

MASTER BREWERS ASSOCIATES OF THE AMERICAS  
WESTERN NEW YORK DISTRICT  
SCHOLARSHIP FUND PROVISIONS

A scholarship fund has been established by a MBAA Western New York District, and a scholarship will be available with the following criteria. The fund is under the direction of the MBAA Western New York District Scholarship Committee.

ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS

1. The potential Candidate will be considered for such an award in the following order:
  - A. MBAA members employed for at least two years in the brewing industry from the Western New York District and their immediate families.
  - B. Non MBAA members, employed for at least two years in the brewing industry for the Western New York District, in production or a technical role and their immediate families.
2. Consideration will be granted to potential candidates in the following priority:
  - 1) Attendance to technical seminar or course sponsored by MBAA.
  - 2) Attendance to technical seminar, course or college program directly related to brewing
  - 3) Attendance to a technical seminar, course, or college program related to the brewing industry (description of the program's relationship to the industry is to be included with the application.)
3. The scholarships are directed at Western New York District MBAA members, their immediate families, and working associates, who, for whatever reason may be unable to attend a course through a company sponsorship or who require monetary assistance, or require supplement due to the sponsored cost of the program.

(Note: The brewing industry is defined to include malt houses; breweries; beer packaging facilities; consulting laboratories or similar services specializing in Technical Assistance to the brewing industry as determined by the scholarship committee.)
4. It is the expectation of the scholarship committee that the scholarships will be awarded annually in the amount deemed appropriate by the scholarship committee but no more than \$1,000.

5. Preference will be given to applicants planning on entering brewing or related industry as determined by the Scholarship Committee.
6. Every application must be endorsed by two members of the Western New York District MBAA to acknowledge the suitability of the scholarship candidate.
7. Two additional personal references (not the signing MBAA member) must be provided by every applicant with letters of recommendation. Such references may be contacted at the discretion of the Scholarship Committee for further information.
8. The scholarship award will be made as a grant for tuition only and is not intended to be repaid.
9. A scholarship grant recipient shall keep the MBAA Western New York District committee informed regarding the status of his/her studies and initial employment within the brewing or related industries.
10. Applications must be mailed or faxed to:

R.M. Headlee Co., Inc  
Gary Lauchert  
MBAA WNY Scholarship Chairman  
3596 California Road  
Orchard Park, NY 14127  
Fax: (716) 662-1557
11. The deadline for receiving the scholarship will be July 31 of the year for the award.
12. The scholarship award shall be at the sole discretion of the MBAA Scholarship Committee. Decisions will be by vote of a simple majority and all decisions will be final. Committee members shall be ineligible to vote regarding scholarships for themselves or the members of their families. A majority vote approval including abstentions will be required.
13. There shall be no obligation on the Scholarship Committee to make an annual award if, in their sole opinion, suitable candidates do not apply.
14. Nothing may prevent an applicant for resubmitting an application in a subsequent year in the event that a prior scholarship application has been unsuccessful.
15. The scholarship committee reserves the right to adjust the provisions as required or directed by the district executive committee.