
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**
United States citizen and a resident of the state of North Carolina residing in any of the 35 counties located northeast of the following, inclusive-Warren, Franklin, Wake, Johnston, Wayne, Duplin, Pender and New Hanover.

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

**Renewal Eligibility**
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 meets the qualifications of the initial application.

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

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

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Rivers & Associates, Inc. is a North Carolina based civil/environmental engineering with its home offices located in Greenville, NC. The firm provides civil/environmental engineering services to local governments and developers in North Carolina. The firm decided to establish The Rivers & Associates, Inc. Clean Water Education Fund to provide financial assistance to Civil and/or Environmental Engineering students with a concentration in the disciplines of water, wastewater, storm water or reuse.

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How to Apply

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

**Forms**
All required forms, listed below, must be uploaded through the online system no later than March 27, 2021 for application to be considered.

**Recommendation Letters**
Two letters from college instructors. Signed letters must be submitted online by instructors at www.ncsafeewater.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

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 do not receive notification by July 1st, please contact NC AWWA-WEA staff member Marianne Keser at (919) 784-9030 -1003 or mariannekeser@ncsafeewater.org.

Past Scholarship Recipients

2019 Amanda Karam, NC State University
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2016 Haley Brinkley, NC State University
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2014 Jacqueline Batts, NC A&T State University

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