



Georgia Business Aviation Association & Foundation

2016 SCHOLARSHIP OFFERINGS FOR GEORGIA HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

Scholarship Awards, Up To \$5,000 Each
To Individuals Pursuing an Education As A Professional Pilot

Scholarship Awards, Up To \$2,000 Each
*To Individuals Pursuing an Education In Aviation Maintenance Technology,
Aviation Operations, Aviation Management, Aeronautical Engineering,
And Other Aviation-Related Disciplines*

All applicants must:

- (a) be a Georgia high school graduate, or have a GED equivalent from an accredited Georgia school
- (b) be enrolled as a full-time student or be accepted as a full-time student into an accredited / FAA approved college program pursuing an aviation-related certificate or undergraduate or graduate degree in the fields of flight technology, aviation maintenance technology, aviation operations, aviation management, or aeronautical engineering (applicants in other aviation disciplines will be considered)
- (c) have a cumulative GPA of 3.00 or better (college / high school, as applicable)
- (d) submit (i) a completed GBAA 2016 Scholarship Application (application can be uploaded at www.gbaa.org), or postmarked no later than March 1, 2016, (ii) high school transcript (and college transcript if already enrolled), (iii) 500-1000 word essay discussing how the GBAA Scholarship will impact the pursuit of their career goals (including the aviation discipline they are focusing on and whether or not they plan to return to Georgia to pursue those goals); and (iv) one (1) letter of recommendation from a school official or other advisor / mentor of the applicant.

The application deadline is March 1, 2016. Scholarship recipients will be notified by April 15, 2016 and are invited as guests of the GBAA to attend the scholarship awards banquet with their parents. Upon receiving a scholarship award, recipients must provide the GBAA with proof of Georgia high school graduation and proof of college / FAA accredited school enrollment. Scholarship checks are then made payable to the college, for the students' educational use within the 2016-2017 academic year. Scholarship recipients that transfer to another accredited school, staying in the same academic discipline, may apply to the GBAA to retain their scholarship award. Otherwise, unused funds must be returned to the GBAA. Former GBAA scholarship recipients are eligible to reapply.