



CALIFORNIA  
HOMEBUILDING  
FOUNDATION

# 2025 HALL OF FAME SCHOLARSHIP AWARD APPLICATION PACKET

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## ABOUT THE CALIFORNIA HOMEBUILDING FOUNDATION

Our mission is to strengthen California's homebuilding industry by offering scholarships, publishing groundbreaking research, and delivering construction education programs in California high schools.

[www.myCHF.org](http://www.myCHF.org)



## APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

### ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

1. The applicant must be enrolled in an approved institution of higher education, current status freshman, sophomore or junior, obtaining their Bachelor's or Master's degree. (Scholarship funds may be used for tuition, fees, books, materials, housing and other unmet student needs.)
2. The applicant must be enrolled in a building industry-related curriculum.
3. The applicant has achieved a GPA of 3.0 or higher.
4. The applicant must be a California resident with an objective of a future career within the **California** homebuilding industry.
5. Hall of Fame scholarships are awarded in person at the California Homebuilding Foundation's Hall of Fame awards dinner on June 10, 2025, at The Westin Anaheim Resort, Anaheim, CA. **Attendance is mandatory.** Hall of Fame is the homebuilding industry's most iconic celebration. Scholarship recipients are permitted to bring one (1) guest.

### SELECTION CRITERIA

Applicants are evaluated on the following criteria:

1. Financial need
2. Career goals
3. Academic achievement
4. Extracurricular activities
5. Work experience, including internships
6. Recommendations

### OBLIGATION OF THE SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT

1. To enroll and maintain a satisfactory GPA of 3.0 or higher at an approved college or university during the academic year in which they received this scholarship.
2. To pursue a course of study that will qualify the applicant for a professional career in the **California** homebuilding industry.
3. To conduct oneself in a manner that exemplifies good character.
4. To report to the California Homebuilding Foundation annually of academic progress or employment status upon graduation by responding to any administered surveys or requests for interviews or testimonials.

### APPLICATION PROCESS *(All items must be included with application submission)*

1. Complete and return the attached application.
2. Applicant must submit a brief statement about themselves, including their educational and career intentions.
3. Applicant must submit two letters of recommendation from adults: one teacher or professor within the last two years and an adult from work-related experience (other than a relative) who can offer professional references for the applicant.
4. Applicant's college transcript must accompany application.
5. Applications must include a suitable self-portrait in a JPG or TIFF format at 300 DPI resolution or above.  
**Submit photo as a separate attachment.**

### AWARD INFORMATION

1. Students can expect to receive \$5,000 to \$10,000 per award.
2. Applications will be reviewed and finalists selected by the California Homebuilding Foundation Scholarship Committee.
3. Scholarship checks are payable to recipients college and mailed directly to the institution unless otherwise specified.

**COMPLETED APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY APRIL 30, 2025.**

***Applications received after the deadline will not be considered.***



## SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

### APPLICANT INFORMATION *(Please print or type. Attach additional sheets if needed.)*

|                        |                             |                      |
|------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| NAME                   |                             |                      |
| ADDRESS                |                             |                      |
| CITY                   | STATE                       | ZIP                  |
| EMAIL                  | PHONE                       | BEST TIME TO CONTACT |
| CURRENT YEAR IN SCHOOL | EXPECTED YEAR OF GRADUATION |                      |

■ What college or university, including department, are you currently attending?

■ What is your degree major?

■ What is your future career area of interest?

■ Where do you plan to live and work after finishing your education?

■ List all colleges, universities and trade schools to which you have been accepted or which you have attended.

**NOTE:** Save your scholarship application to your desktop before completing.

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## SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION (CONTINUED)

- List all scholarships and grants you have received and those you are in the process of receiving, including the dates received.

- What career, technical and honors classes have you completed?

- List any clubs, organizations and or offices you have held:

- List any school or community areas of leadership.

- What school, community, athletic honors or awards have you received?

- List work experience-including internships:

- What hobbies and personal interests do you enjoy?

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## SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION (CONTINUED)

- Describe any special circumstance of financial need you feel the committee should consider.

- Please attach two character reference letters to your submitted application, including your name, address, telephone number, and email address. One reference must be from an instructor within the last two years, and the other must be from an adult (who is not a relative or school personnel).

- Please attach a brief statement about yourself, including your educational and career goals, to your application.

### APPLICANT AUTHORIZATION AND RELEASE OF INFORMATION

- I certify that all information provided to the California Homebuilding Foundation Scholarship Committee is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.
- I certify that I meet all eligibility requirements as specified in this application, including financial need.
- I hereby authorize the California Homebuilding Foundation to verify correctness of enclosed statements for the purpose of evaluating my application.
- I hereby authorize the California Homebuilding Foundation to utilize information about and from my application for public relations purposes, publicity, or other scholarship opportunities.
- California Homebuilding Foundation reserves the right to use any photos, recordings, electronic images or publicity materials received by or obtained in the course of the scholarship process and Hall of Fame event for future use without compensation to the scholarship recipient.

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| APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE | DATE OF SUBMISSION |
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**SUBMIT COMPLETED APPLICATION VIA EMAIL TO:** [tbrunson@mychf.org](mailto:tbrunson@mychf.org)

**QUESTIONS:** Please contact Jill Herman or Chloe Harris at the California Homebuilding Foundation by calling (916) 340-3340.

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### APPLICATION CHECKLIST

- Completed Application
- Personal Statement
- Two Letters of Recommendation
- Transcript of College or University grades (unofficial is acceptable)
- Proof of building industry-related curriculum
- Suitable self-portrait in JPG or TIFF format at 300 DPI resolution or above.

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