



2022 CHICAGO TAPPI CONTINUING EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP

Overview:

We are giving **two \$2000** scholarships for full time or part time workers in the corrugated industry for continuing education who are attending day/night school for an undergraduate degree, technical or trade school. The degree or classes must be intended to further expertise in the corrugated industry.

Objective:

To financially assist employees with their continuing education in the corrugated industry.

Eligibility:

Scholarship Candidate must be:

- No specific grade point average is required
- Working full time or part time in the corrugated industry and attending day/night school for a graduate or undergraduate degree OR be a full-time student in a two-year college or a four-year university or technical school.
- Demonstrate an interest in the corrugated packaging industry (part time employment or internships in the corrugated industry are looked upon in a very favorable manner).
- Selection of the scholarship winner will be based on the scholarship committee's opinion of overall scholarship, maturity, job potential and the candidates' current and future contribution to the corrugated container industry.

Entry Requirements:

The following is required of each applicant:

- An official completed application form
- A minimum of two (2) letters of recommendation. One letter must be from the candidate's direct employer and the other from a non-related adult.
- An official transcript of the applicant's high school/college record

Awards:

The scholarship consists two one-time \$2000 awards, which must be used to pay for the candidate's education expenses. The scholarship will be forfeited and must be repaid to Chicago TAPPI if the award is not directly used to pay education expenses.

Application Forms:

Forms are available through Chicago TAPPI via mail or the organization web site: www.tappi.org/chicagotappi

All applications and additional information **must be received on or before Saturday, October 1st, 2022.**

Applications and related material cannot be returned. All applications should be mailed to:

Chicago TAPPI Scholarship

Mr. Keith Carman

Scholarship Chairman

710 Kimberly Drive

Carol Stream, IL 60188 or keith@standfastgroup.com

Judging:

Chicago TAPPI has the sole authority in the granting of this scholarship. The applicants are selected on scholastic achievement, recommendations, extracurricular activities, community leadership, financial need and a demonstrated interest in a productive professional career. All applicants may be subject to personal interviews by Chicago TAPPI officials. All selections will be considered final. All applications and attachments become the property of Chicago TAPPI. All reasonable efforts will be made to keep applicant information confidential.

Chicago TAPPI Member in Good Standing:

The candidate must be sponsored by a TAPPI member or a person in a company that has a supervisor or current member of Chicago TAPPI who attended at least one (1) meeting or Chicago TAPPI sponsored function within the last twelve (12) months and has no outstanding debt or obligations owed to Chicago TAPPI.

Questions:

Please address all questions to Keith Carman, Scholarship Chairman, Chicago TAPPI Scholarship Committee at **847 809-2736** or by email at keith@standfastgroup.com



Chicago TAPPI Scholarship
- Application Form -
(may complete using MS Word, typed or written)

I. Personal:

A. Name:

B. Home address:

C. Name of trade school, junior college, college or university candidate plans to attend:

D. Home telephone:

E. Email address

F. Date of birth:

G. Chicago TAPPI Member recommending candidate:

H. Chicago TAPPI Member -Address:

II. Scholastic Information:

A. High school, trade school, junior college, college or university history if any:

B. Plan for education and how it relates to current position or corrugated industry:

III. Employment History

List employment including duties and responsibilities, and number of hours per week (begin with most recent):

A. Company Name:

- From to (mm/dd/yy)

- Address:

- Supervisor name and title:

- Hours per week:

- Duties

B. Company Name:

- From to (mm/dd/yy)

- Address:

- Supervisor name and title:

- Your duties:

- Hours per week:

C. Company Name:

- From to (mm/dd/yy)

- Address:

- Supervisor name and title:

- Your duties:

- Hours per week:

IV. Names of persons submitting recommendations and relationship to candidate:

A.

Name:

Address:

Phone number:

Relationship to candidate: direct supervisor TAPPI member other:

B.

Name:

Address:

Phone number:

Relationship to candidate: direct supervisor TAPPI member other:

C.

Name:

Address:

Phone number:

Relationship to candidate: direct supervisor TAPPI member other:

IV. Additional Information

A. *What difference would winning this scholarship make in your life (150 words or less)?*

B. *Summarize your long term career objective.*

C. *What one adjective have others used to describe you, and why?*

D. *What do you perceive as one of your strongest attributes?*

I agree that this application and all attachments may be used for the purpose of evaluation and selection by Chicago TAPPI and/or representatives designated by the Chicago TAPPI's Board of Directors. I also state that all information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand false information is cause for disqualification.

Signed _____ Dated _____

Mail to:

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