

201 VPPPA Scholarship Program - Applications due June 201

Take advantage of VPPPA's scholarships! Are you, or a family member looking to pursue or expand a career in the EHS field? VPPPA has three scholarships specifically for individuals pursuing an education in occupational safety and health. Let us help you reach your goals of creating a safer workplace for your friends, families and coworkers.

VPPPA June Brothers Scholarship

The VPPPA June Brothers scholarship recognizes students who are leaders and role models in their schools and communities and who are entering either the environmental, safety and health areas or the trades respectively. Each of these annual scholarships is granted to one student who is either employed at a VPPPA Full member site or to the child/grandchild/spouse of a member.

VPPPA Steven Brown Scholarship

The VPPPA Steven Brown scholarship recognizes students who are leaders and role models in their schools and communities and who are the trades. This annual scholarship is granted to one student who is either employed at a VPPPA Full member site or to the child/grandchild/spouse of a member.

VPPPA William "Sully" Sullivan Scholarship

The VPPPA William "Sully" Sullivan Scholarship recognizes an employee at a VPPPA full member site who has made significant contributions to the VPP program at his/her site. This scholarship is open to employees enrolled in or enrolling in a vocational school, college or university.

VPPPA Sergeant Safety Scholarship

The VPPPA Sergeant Safety Scholarship is intended for students pursuing either an undergraduate or graduate degree in the safety/health/environmental field and associated with the department of defense or contractor sites. This scholarship is open to students enrolled in or enrolling in a college or university.

The VPPPA recognizes outstanding individuals who are striving to further their education in the fields of safety, health and environmental science in both the technical (trades/vocational) and professional arenas. The VPPPA National Board of Directors initiated the VPPPA Scholarship Program to give back to the membership and further safety and health excellence for the future generation of safety and health leaders.

Applicants for the scholarships below must meet the following criteria:

- Applications will be accepted from students who either work at a current VPP site or who are the children/grandchildren/spouse of an employee of a VPP site. The VPP site must be a VPPPA Full member in good standing to qualify.
- All applicants must complete the application for the scholarship program that they are eligible for and submit an official transcript, reference letter from a high school teacher, a professor from the university they are attending or a supervisor at a current job, and a reference letter from the relative working at the VPP site. All applicants must have at least a 2.5 GPA on a scale of 4.0.
- Other criteria used to evaluate all applicants include demonstrated leadership skills in extracurricular activities, involvement in professional organizations, communication skills and other awards and honors earned at educational institutions.

Application information can be found on VPPPA's website: www.vpppa.org/advancement/awards-scholarships
Interested students should submit all applications materials by June 1, 2018 to by email, mail or fax.

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