

**CLEVELAND CHAPTER
PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYORS OF OHIO, INC.
SCHOLARSHIP AWARD
RULES AND QUALIFICATIONS**

PURPOSE:

The purpose of this scholarship is to honor and promote those students seeking a career in surveying who will support and represent Ohio and the Surveying Profession in the future.

GENERAL:

The Cleveland Chapter of the Professional Land Surveyors of Ohio, Inc. (PLSO) may present, annually, scholarship award(s) to be used for tuition expenses of students qualified as described below. Scholarship(s) will be available to students preparing for either their final year of a Surveying Degree/Certificate Program at an Associate of Applied Science level or their Junior or Senior year of a Surveying or Geomatics Program at a four year Bachelor of Science level.

ELIGIBILITY:

1. The student must be enrolled in a Surveying-related Degree/Certificate Program at a state accredited college or university.
2. It is preferred but not required that the student reside or work within the boundaries of the Cleveland Chapter of the Professional Land Surveyors of Ohio, which includes the counties of Cuyahoga and Lorain.
3. The student must be prepared for, and these monies used in, their final year of a two year Surveying Degree/Certificate Program at an Associate of Applied Science level; or the Junior or Senior year of a Surveying or Geomatics Program at a four year Bachelor of Science level.
4. The student must have an accumulated grade point average of 2.5 or above (based on a 4.0 system). Sealed Transcripts must be included with application.
5. The student must provide 2 (two) recommendations for this award:
 - a) A faculty member within the surveying department of the student's school which includes verification that the student is in good standing with the program
 - b) A member of PLSO not affiliated with the college or university the applicant is enrolled.
6. Part-time Students: Scholarship award shall be determined by the ratio of hours enrolled to the minimum hours required for full-time status, as defined by the college or university.
7. The student should show a continued drive to become a practicing surveyor and exhibit those qualities which are essential in becoming a professional person.
8. The student is encouraged to be a participating Student Member of the Professional Land Surveyors of Ohio, Inc. Membership applications are available at www.ohiosurveyor.org
9. The minimum amount of each Scholarship, if awarded, shall be \$ 500.00.
10. The scholarship monies as determined annually by the Executive Committee may or may not be awarded.
11. No student may receive more than two (2) Cleveland Chapter PLSO scholarships.

STUDENT APPLICATION:

A student may inquire as to the procedure involved in applying for this scholarship through his/her faculty advisor or through the Cleveland Chapter of the Professional Land Surveyors of Ohio. Completed application forms and other requested materials shall be submitted to the Cleveland Chapter PLSO Scholarship Committee by March 1 of each year. Application forms will be made available from the Cleveland Chapter of the Professional Land Surveyors of Ohio or through the Surveying Department of their school. A student who has applied and been rejected for the State PLSO Annual Memorial Scholarship may request to be considered for the Cleveland Chapter PLSO scholarship award through the recommendation of the State PLSO Scholarship Committee without further application.

SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE:

The Cleveland Chapter of the Professional Land Surveyors of Ohio Scholarship Committee will conform to the Chapter By-Laws. The Scholarship Committee will be responsible for reviewing and verifying the recommendations and the applications submitted by the students seeking this scholarship and to make the final recommendations to the Executive Committee.

AWARD:

At the Cleveland Chapter's May Executive Committee meeting, the Scholarship Committee shall present the names of the students recommended for the award(s) to the Executive Committee of the chapter for final approval. The recognition of the award(s) will then be announced immediately thereafter. These scholarships shall be paid directly to the school in the name of the student by August 10.

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SCHOLARSHIP AWARD APPLICATION**

1. This application is made for the 20____ school year.
2. Name: _____
(last) (first) (middle)
3. Present address: _____
(number and street)

(city) (state) (zip code)
4. Permanent U.S. residence address:

(street)

(city) (state) (zip code)
5. Contact Information
Home Phone Number () _____
Email Address _____

6. Age: _____
7. Marital status: Single Married (circle one)
Number of dependents: _____
8. Current approximate annual net income (after taxes) from all sources, including grants and scholarships: _____
9. Will you have, or have you applied for other scholarships for next year?
No _____ Yes _____ Amount expected: _____
10. Present education
College, University and Program Name _____

a. Total Credit hours completed prior to date of application:
_____ quarter _____ semester _____ trimester
b. Cumulative Overall GPA as of date of application: _____
c. Attach most current transcripts of all college credits
11. Do you intend to be enrolled as a full-time part-time (circle one) student in a Surveying Program for the next academic year?
College, University and Program Name _____

13. How many credit hours of course work do you need to complete the degree:

14. What is your expected graduation date: _____
15. Are you a student member of PLSO? Yes No
16. **ESSAY:** On a separate sheet of paper, in 300 words or less, state why you are pursuing an education in surveying, describe your goals and objectives in this profession, and where you hope to begin your career as a surveyor.

STATEMENT OF TRUTH AND ACCURACY

I, (Print Full Name) _____ hereby state that, to the best of my knowledge, all information provided by me in and with this application is true and accurate. I also state that I understand that if any information is found to be untrue, inaccurate or deliberately misleading, at any point in time, that I will forfeit any scholarship monies that may be awarded and not yet paid, and that I will be required to repay, with penalty, any scholarship monies that have already been paid.

Signature

Date

Mail to: Cleveland PLSO Scholarship
P.O. Box 81713
Cleveland, OH 44181-0713

For use by Scholarship Committee Only - Checklist:
___ Complete Application(2 pgs) ___ Essay ___ Transcripts ___ 2 Letters of Recommendation