

\$12,000 Michael T. Martin Scholarship Application

THE AGC:

The Associated General Contractors, Las Vegas Chapter is a nonprofit construction trade association of some 680 member companies, both union and open shop, throughout the Las Vegas valley. AGC assists member companies with insurance benefits, safety programs, labor relations, public relations and networking opportunities, legislative involvement, representation and training education programs and community service projects. Some of the many career options to be explored within the construction industry include architecture, construction management, general contracting, subcontracting, building trades, estimating, engineering and much more. If you have an interest in building a career out of the opportunities available within the construction industry, then this scholarship can be a tremendous asset. To learn more about AGC, please visit www.agclv.org.

THE AWARD:

AGC will award a \$12,000 scholarship to a graduating senior from a high school located within Clark, Nye, Esmeralda or Lincoln counties. AGC's Scholarship Committee will review all applications received by deadline and select the student who exemplifies leadership, integrity, creativity, dedication and studiousness along with a desire to enter a career in construction. Scholarship recipient must attend eight consecutive semesters at an accredited four-year college or university beginning the fall after high school graduation. Failure to do so may result in forfeiture of scholarship monies. The AGC Scholarship Committee may waive this requirement should extenuating circumstances warrant.

THE STEPS:

1. Complete the enclosed scholarship application and other requirements and return to AGC- c/o Mandi Lindsay, 150 N. Durango Drive, Suite 100 - Las Vegas, Nevada 89145, on or before the **April 1, 2011** deadline. Applications may also be hand delivered to this location. Absolutely no late applications will be accepted.
2. Finalists will be required to interview with the AGC scholarship committee, and will be notified either by mail or telephone on or about **May 20, 2011**. Interviews will be conducted within two weeks of notification.
3. Finalists will be notified of the AGC scholarship committee's decision by mail on or around **June 24, 2011**
4. Questions? Please contact AGC's Mandi Lindsay by phone at 702.796.9986 or email mandi@agclv.org.



5. SCHOLARSHIP TIMETABLE – IMPORTANT DATES

(Please keep a copy of this page for your records.)

FALL 2011

1. The recipient must send verification of acceptance to an accredited four-year university or college, proof of enrollment for at least 12 credits along with evidence that recipient's construction-related major is officially recorded with the school of choice. These three items must be submitted to the AGC by **August 1, 2011**. If unable to comply with these requests, recipient must contact AGC at 702-796-9986 to make other, suitable arrangements or scholarship will be withdrawn.
2. Upon receipt of requested documentation, a check in the amount of \$1500 will be made payable to the recipient and mailed to the address provided on the application by **August 20, 2011**.

SPRING 2012

1. To remain eligible for the scholarship recipient must mail a copy of university transcript indicating a 2.0 grade point average and that the recipient earned **12 or more credits fall semester 2011**. Verification must also be sent indicating the recipient is enrolled for **12 credits in spring semester 2012**, by **December 31, 2011**.
2. Upon documentation approval, a check in the amount of \$1500 will be made payable to the recipient and mailed to the address provided on the application by **January 15, 2012**.

FALL 2012

1. To remain eligible for the scholarship recipient must mail a copy of university transcript indicating a 2.0 grade point average and that the recipient earned **12 credits the spring semester 2012**, as well as verification that recipient is enrolled for **12 credits in fall semester 2012**, by **August 1, 2012**.
2. Upon receipt of requested documentation, a check in the amount of \$1500 will be made payable to the recipient and mailed to the address provided on the application by **August 20, 2012**.

SPRING 2013

1. To remain eligible for the scholarship recipient must mail a copy of university transcript indicating a 2.0 grade point average and that recipient earned **12 credits fall semester 2012**, as well as verification that recipient is enrolled for **12 credits in spring semester 2013**, by **December 31, 2012**.
2. Upon documentation approval, a check in the amount of \$1500 will be made payable to the recipient and mailed to the address provided on the application by **January 15, 2013**.

FALL 2013

1. To remain eligible for the scholarship recipient must mail a copy of university transcript indicating a 2.0 grade point average and that the recipient earned **12 credits spring semester 2013**, as well as verification that recipient is enrolled for **12 credits in fall semester 2013**, by **August 1, 2013**.
2. Upon receipt of requested documentation, a check in the amount of \$1500 will be made payable to the recipient and mailed to the address provided on the application by **August 20, 2013**.

SPRING 2014

1. To remain eligible for the scholarship recipient must mail a copy of university transcript indicating a 2.0 grade point average and that recipient earned **12 credits fall semester 2013**, as well as verification that recipient is enrolled for **12 credits in spring semester 2014**, by **December 31, 2013**.
2. Upon documentation approval, a check in the amount of \$1500 will be made payable to the recipient and mailed to the address provided on the application by **January 15, 2014**.

FALL 2014

1. To remain eligible for the scholarship recipient must mail a copy of university transcript indicating a 2.0 grade point average and that the recipient earned **12 credits spring semester 2014**, as well as verification that recipient is enrolled for **12 credits in fall semester 2014**, by **August 1, 2014**.
2. Upon receipt of requested documentation, a check in the amount of \$1500 will be made payable to the recipient and mailed to the address provided on the application by **August 20, 2014**.

SPRING 2015

1. To remain eligible for the scholarship recipient must mail a copy of university transcript indicating a 2.0 grade point average and that recipient earned **12 credits fall semester 2014**, as well as verification that recipient is enrolled for **12 credits in spring semester 2015**, by **December 31, 2014**.
2. Upon documentation approval, a check in the amount of \$1500 will be made payable to the recipient and mailed to the address provided on the application by **January 15, 2015**.

PART I – The application (Please type or print clearly in dark ink.)

*Winner may be asked to verify information.

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Permanent Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ E-mail _____

Name of High School _____ Date of Birth _____

EDUCATION INFORMATION

Grade Point Average _____ Rank in Class _____

If taken, what are your SAT scores? _____ ACT? _____

Date of high school graduation? _____

University/college to be attended _____

Specify area of study you wish to pursue _____

Do you see yourself attending graduate school after attaining a bachelor's degree?

If so, in what area of specialization? _____

EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION

(Please list below any full-time or part-time work briefly explaining duties and responsibilities beginning with your most recent job.)

1. From _____ To _____
Month/Year Month/Year

Company's Name and Nature of Business _____

Supervisor's Name and Position _____ Telephone _____

Your duties _____

2. From _____ To _____
Month/Year Month/Year

Company's Name and Nature of Business _____

Supervisor's Name and Position _____ Telephone _____

Your duties _____

CONSTRUCTION HISTORY

Are any members of your immediate family presently employed in the construction industry?

1. Name _____ Relationship _____

Employer..... Position/Job Title.....

2. Name..... Relationship

Employer..... Position/Job Title.....

3. Name..... Relationship

Employer..... Position/Job Title.....

What are your specific construction career goals?

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How did you hear about this scholarship?

List hobbies, sports, community involvement or extracurricular activities.....

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SHORT ANSWERS

Describe an experience in your life that has changed and influenced your thinking or the type of person that you strive to be.

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PART 2 – The essay

Please answer the following question, *why are you interested in a construction industry career and what event or series of events led you to this decision? Where possible explain how your previous work experiences will relate to a construction industry career.* The essay must be a minimum of 500 words not to exceed 1000. Essays may be submitted on separate paper.

PART 3 – The wrap-up

To complete your application, please have your **high school transcript** sent in a sealed envelope along with your application. Also, please include **three letters of reference** (also submitted with your application in sealed envelopes) from individuals who know you and can attest to why you should be chosen as the recipient of this scholarship. Teachers, employers, coaches, club leaders, church leaders, and so forth may write references, but **parents and immediate family may not**.

Letters of reference may also address an applicant's demonstration of cooperation, courtesy, dependability, initiative, leadership, maturity and self-control.