

LSP ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIPS

The **LSP Association Scholarship Fund** is pleased to announce the availability of educational scholarships for the 2017-2018 academic year. Established in 2007, the Jeffrey M. Hardin Scholarship honors the outstanding contribution to the profession of this Licensed Site Professional (LSP) Association past president. It is awarded to an LSP Association member or member of his or her immediate family enrolled in a degree program at an accredited **New England** College or University. A second scholarship is awarded to an LSP Association member or member of his or her immediate family enrolled in a degree program at an accredited New England College or University or to a qualified Massachusetts resident who is enrolled in a public or private Massachusetts College or University, with a major that is consistent with becoming an LSP (who is a hazardous waste site cleanup specialist in Massachusetts) or Environmental Professional.

The purpose of these scholarships is to support continued education in the environmental field in Massachusetts and the New England Region. The scholarships are intended to assist in pursuing educational requirements necessary for licensure as a Massachusetts Licensed Site Professional or to seek opportunity in other related professions within the environmental industry. The scholarships range from \$1,000 to \$5,000 and will be awarded at the LSP Association Annual Meeting in June 2017. Applications must be submitted no later than Friday, April 14, 2017. To be considered for a scholarship, the following criteria have been established:

QUALIFIED APPLICANTS:

1. An LSPA Member:

- a) *Be a current member of the LSP Association or an immediate family member.*
- b) *Have the school (High School or College) where he/she is enrolled send a transcript of all grades (including the latest 2016 - 2017 term) to the LSP Association Scholarship Fund. Transfer students must also forward transcripts from previous schools.*
- c) *Presently be accepted in a degree program at an accredited New England College, University, Junior College, Technical Institute, or Community College and majoring in an approved curriculum as described in Appendix A. Please provide a copy of a college acceptance letter.*
- d) *Include verification of enrollment or an indication of probable enrollment and major area of study for 2017 - 2018 academic year.*
- e) *Complete and sign the application and submit it to the LSP Association Scholarship Fund.*

2. A Massachusetts Resident:

- a) *Be a Massachusetts resident.*
- b) *Have the school (High School or College) where he/she is enrolled send a transcript of all grades (including the latest 2016- 2017 term) to the LSP Association Scholarship Fund. Transfer students must also forward transcripts from previous schools.*
- c) *Presently be accepted in a degree program at an accredited Massachusetts College, University, Junior College, Technical Institute, or Community College and majoring in an approved curriculum as described in Appendix A. Please provide a copy of a college acceptance letter.*
- d) *Include verification of enrollment or an indication of probable enrollment and major area of study for 2017 - 2018 academic year.*
- e) *Complete and sign the application and submit it to the LSP Association Scholarship Fund.*

NOTE: All information must be received no later than Friday, April 14, 2017.

Applications should include a completed application form, certified transcript and college acceptance letter, as well as three written letters of recommendation. Failure to submit all application materials by Friday, April 14, 2017 deadline may result in disqualification from scholarship consideration.

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APPENDIX A (copied from 309 CMR 3)

Degrees meeting the curriculum requirement include courses, a major, or concentration in the following fields:

- Biochemistry
- Biology (including toxicology, microbiology, ecology, botany, zoology)
- Chemical Engineering
- Chemistry
- Civil Engineering
- Earth Science
- Environmental Engineering
- Environmental Sciences
- Epidemiology
- Forestry
- Geology
- Geotechnical Engineering
- Hazardous Waste Management
- Hydrogeology
- Hydrology
- Industrial Hygiene
- Medicine
- Physical Geography
- Public Health (if technical in nature)
- Risk Assessment
- Soil Science
- Water Resources
- Wetland Science

If the applicant's courses, major or concentration are not listed, the LSP Association Scholarship Review Board may consider others on a case-by-case basis.