OPTIONAL):

This section should be completed by the parent, guardian, or applicant (if self-supporting). Completion of this section is optional. Note that financial ability is (i) only one of many factors taken into consideration in the course of selecting scholarship recipients and (ii) secondary to academic ability and demonstrated desire to improve oneself. It is the Foundation's policy that failure to provide this information is not to be viewed negatively in considering an applicant for a scholarship.

1. Family's gross annual income \$_____ and net taxable income \$_____ for the tax year _____ as reported to the Internal Revenue Service.

2. Provide names of children who are currently attending or will be attending college during the period that applicant will be in college/graduate school and the estimated annual amount to be contributed by the family toward their education:

Name: _____ Contribution: \$ _____

Name: _____ Contribution: \$ _____

Name: _____ Contribution: \$ _____

3. Father's Employer: _____

Employer's Address: _____

Occupation: _____

Gross Annual Income: \$ _____

4. Mother's Employer: _____

Employer's Address: _____

Occupation: _____

Gross Annual Income: \$ _____

5. If someone other than the parent(s) named above supports the applicant, please provide the following information:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Relationship: _____

Employer's Name: _____

Employer's Address: _____

Occupation: _____

Annual Income: _____

Describe Support: _____

6. Provide the details of any other financial information and/or financial circumstances that you believe may be relevant to the consideration of this application:

7. I hereby certify the above information accurately reflects my/our current financial status.

Dated: _____

Signature(s) of parent(s) or guardian:

G. Applicant's Essay:

Please submit a typewritten essay of no more than 500 words responding to the following:

An internet poll suggested that the following as the "Top Ten" social problems our society is currently facing (listed in no particular order). In your opinion, which one of these social problems is number one? Explain why.

1. Immigration
2. The Media
3. Drugs
4. Cost of Living
5. Obesity
6. Health Care
7. Unemployment
8. Job Security
9. The National Debt
10. Ineffective Government