

# Wisconsin Restaurant Association Education Foundation *Culinary & Hospitality Scholarship*



**NOW OPEN TO FULL & PART-TIME STUDENTS**

**Deadline - 5:00pm, Monday February 13, 2012**

WRA Office - 2801 Fish Hatchery Road, Madison, WI 53713  
**LATE DOCUMENTS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED!**

The Wisconsin Restaurant Association Education Foundation (WRA EF) welcomes your application for a culinary and/or hospitality scholarship. WRA EF Endowed Scholarships will be awarded in the amounts ranging from \$750 - \$2250, and the National Restaurant Association Educational Foundation/Wisconsin Restaurant Association Education Foundation Co-Branded Scholarships will be awarded in the amount of \$2,500 for the upcoming 2012/2013 academic year.

## **Requirements....**

***No Hand Written Applications Will Be Accepted!***

### **To qualify for a scholarship:**

1. Be enrolled full-time or part-time (**minimum 6 credits**)
2. Be enrolled in an accredited culinary or hospitality program or a culinary apprenticeship program for the upcoming academic year. Show proof with an acceptance letter.
3. Be employed by a Wisconsin foodservice establishment at the time of applying.  
The establishment **DOES NOT** have to be a Wisconsin Restaurant Association member.

## **THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS MUST BE FILED:**

1. **Document A** - The student scholarship application.
2. **Document B** - Official Transcripts from your most current year of school **ONLY!**
3. **Document C** - Letter of Recommendation from an employer or foodservice/hospitality instructor.

**IT IS THE APPLICANT'S RESPONSIBILITY TO SEE THAT ALL REQUIRED DOCUMENTS ARE RECEIVED IN THE WRA OFFICE NO LATER THAN 5:00PM, February 13, 2012.**

## **Wisconsin Restaurant Association Education Foundation Endowed Scholarships:**

ACF Chefs of Milwaukee

Aderis DeRosa

Adolf Brettschneider

Al Galiano

Alfred Peck

American Institute of Wine & Food,  
Milwaukee-Wisconsin Chapter

Apitz/Quinnies Family

Bernard & Maureen Schreiner

Chaîne des Rôtisseurs - Ernst Florsheim

Chef Bill Dougherty

Dick Kroening

Fred Boelter

Heinz & Lisette Fischer

Herbert & Nada Mahler

Herman Leis

Kristin Leffel/WRA River Valley Chapter  
Manufacturer's Agents for the Food Service Industry

Culver Family

Miller Brewing Company

Otto & William Brakebush

Ron & Lillian Heuser

Society Insurance

WRA Big Four Chapter

WRA Eastern Shore Chapter

WRA Green Bay Chapter

WRA Madison Chapter

WRA Milwaukee Chapter

WRA South Central Chapter

WRA West Wisconsin Chapter

Winners of scholarships for the 2012/2013 academic year will be announced in April of 2012.

You will receive a letter notifying you of your status. Thank you and good luck!

Document A - Student Application

SECTION I - PERSONAL INFORMATION AND INTERESTS

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial: \_\_\_\_\_

**Address to which you would like mail to be directed during the 2012/13 school year (September - May).**

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security #: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Do you check this email daily? Yes No

I am a current or past ProStart Student: YES NO I have earned or will earn the ProStart National Certificate: YES NO

I presently attend: High School Tech. College College/University Not Attending

Name of Current School: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Fall of 2012, I will be attending (name of school): \_\_\_\_\_ Expected Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

School Address/City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

I will be in my: 1st Year 2nd Year 3rd Year 4th Year

Name of program enrolled in: \_\_\_\_\_ Have you applied for an NRA EF scholarship? \_\_\_\_\_

You will be enrolled Full-Time or Part-Time (Full time = 12 or more credits, Part Time = 6-11 credits)

Number of credits you expect to be enrolled for each semester: \_\_\_\_\_

Restaurant where you are currently employed: \_\_\_\_\_ Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Supervisor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address/City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

My interests/hobbies are: \_\_\_\_\_

The area of foodservice I'm interested in: \_\_\_\_\_

List extracurricular activities which you have been involved in (community/social): \_\_\_\_\_

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**Document A - Student Application**

**SECTION II - ACADEMIC RECORD AND ACHIEVEMENTS.** Use additional pages if necessary.

List any academic or civic honors you have received.

List any offices or leadership positions you have held and the name of the organization.

What do you feel are your strengths and weaknesses?

**SECTION III - FOODSERVICE EMPLOYMENT AND EXPERIENCE**

Foodservice Employment History - List your most recent experience first.

1a.	Business Name	City/State	Dates	Position/Title
	_____	_____	_____	_____

1b. Foodservice duties you performed (BE SPECIFIC): Use additional pages if necessary.

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2a.	Business Name	City/State	Dates	Position/Title
	_____	_____	_____	_____

2b. Foodservice duties you performed (BE SPECIFIC): Use additional pages if necessary.

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**Document A - Student Application**

**SECTION IV - STUDENT THOUGHTS.** Use additional pages if necessary.

1. In your own opinion, what is a major challenge in the foodservice industry today?
2. How would you meet this challenge?
3. Why do you want a career in the foodservice industry?

**SECTION V - ASPIRATIONS.** Use additional pages if necessary.

1. What are your future career goals?
2. How do you intend to reach your goals?
3. Why are you deserving of this scholarship?

**REQUIRED SIGNATURE/ONLINE SUBMISSION**

*By submitting this application, you have agreed to the following:*

To the best of my knowledge, I have provided the WRA Education Foundation with the full information concerning all questions on the application. I agree to report to the WRA Education Foundation any factors which could affect consideration of my application. I understand that failure to provide true and complete information could mean the withdrawal of my scholarship.

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Congratulations! You have completed the first step toward financial reward and industry recognition. Please take a few minutes to increase the likelihood of being selected as an award winner by proofreading your application. The careful completion of your application will reflect your professionalism. We look forward to receiving your application.

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## Document B - Transcripts

**Provide official transcripts from the most current year of school ONLY!**

*If for some reason you transcripts are not available, explain why.*



## Document C - Letter of Recommendation from an employer or foodservice/hospitality instructor.

### Suggested information to include in your recommendation:

- \*-Applicant's name whom you are recommending.
- \*-Your relationship to the applicant
- \*-Your Name
- \*-Restaurant/Company/School Name
- \*-Restaurant/Company/School Address
- \*-Telephone
  - County
- \*-Email Address
  - Employment history
  - Performance
  - Character of employee/student
  - Professionalism/Attendance/Punctuality
  - Special achievements
  
- \*Required

**Mail to: WRA Education Foundation, 2801 Fish Hatchery Road, Madison, WI 53713 Attention: Carrienne Wolfe  
or include with student application.**