



THE FORREST K. PENCE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM APPLICATION

Deadline for Application: July 1, 2022

Scholarship grants will be awarded to students working toward an undergraduate or graduate degree in a four-year program, although consideration will be given to those in a two-year degree/certificate program, providing other criteria are met.
Applicants will be required to be sponsored by an active member of the Southwest Section of The American Ceramic Society.

SCHOLARSHIP GRANTS ARE MADE USING THE FOLLOWING PRIORITIES:

1. Evidence of dedication to ceramic sciences and/or the ceramic industry in general
2. Sponsorship or recommendation by an active member of the Southwest Section of ACerS
3. Scholastic record.
4. Financial need
5. Well-rounded personal character
6. Should more than one applicant be deemed equally eligible, the permanent resident of the Southwest Section (AR, KA, LA, OK, TX, MS, AL, GA, TN, NC, SC and the border states of Mexico) will be selected.
7. Interest in industries relevant to the Southwest Section

NAME _____ DATE _____

SCHOOL _____ MAJOR _____

SCHOOL MAILING ADDRESS _____

ANTICIPATED YEAR OF GRADUATION _____ CURRENT GPA _____ DEGREE _____

PROGRAM _____

YOUR PERMANENT ADDRESS _____

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER _____ DATE OF BIRTH _____ PLACE _____

HIGH SCHOOL _____ DATE GRADUATED _____ GPA _____

OTHER COLLEGES ATTENDED _____ DATES _____

YOUR EDUCATIONAL EXPENSES ARE PAID BY:

FAMILY _____ LOANS _____ SELF-EARNED _____ SCHOLARSHIPS _____ OTHER _____

DO YOU INTEND TO TRANSFER SCHOOLS PRIOR TO GRADUATION? YES NO

PLEASE INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING WITH YOUR APPLICATION:

- a. Letter of recommendation from the department head at your school
- b. Most recent transcript of your grades
- c. A brief essay describing why you are interested in pursuing an education in the field of your choice and your goals after graduation.
- d. A list of activities, hobbies, and organization in which you take part both in school and out.



PRESENT THIS APPLICATION TO YOUR DEPARTMENT HEAD AND ASK THAT IT BE MAILED, **ALONG WITH HIS OR HER RECOMMENDATION**, TO:

Harland Dixson, Scholarship Chair at hdixson@brick.com or
Mr. Japa Castro, Assistant Scholarship Chair, jcastro@columbusbrick.com
Southwest Section of The American Ceramic Society
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Note: The student who is awarded this scholarship will need to furnish his or her Social Security number to the Southwest Section treasurer.