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Women in Technology Scholarship

2020 Application

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General Information

The world economy, industry and sciences are becoming increasingly digitized, and these developments are disrupting society and familiar social processes. Women, however, are still largely underrepresented in technology and other STEM fields. To create a world in which men and women have equal opportunities, women need to have an active role in technology and technological developments. Zonta Club of Victoria is pleased to offer a Women in Technology Scholarship to encourage women to pursue education, career opportunities and leadership roles in technology.

Who is Eligible?

Women of any age, pursuing a technology degree or closely related programme, who demonstrate outstanding potential in the field, are eligible to apply.

How Do I Apply?

Complete the attached application form. Please note that only typed applications will be accepted and considered. The following documents are to be submitted in the application package.

1. Verification of current enrollment by school/institute official
2. Two confidential recommendations from a faculty member in the major field of study, academic advisor, organization supervisors or volunteer supervisors.
3. An essay of 500 words or less that clearly describes your academic and/or professional goals, the relevance of the programme and how the Women in Technology Scholarship will assist you in reaching your goals. (Essays exceeding 500 words will not be considered.)
4. List and include official detailed transcripts of grades or equivalent records for all universities, colleges or institutes attended with an explanation of the grading system for each transcript submitted.
5. Any non-English documents must be translated into English.
6. All application materials must be received at the Zonta club by April 30, 2020.
7. Applications that are incomplete or late due to postal delays, transmittal by third parties, or other circumstances will not be considered. Applications are accepted by email or regular mail; however, email submissions are preferred. Applications submitted by email must be signed and sent as a PDF.

How May I Use the Scholarship Funds?

1. The scholarship may be used for any expenses that support the achievement of a degree or continuing advancement in technology or a closely related field.
2. Recipients may accept additional grants and scholarships from other sources.

Application for Women in Technology Scholarship

SEND APPLICATION AND DIRECT ANY QUESTIONS TO:

Application Deadline: April 30, 2020

Zonta Club of: Victoria

Attention: Lorraine Markin

Address: 402 – 785 Tyee Road

City: Victoria

Province BC Postal Code V9A 0G2

Telephone: 250-739-3968

Email address: lorrainemarkin@shaw.ca

Name: _____
Last First Middle

Current Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Email address: _____ Telephone: _____

Permanent mailing address (if different from above): _____

City: _____ Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Name of university/institute currently attending: _____

Current year of study: _____ Expected graduation date: _____

Department: _____ Degree Sought: _____

Academic Background:

Applicants are required to send transcripts of grades or equivalent records from all universities, colleges or institutes attended. An explanation of the grading system must be included for each transcript.

University/college/institute/online	(Year) to (Year)	Major/Field	Date of degree/anticipated

Employment History in the Technology Field (if applicable):

From (month/year)	To (month/year)	Name of Employer	Address	Type of work or position held

Scholarships, Fellowships, Honours Received During the Studies Listed Above

(Attach an additional sheet if necessary)

Date

Volunteer and Other Activities

(Please describe your volunteer, non-scholastic activities, memberships and cultural interests):

Declaration by Applicant

I certify that all the information contained in my application form is accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Signature (required)

Date

(Insert image of your signature or print, sign and scan this page.)

PROFESSIONAL INFORMATION AND GOALS

(Please type essay in English.)

In 500 words or less, please describe your academic and/or professional goals, the relevance of your program in the technology field, and how the Zonta Victoria Women in Technology Scholarship will assist you in reaching your goals. (Essays cannot exceed 500 words to be considered.)