



## **EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION**

The Professional Women in Building Council is a diverse network of home building industry professionals representing the entire spectrum of work in residential construction. For more than 60 years, members have made meaningful strides to build a more diverse workforce, mentor the next generation of female building professionals, and bring awareness to the important role women serve in the residential construction industry. Members of PWB connect, collaborate and encourage each other through activities that promote, enhance and support home building and women in the industry.

Members of the PWB raise funds throughout the year, and accept donations made by individuals and companies. The amount awarded each year differs for this reason. You may find out more information by calling the Home Builders Association of Greater New Orleans at (504) 837-2700.

Please complete the following pages and return to [info@home-builders.org](mailto:info@home-builders.org) by November 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2022.

### ***Scholarship Eligibility Requirements:***

Each applicant will be required to take part in a 10-20 minute interview conducted by the Scholarship Committee of the PWB. **This scholarship is open to all higher education students - entering college freshman or higher – for the Spring 2022 (no reimbursements).** Only applicants who complete the application in its entirety and meet the eligibility requirements will be eligible for an interview, although not all applicants may be contacted. Interviews may take place via Zoom or in-person, at the discretion of all parties involved.

1. DEADLINE for scholarship applications is **November 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2022.** (no exceptions).
2. Refer to criteria below for eligibility requirements.
3. Refer to application process below for a list of the supporting documents needed (i.e., reference forms, etc.) Incomplete applications will not be considered.
4. If any question does not apply to you in this application, please put N/A in the space.
5. Type or print legibly.

***Purpose:*** To Provide scholarships to three (3) deserving individuals pursuing post-high school course of study in the construction trades at either college/university or other post-secondary educational institution.

**Award Components:** Three (3) \$600 scholarships awarded to three (3) individuals selected by the Home Builders Association of Greater New Orleans Professional Women in Building Council.

**Criteria:**

- Applicant must be a resident of Louisiana
- Applicant must be a **female** student at a university, college, vocational, or technical school within Louisiana
- Applicant must be pursuing a career in a construction trade or related field
- Open to all higher education students - entering college freshman or higher – for the Spring 2022 (no reimbursements).

**Application Process:**

Applicant must submit the following items:

- Official college or high school transcript (latest available)
  - One – Two Minute Video Submission (*Optional*):
    - Explain briefly why we should choose you for this scholarship.
    - Videos should be in MP4 format. Videos larger than 10MB should be shared via cloud (OneDrive/iCloud/etc).
  - Minimum of two letters of recommendation (other than relatives) from the counselor, teacher, school principal, or a businessperson in the Greater New Orleans area
  - Proof of residency (i.e. copy of driver's license, utility bill, etc.)
1. Completed application form (if handwritten, please print legibly)

**Deadline** for the receipt of application *is* **November 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2022.**

Please mail OR submit the application in person or via email to:

**Home Builders Association of Greater New Orleans**

2424 N. Arnoult Rd.

Metairie, LA 70454

OR

Info@home-builders.org

## ***PWB Scholarship Application***

### **Applicant Contact Information**

Name:

Phone:

Email Address:

Permanent Address:

City, State, Zip:

Date of Birth:

### **Academic Information**

Current School Attending:

Address of School:

Projected Graduation Date:

Field of Study:

(note: must be construction-related – i.e. plumbing, electrical technology, construction, carpentry, architecture, interior design, building science, etc.)

GPA:

Present Career Plans:

Please complete the following questions. You may submit extra pages should you need to more space to complete your answers.

1. Why do you feel you are deserving of a scholarship from the PWB?
2. Please list any school, community, church, or industry-related activities in which you have participated in. Awards? Achievements?
3. Is anyone in your family a member of the Home Builders Association of Greater New Orleans? If yes, please list their name(s) and relation to you.
4. If awarded this scholarship, how would the funds help you meet your construction career goal(s)?

**Certification and Authorization**

I hereby certify that the information contained in this application is true and correct. I authorize the scholarship committee to make such investigations of this application as it deems appropriate, to include the contacting of any of the individual or institutions listed in this application. I also give my consent for the transmittal or communication to the scholarship committee by any academic institution that I have attended of grades, class standing, or quality point information.

Signature:

Date: