Scholarship Program

The New Hampshire Architecture Foundation was established by the New Hampshire Chapter of The American Institute of Architects in 2007 as a grant-making vehicle for programs supporting its mission: to foster understanding of quality in architectural design, construction, and preservation by raising public awareness of and expectations for architecture and the built environment and to encourage individuals to act as advocates for good design in the planning and design processes that shape their communities. Providing scholarship assistance to future design professionals is an important part of the work that supports our mission.

The Foundation and the New Hampshire Chapter of the American Institute of Architects jointly sponsor this scholarship program.

Scholarships of varying amounts may be awarded at the discretion of the Foundation.

ELIGIBILITY
In order to be considered for an AIA|NH Architecture Foundation Scholarship a candidate must:

1) be a New Hampshire resident.
2) be currently enrolled in, or have been accepted to, an undergraduate or graduate professional degree program accredited by the National Architectural Accrediting Board (NAAB), or, attend the Keene State College Architecture Undergraduate Pre-professional program or the NHTI, Concord's Community College Architecture Engineering Technology program.

APPLICATION PROCESS
To apply for a scholarship, submit these materials to our online portal:

https://nhforum.submittable.com/submit

You will need to create an account on Submittable before you can start your submission. You can save your application as a draft while you work on it. We will not see your application until you have submitted it.

1. Application form
2. A one-page letter describing your accomplishments and goals
3. Two letters of reference from teachers, employers, or community members.
4. One of your designs with explanation of your rationale for the design. This should include enough information to give the committee an idea of your work, and include site plans, drawings, sketches, etc. if appropriate. If you worked with others on the project, indicate what parts are your work.
5. Two free-hand sketches.
6. Official transcript from current school or school from which you have just graduated.

DEADLINE for submission: May 15
AIA New Hampshire Architecture Foundation
Scholarship Application

Deadline May 15. Only completed submissions received on time shall be considered. Awards will be distributed in part or whole to each recipient at the discretion of the New Hampshire Architecture Foundation.

Last Name: ___________________________ First: ___________________________ Middle: ___________________________

Current Address: ___________________________ City/ State/ Zip: ___________________________

Email: ___________________________ Phone: ___________________________

Permanent Address: ___________________________ City/ State/ Zip: ___________________________

Name of Parents/Guardians: ___________________________

Address: ___________________________ City/ State/ Zip: ___________________________

Email: ___________________________ Phone: ___________________________

☐ I am currently or have been accepted as a full-time student in a NAAB accredited B-ARCH or M-ARCH (circle one) program. Year in Program, as of April of the current year: ☐ accepted ☐ 1st ☐ 2nd ☐ 3rd ☐ 4th ☐ 5th ☐ Grad. If you checked “accepted,” name of school you will attend in the fall: ________________________________________________

☐ I am currently or have been accepted as a full-time student in:
  ☐ KSC undergraduate Pre-professional architecture program
  ☐ NHTI, Concord’s CC, architecture engineering technology program

Year in Program, as of April of the current year: ☐ accepted ☐ 1st ☐ 2nd ☐ 3rd ☐ 4th ☐ 5th ☐ Grad.

Name of Current School: ___________________________ Dates Attended: ___________________________

Phone Number of Department Office: ___________________________ Projected Date of Graduation: ___________________________

List any academic honors you have received:
  ___________________________

List of extracurricular activities, including clubs and organizations, to which you belong:
  ___________________________

Name(s) and address(es) of firm(s) in the field for whom you have worked:
  ___________________________

Are you presently employed? ☐ If so, give the name and address of employer and a brief description of your duties.
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I verify that the above information is true. I understand that all answers are subject to verification by the New Hampshire Architecture Foundation, and that if any information has been falsified, I shall be disqualified from any further consideration of award. If awarded a scholarship, I agree to submit to the NHAF a one-page summary of how the funds were spent and how the award contributed to my education, if requested.

Signature: ___________________________ Date: ___________________________

You will receive notification of your award via the email address you provide on Submittable.

Note: The Foundation will periodically assess the enrollment and standing of scholarship recipients and take appropriate measures to recover funds if the terms of the award are violated. Members of the selection committee or of the Foundation’s officers, directors, or substantial contributors cannot be eligible for awards made available under the Foundation’s programs.