

IOWA MOTOR CARRIERS' FOUNDATION, INC.

Scholarship Information

The Iowa Motor Carriers' Foundation is a nonprofit corporation organized for the purpose of providing educational opportunities to deserving young Iowans. The Foundation's scholarship program is administered by the Iowa Motor Truck Association, Des Moines, Iowa.

Scholarships awarded by the Iowa Motor Carriers' Foundation are available to students majoring in any field of study. To be eligible to receive a Foundation scholarship, a student must be a permanent resident of the state of Iowa. The student must currently be attending or planning to attend any of the following types of educational institutions.

- A community college located in Iowa.
- A public or private trade school located in Iowa.
- A private college or university located in Iowa.
- A public college or university located in Iowa.

Selections are based on the applicant's financial need, academic record, and outside activities, as it pertains to school and community citizenship. The scholarships are awarded for the fall semester of the year that you apply. It is valid only for that academic year and cannot be held over without the approval of the committee. **(One Application Per Person)**

The eight named scholarships listed below are offered by the Iowa Motor Carriers' Foundation.

- The **Cummins Great Plains Diesel Scholarship** was established by an endowment from Cummins Great Plains and Cummins, Inc. This endowment was the first endowment made to the foundation and enabled the foundation to become a viable and worthwhile foundation. This scholarship is earmarked to be awarded to individuals pursuing a degree and career in diesel technology.
- The **Ziegler/Caterpillar Diesel Scholarship** was established by an endowment from Ziegler, Inc. and Caterpillar, Inc. Another great supporter of the association, Ziegler/Caterpillar established the scholarship in an effort to continually invest in the field of maintenance and diesel technologies. This scholarship is open to students studying diesel technology.
- The **Paul Crouse Memorial Scholarship** was established by an endowment from the Crouse family in honor of the late Paul Crouse, founder of Crouse Cartage Company and former chairman of IMTA. This scholarship is typically awarded to a student from the Western Iowa area.
- The **Harold Dickey Memorial Scholarship** was established by an endowment from the Dickey family in honor of the late Harold Dickey, founder of Harold Dickey Transport Inc. and former chairman of IMTA. This scholarship is awarded to a student from the Southeast Iowa area. *(Separate Application – Please contact IMTA for an application)*
- The **L.W. "Verne" Simpson Scholarship** was established to honor Verne Simpson, the "father" and Treasurer of the Iowa Motor Carriers' Foundation, founder and president of Mid Seven Transportation, and also a former IMTA chairman. Verne Simpson was truly a valued leader and friend to the trucking industry and to the association. This scholarship is awarded to the highest scoring applicant in the general scholarship category.

- The **Iowa Council of Safety Management Scholarship** was established by the Iowa Council of Safety Management to show their support of the Foundation, IMTA, and the trucking industry. The ICSM is a group of individuals committed to safety and professionalism in the trucking industry. This scholarship is awarded to a student who is pursuing a higher education.

- The **Bob Bannister Memorial Scholarship** was established by family, friends and colleagues in honor of the late Bob Bannister. Bob had been an active volunteer and avid supporter of the association for the past 20 years. Bob was known throughout the industry for his knowledge of the industry and his love of the association. This scholarship was established as a way to keep his spirit alive and to remember someone who was truly a friend to Iowa's trucking industry. This scholarship is awarded to a student who is pursuing a higher education.

- The **Darryl Mason Scholarship** is the most recent scholarship fund that was established through the foundation. Darryl was a professional truck driver and a long time participant in the Iowa Truck Driving Championships. Over the years, Darryl received numerous awards for his professionalism and commitment to safety and also earned a coveted spot on Iowa's Road Team. Darryl established the perpetual scholarship as a way to give back to the industry he loved and recognized it as an opportunity to invest in the future of the State of Iowa. Darryl passed away in August of 2007 after a courageous battle with cancer and we are proud to keep his legacy alive through the scholarship named after this great individual.

Employment Record (list most recent employer first):

	<u>Date</u>	<u>Employer's Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Supervisor/Title</u>
1.	_____	_____	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____	_____	_____
4.	_____	_____	_____	_____

III. Father's Name _____

Address _____
(Include Street, City, State, and Zip Code)

Occupation _____ Company _____

Company Address _____
(Include Street, City, State, and Zip Code)

For how many years? _____ Company Phone _____

Mother's Name _____

Address _____
(Include Street, City, State, and Zip Code)

Occupation _____ Company _____

Company Address _____
(Include Street, City, State, and Zip Code)

For how many years? _____ Company Phone _____

Number of siblings at home _____ Number older _____ Number younger _____

Estimated family annual income (include noncustodial parent separately, if applicable)

Check one:

___ Below \$15,000 ___ \$15-25,000 ___ \$25-30,000 ___ Over \$30,000

List other financial resources and assets your family may have in addition to yearly income:

Parents adjust gross income from 2 years ago*(Form 1040) _____

No. of exemptions claimed _____ If applicant file a Form 1040 please provide. If applicant filed a Form 1040, and is a dependent, please also enclose the parents' Form 1040. (Please attach copy of Pages 1 & 2, Form 1040)

****Please Note:** We ask for the tax return from 2 years ago to ensure that all applicants are able to meet the application deadline. For example, if you are applying for a scholarship for 2010 then you will need to submit the 2008 tax return.

List the type and amount of other financial aid you may be receiving:

Your income last year _____ Spouse's income _____

IV. List three other persons (other than family) who may be contacted for recommendations. Please include name, address, telephone and title/position.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

V. Prepare an accompanying letter to briefly describe:

*Why you are applying for this scholarship

*What your intended career goal is, its estimated cost and your choices of educational institutions

VI. Send the following items:

- (1) the above letter;
- (2) this application form;
- (3) a certified copy of your high school and college transcripts; and
- (4) 2008 IRS Form 1040, pp. 1 and 2.

VII. Scholarship recipients will be required to provide a photograph suitable for publication in the *Iowa Trucking Lifeline Magazine*.

***SEND TO: Iowa Motor Carriers' Foundation Scholarship Committee
717 E. Court Avenue
Des Moines, Iowa 50309.**

***DEADLINE: Applications must be postmarked no later than March 15 of each year.
Incomplete applications will be rejected.**

I declare that all the information reported is true, correct and complete. If I am granted a scholarship from the Iowa Motor Carriers' Foundation, Inc., I agree to submit a report of my grades and educational progress at the time that I receive them from my school.

Applicant's Signature

Date