

Deadline Extended: July 14, 2023

Thank you for your interest in the Louisiana Gas Association (LGA) College Scholarship Program. If you are a LGA Member Representative/Primary Contact, please provide all qualified employees in your office/company with this application. LGA is awarding scholarships to the son, daughter, or legal ward of an employee of an active LGA Member. Over the last 24 years, the LGA has awarded over \$258,000 in scholarships.

The student must be enrolled in a 4-year accredited college or university and be classified as a Junior or Senior. All applicants must have their school forward their transcript directly to the LGA office at the address on the application. Transcripts must include the grades for the spring semester of the current application year. Scholarship rules and requirements are detailed in this application.

It is up to the company representative to collect all completed applications, verify the employee information, sign the application, and forward to the LGA office at the address on the application. All applications and transcripts must be postmarked no later than **July 14th**, so please forward this information to your employees as soon as possible. If you have any questions, please contact the LGA office.

#### **LGA Office**

Regular Mail: PO Box 866 Baton Rouge, LA 70821 Courier Service: 620 Florida St, Suite 110 Baton Rouge, LA 70801

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#### General Info

The Scholarship Fund awards approximately ten annual scholarships in the amount of \$1,000 each. This amount is subject to be adjusted annually by the LGA Board of Directors. Individual scholarship amount or number of scholarships may vary from year to year. Awards are made by the consensus of the Scholarship Committee.

### **Eligibility Requirements**

Applicant must be the son, daughter, legal ward, or dependent of an employee of the following:

- 1. An LGA member company that has been active for at least one full calendar year before the date of the scholarship application deadline;
  - a. An active LGA member company that provides multiple utilities, products and services are eligible only if their job functions are primarily (50% or greater) with the natural gas transmission or distribution industry.
  - b. An active LGA member company must primarily (50% or greater) work in Louisiana.
  - c. A current or past LGA Board Member of an active LGA member company, regardless if their primary work is in Louisiana.



- 2. Employee form must be completed by the employee and signed by the company's primary representative and mailed with the application. If the form does not accompany the application or the company's primary representative does not sign it, the application will be considered incomplete and will not be considered.
- 3. The LGA member company is considered active and eligible to participate if an employee of the member company has attended the LGA Annual Operations Conference or one of the LGA Educational Seminars during the previous calendar year.
- 4. Applicants will be considered without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, handicap, or veteran status.
- 5. Prior LGA scholarship recipients are not eligible for future scholarship awards.
- 6. Individual or Special Members and their employees are NOT eligible.

#### Eligibility Criteria

- 1. Applicant must be a current full-time student attending an accredited 4-year college or university or a combination of a 4 year program at a college or university and specialty school (ie. Nursing school).
- 2. Must be at least a Junior and have successfully completed 60 hours.
- 3. Maximum of 25-year-old (before deadline for application).
- 4. Applicant must be enrolled at the time when submitting the application.
- 5. There must be evidence of a well-rounded person, as reflected in extracurricular activities, outside interests, hobbies, club memberships, public service activities, etc.

Applicant's complete application, co. rep form, 2 letters of recommendation, brief essay, and transcript must be postmarked no later than July 14th. Send complete application packets to:

US Postal Service/Regular Mail

LGA Scholarship Selection Committee PO Box 866 Baton Rouge, LA 70821 Courier Service

LGA Scholarship Selection Committee 620 Florida St, Suite 110 Baton Rouge, LA 70801

#### A complete application must contain:

- Completed Application Form (2 pages). An incomplete application will not be considered.
- Completed Company Representation Form.
- o Two Letters of Recommendation.
- Brief Essay.
- Official School Transcript. Must include grades from the spring semester of the current year.

All materials must be submitted to LGA by July 14th to be eligible for consideration!



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Submit to LGA by July 14th | PO Box 866, Baton Rouge, LA 70821

APPLICANT INFO				
First Name	Middle Name		Last Name	
Mailing Address				
City	 State	ZIP	Cell Phone	e #
Email Address		Date of Birth		Age
APPLICANT EDUCATION INFO – HI	GH SCHOOL			
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High School Name			Graduation Year	
Scholastic Honors:				
Club/Org Memberships & Offices Held:				
Other School Extracurricular Activities:				
APPLICANT EDUCATION INFO – CO	DLLEGE			
College		Classification		Major
Scholastic Honors:				•
Club/Org Memberships & Offices Held:				
Other School Extracurricular Activities:				
Scholarships/grants previously received &	their respective value			
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APPLICANT NON-SCHOOL RELATED ACTIVITIES			
Employment:			
Church/Religious Activities:			
Youth Organizations:			
Hobbies, Leisure Pursuits, etc.:			
QUALIFING PARENT INFO			
Parent's First Name Parent's Last Name			
Parent's Company			
ADDITIONAL INFO			
1. Provide 2 (two) letters of recommendation.			
<ul> <li>The first letter should be from the attending educational institution, such as an instructor, professor, or Dean of College.</li> </ul>			
b. The second letter shall be a personal reference from a professional associate or family/friend.			
<ol> <li>Please provide a brief essay on what you hope to gain from a college education and what your general life goals are.</li> <li>See the checklist on the Scholarship Application Info to ensure you include all necessary materials, which need to be</li> </ol>			
postmarked to the LGA office by July 14, 2023.			
APPLICANT AFFIRMATION			
If selected for a scholarship award, I agree to use the cash received to attend a college or university. If my award cannot be used for that purpose, I will notify the Scholarship Committee immediately. If I drop out of college during the first semester of the award or between the first and second semesters, I agree to notify the Scholarship Committee immediately.			
Applicant Signature Date			



# LGA SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION | COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE FORM

TO BE COMPLETED BY LGA MEMBER COMPANY REPRES	ENTATIVE/PRIMARY CONTACT ONLY
Member Company Name	Member Company Representative Name
Signature of Member Company Representative Affirming a Complete	& Correct Application
Membership Category (Select One): ☐ Gas Transmission ☐ Ga	as Distribution □ Associate □ Master Meter
Does the Member Company employee primarily work in LA? ☐ Yes	s 🗆 No 🗆 N/A
IF NO: If a Board Member not primarily working in Louisiana, is he $\hfill\Box$ Yes $\hfill\Box$ No	
Complete the section below that matches your Membership Category	r.
GAS TRANSMISSION, GAS DISTRIBUTION & ASSOCIATE	LGA MEMBER EMPLOYEE INFO
Name of Employee	
Job Title	Department
Has any member of the Member Company participated in the last LG. 12 months? ☐ Yes ☐ No	A Convention(s) or one of LGA's Educational Seminars in the last
If yes, please provide the name of the attendee & event attended:	
Attendee's Name	Event Attended
MASTER METER LGA MEMBER EMPLOYEE INFO	
Name of Employee	
lab Tible	Employee is a: □ Plumber □ Gas Fitter □ Other
Job Title	
Provide Job Description for the Employee:	
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