

Asian American Engineers and Architects 2011 Scholarship Application

For the academic year 2011, Asian American Engineers and Architects of Houston (AAEA) will be awarding multiple \$1,000 scholarships to students to assist with the expense of their college education. The purpose of this scholarship is to encourage the education of our youth beyond the high school level and to encourage dedication towards community involvement.

Eligibility: Applicants must be of Asian descent, must, at a minimum, be a graduating high school senior, pursuing an education beyond the high school level, have residency in the Houston Metropolitan area, not a relative of an AAEA Board Member or Officer, and have a commitment toward providing community service. Demonstration of financial need may be required if selected as a finalist.

AAEA will handle the application, selection, and award of the scholarship. The Scholarship Committee shall consider the following:

- Purpose and use of the scholarship
- The written essay
- Applicant's academic records, leadership, civic and community involvement
- Completion and submission of required application materials
- Clear indication of financial need may be considered *

All applicants will be evaluated based on academic achievement, financial need, leadership, community service, and extracurricular activities. * Demonstration of financial need may be required should there be a tie among finalists, no information is needed upon initial application submission. Interviews may be required.

Qualified applicants should submit the complete application postmarked no later than Tuesday, May 10, 2011. Late submissions will be disqualified. Please mail or hand deliver to:

AAEA Scholarship Committee
Attn: Mindy Rueda
c/o Landtech Consultants, Inc.
2525 North Loop West, Suite 300
Houston, Texas 77008

Required Documentation:

1. A completed Application Form is available for download at www.aaea-houston.org
2. A copy of high school transcript with GPA converted to a 6.0 scale
3. A copy of SAT or ACT test results
4. An essay in English of 500 words or less that includes a brief biography and future plans and career goals, and any topic that the applicant feels would be of consideration to the Scholarship Committee. The essay must be typed; single spaced, and on letter sized paper.
5. Two letters of recommendation one of which must be from a high school teacher, advisor, or counselor or work supervisor regarding the applicant's personal conduct and attitude towards academics or work.
6. If applicable, please include a copy of a Student Aid Report (SAR) from FAFSA* (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) of the Federal Student Aid Program.

Certain qualified candidate(s) will be notified for interview to verify financial needs.

Scholarship finalists will be notified by an AAEA Scholarship Committee Member by August 4, 2011.

*FAFSA applications are free on www.fafsa.ed.gov

All questions should be directed to Mindy Rueda at: aaea_2011scholarship@yahoo.com or 713-861-7068

The information supplied must be accurate and truthful. All information submitted will be kept confidential by the AAEA Scholarship Committee. Documents and materials submitted by the applicant will not be returned. AAEA reserves the right to disqualify applicants who provide fraudulent information.

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Please type or print clearly.

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

High School Name: _____ Yrs. Attended: _____

School District: _____

If private, please indicate 'private'.

Home Address: _____ Date of Birth (mm/dd/yy): _____

_____ Gender: Male Female

E-mail Address: _____ Phone: () _____

Name of the university or college you have been accepted to: _____

Date of Acceptance (mm/yy): _____

Father's Nationality: _____ AAEA Member: Yes No

Employer: _____ Occupation: _____

Mother's Nationality: _____ AAEA Member: Yes No

Employer: _____ Occupation: _____

Are you a US citizen? Yes No If not, what is your residency status? _____

What foreign languages do you speak, read, or write? Please indicate your proficiency:

A= Fluent B= Good C= Fair

| LANGUAGES | SPEAK | READ | WRITE |
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1st Recommender's Name: _____

Relationship to the Applicant: _____ Phone: () _____

2nd Recommender's Name: _____

Relationship to the Applicant: _____ Phone: () _____

Award: For the 2011 calendar year, multiple \$1,000 non-renewable/transferrable scholarships will be awarded. Recipients will be notified by August 4, 2011.

1.) Please rank the following categories 1-4 in the order you would like to be evaluated

_____Community Services _____Leadership _____Academic _____Need

2.) Honors, awards, and scholarships received including date:

List the most recent first and attach copies of all applicable certificates and or awards. If you require more space for question 2, you may add a separate page. Please staple to page 3.

1. Achievement : _____

Description: _____

Date Awarded (mm/yy): _____

2. Achievement : _____

Description: _____

Date Awarded (mm/yy): _____

3. Achievement : _____

Description: _____

Date Awarded (mm/yy): _____

4. Achievement : _____

Description: _____

Date Awarded (mm/yy): _____

5. Achievement : _____

Description: _____

Date Awarded (mm/yy): _____

3.) Leadership positions held:

If you require more space for question 3, you may add a separate page. Please staple to page 4.

1. Position: _____

Organization: _____

Duties: _____

Years of Involvement: 8th 9th 10th 11th 12th
 Hours per week: _____
Weeks per year: _____

2. Position: _____

Organization: _____

Duties: _____

Years of Involvement: 8th 9th 10th 11th 12th
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5. Position: _____

Organization: _____

Duties: _____

Years of Involvement: 8th 9th 10th 11th 12th
 Hours per week: _____
Weeks per year: _____

4.) Extracurricular activities, including type and degree of involvement:

If you require more space for question 4, you may add a separate page. Please staple to page 5.

1. Organization: _____

Description of Involvement: _____

Years of Involvement: 8th 9th 10th 11th 12th
 Hours per week: _____
Weeks per year: _____

2. Organization: _____

Description of Involvement: _____

Years of Involvement: 8th 9th 10th 11th 12th
 Hours per week: _____
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3. Organization: _____

Description of Involvement: _____

Years of Involvement: 8th 9th 10th 11th 12th
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4. Organization: _____

Description of Involvement: _____

Years of Involvement: 8th 9th 10th 11th 12th
 Hours per week: _____
Weeks per year: _____

5. Organization: _____

Description of Involvement: _____

Years of Involvement: 8th 9th 10th 11th 12th
 Hours per week: _____
Weeks per year: _____

5.) Community service, including type and degree of involvement:

If you require more space for question 5, you may add a separate page. Please staple to page 6.

1. Organization: _____

Description of Involvement: _____

Years of Involvement: 8th 9th 10th 11th 12th
 Hours per week: _____
Weeks per year: _____

2. Organization: _____

Description of Involvement: _____

Years of Involvement: 8th 9th 10th 11th 12th
 Hours per week: _____
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3. Organization: _____

Description of Involvement: _____

Years of Involvement: 8th 9th 10th 11th 12th
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Description of Involvement: _____

Years of Involvement: 8th 9th 10th 11th 12th
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5. Organization: _____

Description of Involvement: _____

Years of Involvement: 8th 9th 10th 11th 12th
 Hours per week: _____
Weeks per year: _____

6.) Work experience, including internships, summer jobs and work/study programs:

If you require more space for question 6, you may add a separate page. Please staple to page 7.

1. Organization / Employer: _____

Description of Responsibilities: _____

Years of Involvement: 8th 9th 10th 11th 12th

Hours per week: _____

Weeks per year: _____

2. Organization / Employer: _____

Description of Responsibilities: _____

Years of Involvement: 8th 9th 10th 11th 12th

Hours per week: _____

Weeks per year: _____

3. Organization / Employer: _____

Description of Responsibilities: _____

Years of Involvement: 8th 9th 10th 11th 12th

Hours per week: _____

Weeks per year: _____

Applicant's Signature:

Date:
