



PLGA Educational Foundation

Scholarship & Grant Program



*Our Investment in the Future of the
Packaging and Label Gravure Industry*

Scholarship Program

SCHOLARSHIP AWARD:

One (1) scholarship in the amount of \$2,000 is awarded annually.

SCHOLARSHIP ELIGIBILITY:

1. Applicant must be enrolled as a full-time student at any one of the PLGA partner universities listed below:
 - Arizona State University
 - California State Polytechnic
 - Clemson University
 - Murray State University
 - Rochester Institute of Technology
 - Pittsburg State University (Kansas)
 - Western Michigan University
2. Applicant must be a sophomore, junior, senior, or graduate student at the time the scholarship is awarded. A declared major in Printing, Graphic Arts, or Graphic Communications must be demonstrated.
3. Applicant must exhibit scholarly performance and demonstrate academic success in his or her studies. A GPA of 3.0 or greater (on a 4.0 scale) is required.
4. Applicant must demonstrate leadership development efforts through clubs or associations, sports, community participation, or volunteer activity.

APPLICATION PROCESS:

1. Completion of the attached PLGA Educational Foundation Scholarship application form.
2. Submission of a 1,000-word essay demonstrating your knowledge of the gravure process and industry.
3. Submission of a "student copy" of college/university transcripts.
4. Submission of referral(s) from one or more faculty members in the university's printing and/or graphics communications programs.

DEADLINE:

Scholarship applications may be submitted via mail or e-mail. All applications must be received by **October 15, 2008**. Please submit your completed application to:

Laura Wayland-Smith Hatch, Executive Director
PLGA Global Educational Foundation
7580 Salmon Creek Road
Williamson, NY 14589-9510
315.589.8879
Laurah@gravureexchange.com



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Scholarship Program Application

All Applications MUST be Received by October 15, 2008

Directions: Please complete all information, and print clearly. Please be sure to sign the bottom of the application.

Circle one: Mr. Ms. Mrs.

Name: _____ SS #: _____
Last First Middle

PERMANENT ADDRESS

Street: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____
Telephone: _____ E-mail: _____

SCHOOL ADDRESS

Street: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____
Telephone: _____ E-mail: _____

COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY: _____

Current Status: Sophomore Junior Senior Graduate Study

Expected Graduation Date: _____

Academic Major: _____ Area of Concentration: _____

Advisor's Name: _____

PLGA EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

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3. Submission of a "student copy" of college/university transcripts.
4. Submission of referral(s) from one or more faculty members in the university's printing and/or graphics communications programs.

I have received, read, and agree to abide by the policies for scholarships from the PLGA Educational Foundation. If I am awarded a PLGA Educational Foundation Scholarship, I agree to provide the Foundation with a short biography and photograph for press releases and promotional purposes.

Signature: _____ Date: _____



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Gravure Internship Grant Program

PLGA GRAVURE INTERNSHIP GRANT PROGRAM:

A maximum of ten (10) \$1,000 Gravure Internship Grants will be awarded annually —\$500 payable upon acceptance of the application and \$500 payable upon verification of successful completion of the internship by the company and receipt of a report on the internship written by the intern.

SCHOLARSHIP ELIGIBILITY:

1. Applicant must be enrolled as a full-time student at any one of the PLGA partner universities listed below:
 - Arizona State University
 - California State Polytechnic
 - Clemson University
 - Murray State University
 - Rochester Institute of Technology
 - Pittsburg State University (Kansas)
 - Western Michigan University
2. Applicant must be a sophomore, junior, senior, or graduate student at the time the scholarship is awarded. A declared major in Printing, Graphic Arts, or Graphic Communications must be demonstrated.
3. Applicant must exhibit scholarly performance and demonstrate academic success in his or her studies. A GPA of 3.0 or greater (on a 4.0 scale) is required.
4. Applicant must provide proof of acceptance into an internship program with a gravure-related company.

INTERNSHIP GRANT PROCESS:

1. Completion of the attached PLGA Educational Foundation Internship Grant application form.
4. Submission of proof of acceptance into an internship program with a gravure-related company.
3. Submission of a "student copy" of college/university transcripts.
4. Submission of verification of successful completion of the internship by the gravure-related company.
5. Submission of a report (500-word minimum) on completion of the internship.

DEADLINE:

Gravure Internship Grant applications and reports may be submitted via mail or e-mail and should be sent to:

Laura Wayland-Smith Hatch, Executive Director
PLGA Global Educational Foundation
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Williamson, NY 14589-9510
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Gravure Internship Grant Application

Directions: Please complete all information, and print clearly. Please be sure to sign the bottom of the application.

Circle one: Mr. Ms. Mrs.

Name: _____ SS #: _____
Last First Middle

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Street: _____

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Telephone: _____ E-mail: _____

SCHOOL ADDRESS

Street: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Telephone: _____ E-mail: _____

COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY: _____

Current Status: Sophomore Junior Senior Graduate Study

Expected Graduation Date: _____

Academic Major: _____ Area of Concentration: _____

Advisor's Name: _____

PLGA EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION GRAVURE INTERNSHIP GRANT ELIGIBILITY PROCESS:

1. Completion of the attached PLGA Educational Foundation Internship Grant application form.
2. Submission of proof of acceptance into an internship program with a gravure-related company.
3. Submission of a "student copy" of college/university transcripts.
4. Submission of a report (500-word minimum) on completion of the internship.

I have received, read, and agree to abide by the policies for scholarships from the PLGA Educational Foundation. If I am awarded a PLGA Educational Internship Award, I agree to provide the Foundation with a short biography and photograph for press releases and promotional purposes.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Rules for Scholarship and Grant Application Submissions

- Scholarship and grant applications must be printed clearly or typewritten and signed.
- Grade transcripts are required for consideration for the \$2,000 PLGA Educational Foundation Annual Scholarship and Gravure Internship Grant.
- Both the 1,000-word Scholarship essay and Gravure Internship Grant report must be submitted in an electronic format—either on CD or via e-mail.
- Applications may be submitted via mail or e-mail. Faxed applications will not be accepted.
- If a scholarship or grant is offered to you, you must reply in writing to Laura Wayland-Smith Hatch, Executive Director, within ten (10) days, stating whether or not you accept. If you do not do so, the offer becomes void.

Questions?

Questions regarding the scholarship, internship grant, or the application process should be addressed to:

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