

NAEO William & Eleanor Curtin EDUCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The Curtin Scholarship is a nonprofit educational scholarship sponsored by the National Amtelco Equipment Owners (NAEO). The fund recognizes the immense contributions the Curtins have made to the messaging industry, and their lifelong mission to educate and inspire their valued customers.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtin, the founders of Amtelco, consistently provided the products, the vision, and the techniques to greatly advance our industry. As entrepreneurs, they were present at the beginning of the Telecommunications revolution, arguably one of the most significant events of the second half of the 20th Century.

NAEO offers this scholarship to individuals who demonstrate similar entrepreneurial traits. The applicant should be a motivated, curious individual who has chosen Telecommunications as a career.

The recipient will receive:

- A \$500.00 cash award to be used to attend a conference or educational course or for the development of an innovative approach to call center management in his or her office. (Examples: Call Center Seminar, College Management Course or software purchase to develop a quality assurance program).

In exchange the recipient will:

- Write an article for Newlinks within a year of the receipt of the award detailing his or her experience and discoveries.
- Winners are also encouraged to share their results with the NAEO membership through webinars, the NAEO website and participation in the annual conference.
- Join and be an active member of a NAEO committee.

Criteria:

- Applicant is an owner of or has been employed by a NAEO Member Company and in a senior management or higher level employment position.
- Applicant desires to educate him/her self by taking a class or attending a seminar or workshop which will serve to enhance their skills in the call center.
- Applicant agrees to share knowledge gained with others in the call center upon their return.
- Applicant understands the funds are to be used for the cost to attend, including tuition/registration fees, books and travel expenses if any.
- Applicant will be encouraged to write up a synopsis of their experience in order to allow the Newlinks editor to craft an article about their experience.



Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

E-mail: _____

Company Name _____

Company Address _____

Company Phone _____ Company Fax _____

Current Position: _____

Immediate Supervisor: _____

Education level: _____

Relevant telecommunications experience: (Both jobs and schooling with approximate date ranges)

List at least 3 developments you predict will occur in this industry in the next 5 years:

Which committees have you been involved with? Please describe what you have accomplished within the committee(s):

In 100 words or less, please describe your career goals:

Please provide information on how you plan on using the scholarship award.

Please return to:

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