

William A. Snare Memorial Scholarship

California State Division - International Association for Identification



Purpose: To promote the advancement, and encourage the growth, of scientific forensic identification within the California State Division - International Association for Identification (CSDIAI) as a profession by offering financial assistance in the form of Educational Scholarships and Financial Assistance Grants.

Award Limitations: The maximum total of both awards may not exceed the total amount of interest gained on the principal in a 12-month period. The 12-month period shall be determined by the closing financial report for the year preceding the award (i.e. award given in May 1999 covers the period of May 1997 through April 1998). The Secretary-Treasurer, at the close of the Annual Training seminar in May, shall provide the Scholarship Committee Chairman with a copy of the previous financial year ending interest figure for determination of awards at the following year's seminar.

Scholarship Amount: Annual scholarships of up to \$500.00 each are available for applicants who are attending colleges and universities within the states of California and Nevada.

Financial Assistance Grants: Grants for registration and/or lodging for the CSDIAI Annual Training Seminar.

Eligibility Requirements: Applicants for Scholarships/Grants must satisfy the following requirements:

Student Application:

1. Must be a resident of either California or Nevada.
2. Be a full-time student with the intention of seeking a career in Forensic Identification and majoring in a Public Safety Program. The applicant must have attained Junior or Senior standing (or the equivalent) in a Bachelor's Degree program or be pursuing an advanced degree at an accredited college or university. Applicants who do not have Junior standing at the time of application but who will possess sufficient credits at the time of the award are eligible to apply.
3. Have attained a minimum of a 2.5 cumulative grade point average on a scale of 4.0, or the equivalent thereof if a different grading scale is used by the applicant's institution. A COPY

OF ALL COLLEGE TRANSCRIPTS MUST ACCOMPANY THE COMPLETED APPLICATION.

4. Or, be a part-time student attending an accredited college or university and be employed by a law enforcement agency. The applicant must have a minimum of an Associate of Arts degree or 60 semester units, and a minimum of a 2.5 cumulative grade point average on a scale of 4.0, or the equivalent thereof if a different grading scale is used by the applicant's institution.

Grant Application:

1. Applicant must be an active or life member in good standing with CSD-IAI for a minimum of three (3) years.
2. Be a resident of the states of California or Nevada.
3. Must have attended a minimum of two (2) CSD-IAI Annual Training Seminars in the past eight (8) years, prior to application.
4. Must be a full-time employee of a law enforcement agency.

Application And Selection Procedures: Applications are reviewed annually at the CSDIAI Annual Training Seminar in May. The assembled Scholarship Committee members will conduct this review. Scholarships are made for the school year beginning with the following Fall term. Grants are made for the following year's Training Seminar.

Applications must be received by the Secretary-Treasurer NO LATER THAN FEBRUARY 1 OF EACH YEAR.

Russell Silcock, CSDIAI Secretary/Treasurer
P.O. Box 10
Roseville, CA 95678-0010

The Secretary-Treasurer will acknowledge receipt and send a complete copy of each application to the Committee Chairperson.

All applicants will be notified in writing of the committee's decision. Scholarships/Grants will be announced at the Annual training Seminar. Scholarship funds approved will be sent directly to the applicant, payable to the applicant. Grants will be paid directly to the Annual Training Seminar Committee and to the site organization for lodging. The Secretary-Treasurer will prepare these checks.

Scholarships/Grants will not be awarded if the committee feels there are no suitable candidates or if some other circumstances develop.

Scholarship/Grant applications are not automatically carried over to the next year and must be resubmitted.

Scholarships/Grants are awarded without regard to age, race, sex, religion, or national origin.



WILLIAM A. SNARE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

CALIFORNIA STATE DIVISION -
INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR IDENTIFICATION

APPLICATION

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

HOME PHONE: _____ WORK PHONE: _____

REQUEST FOR (Check One): _____ SCHOLARSHIP _____ GRANT

NAME AND ADDRESS OF COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY: _____

HAVE YOU ATTAINED JUNIOR, OR HIGHER, STATUS? _____ YES _____ NO

WHAT DEGREE ARE YOU CURRENTLY PURSUING? (NOT NECESSARY FOR GRANT)
_____ BACHELOR'S _____ MASTER'S _____ DOCTORATE

MAJOR: _____

ARE YOU EMPLOYED BY A LAWENFORCEMENT AGENCY? _____ YES _____ NO

IF YES, AGENCY'S NAME AND ADDRESS: _____

JOB TITLE: _____

HOW MANY YEARS IN PRESENT POSITION? _____

IF APPLYING FOR GRANT, LIST YEAR OF CSD-IAI AFFILIATION: _____

IF APPLYING FOR GRANT, LIST DATES OF CSD-IAI TRAINING SEMINARS ATTENDED: _____

ON A SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER, PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTION
(INCLUDE SIGNATURE/DATE) (REQUIRED FOR SCHOLARSHIP, AND OPTIONAL FOR
GRANT):

"IF I RECEIVE THIS SCHOLARSHIP, IT WILL BENEFIT ME IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER .."

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

[REMEMBER TO SEND COPIES OF ALL COLLEGE TRANSCRIPTS WITH THIS APPLICATION]