2021-2022 The Lynn and Lars Balck Water Environment Stewardship Fund

Scholarship Details

**Award**  One $1,000 scholarship  
*Plus free attendance at the 2021 NC AWWA-WEA Annual Conference*

**Education Level**  Rising college junior

**Institution**  University of North Carolina system college or university with an ABET accredited engineering curriculum

**Program/Course of Study**  Engineering with a concentration in the water environment

**Cumulative GPA**  3.0 (on a 4.0 scale)

**Citizenship & Residency**  Must be a United States citizen and a resident of the state of North Carolina.

**Membership Requirements**  Preference will be given to members of an NC AWWA-WEA student chapter

**Renewal Eligibility**  The scholarship may be renewed annually through completion of an undergraduate degree and through two years of post-graduate study by providing documentation that the recipient still meets the qualifications stipulated in the initial scholarship application.

**Payable to**  Paid directly to financial office of recipient’s educational institution

**Conflict of Interest**  The applicant must not be related to scholarship sponsors nor employed by such sponsors and not an employee of nor related to officer or director of NC AWWA-WEA, nor to any member of the Endowment Committee.

Lars Balck has been recognized as a distinguished professional throughout his career in the water industry.

Lars and his wife Lynn decided to establish The Lynn and Lars Balck Water Environment Stewardship Fund in order to give back to the industry that had given so much to them.

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The North Carolina American Water Works Association and the North Carolina Water Environment Association (NC AWWA-WEA) is a volunteer association dedicated to providing water and wastewater education, training, and service in an effort to protect public health and the environment.
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How to Apply

All Applications must be submitted online at www.ncsafewater.org/StudentApplication

Forms  All required forms, listed below, must be uploaded through the online system no later than March 26, 2021 for application to be considered.

Recommendation Letters  Two letters from college instructors, at least one letter must be from an engineering instructor. Signed letters must be submitted online by instructors at www.ncsafewater.org/ScholarshipRecLetter

Essay  Discuss reasons for studying a curriculum with a focus on water environment and what contributions you hope to make that will improve the water environment (Maximum of 800 words.)

Transcript  Official transcript with college/university seal

Past Scholarship Recipients

2018 Lauren Tuttle, NC State University
2016 Haley Brinkley, NC State University
2015 Haley Brinkley, NC State University
2014 Jacqueline Batts, NC A&T State University

Please do not submit any additional materials with your application. Materials that are not requested will not be reviewed, nor will they be returned to you.

Notification letters will be mailed to all applicants by June 1, 2021.

If you have not received notification by July 1st, please contact NC AWWA-WEA staff member Marianne Keser at (919) 784-9030 x 1003 or mkeser@ncsafewater.org.

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