

FAST FORWARD FUTURES, INC.

Helping Culinary, Hospitality, and Enology Students Through Educational Support

2020 Scholarship Application

We are Fast Forward Futures, Inc, a national nonprofit organization that awards scholarships for the pursuit of culinary arts, hospitality and enology/viticulture in full or part-time accredited continuing education programs. *The scholarships typically range from \$500 to \$5,000 and the funds do not need to be repaid.* All schools must be accredited, and offer continuous relevant hands-on, in-person experience. As the money for the scholarships is raised by the San Diego Bay Wine + Food Festival, *they are only awarded to people who are connected to San Diego by school, work, or recent involvement in food or wine or hotel management in the area. The scholarship money may be used for study within or outside of San Diego County.*

Applications will be accepted until Tuesday, October 15, 2019. The funds will be sent to the schools on or around February 2020 (or an appropriate time for use in 2020).

The scholarship award is not transferable without the prior written permission of the Scholarship Committee, and permission may be denied at the sole discretion of the Committee. Fast Forward Futures expects feedback from scholarship winners about their achievements, experiences and future goals before graduation, and again, six (6) months after the end of your studies.

The scholarship funds will be sent directly to the school the successful applicant will be attending. All applicants are responsible for supplying their contact information at the time they submit the application, and again, after they start school, including addresses, home and cell phone numbers and email addresses.

Successful applicants are **also required to supply the name of the school along with the name, title, and mailing address of the person at the school to whom a check will be sent, for applications that are successful.** All contact information must be supplied to Fast Forward Futures no later than January 17, 2020. If this is not done, there will be a reduction in the scholarship award unless the Scholarship Committee has accepted extenuating circumstances.

*This application must be accurately and completely filled out, along with **the statement, resume, and letters of recommendation** in order to be considered. Should false information be provided as a part of the application process, Fast Forward Futures has the right to terminate any scholarship awarded or request the repayment of the scholarship, so make sure that all information provided is accurately stated. All scholarship recipients, by signing the Application, acknowledge the accuracy of the information stated and agree that their name and photos of him or her may be used for the benefit of Fast Forward Futures and its scholarship program.*

Please complete this application and attach a brief statement (250 words maximum) explaining why you are an appropriate candidate for this scholarship, as well as letters of recommendation from your teachers and/or mentor. Additionally, please include a summary of your academic and work history, focusing on your experiences that relate to a career involving food and wine or hotel management.

The deadline for accepting applications is October 15, 2019. Please complete and return the required information to Ken Loyst, c/o Fast Forward Futures Scholarship, 1399 N. Cuyamaca St., El Cajon, CA 92020. You will be notified if an interview or a follow-up interview is requested. If so, your being interviewed may be a requirement for determining whether a scholarship will be awarded to you.

Name: _____ Male Female Age: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____

Are you currently in school? _____ Yes _____ No

If yes, what school are you attending: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

Name of Advisor/Professor: _____

ALL APPLICANTS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR SUPPLYING THEIR CONTACT INFORMATION AT THE TIME THEY SUBMIT THE APPLICATION, AND AGAIN, AFTER THEY START SCHOOL, INCLUDING ADDRESSES, HOME AND CELL PHONE NUMBERS, AND E-MAIL ADDRESSES IN ORDER FOR AIWF TO RESPOND TO YOUR APPLICATION. SUCCESSFUL APPLICANTS ARE ALSO REQUIRED TO SUPPLY THE NAME OF THE SCHOOL ALONG WITH THE NAME, TITLE, AND MAILING ADDRESS OF THE PERSON AT THE SCHOOL TO WHOM A CHECK WILL BE SENT BY JANUARY 17, 2020.

When will you be graduating? _____

Name of school/college where you plan to further your education and apply this scholarship

Address: _____ Phone: _____

What is your current G.P.A.? Have you received any awards or honors?

What subject/field do you plan to major in? _____

If currently employed:

Where: _____

Job Title: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Supervisor: _____

Although this scholarship is primarily based on merit, we also consider need. If there are any factors that would affect your ability to pay for your training, please explain:

Describe the program and what costs that you are asking the scholarship to fund.

Do you or any members of your family have any affiliation with The Fast Forward Futures? If so, please describe:

_____/_____
Signature of Applicant/Date

If you are under 18 years of age, please complete the section below and have your parent/guardian sign.

Parents' Confidential Information:

Father's Name: _____ Mother's Name: _____

Home Address: _____ Home Address: _____

Day Phone: _____ Day Phone: _____

Evening Phone: _____ Evening Phone: _____

_____/_____
Signature of Applicant/Date

_____/_____
Signature of Parent/Guardian/Date

Please attach the following to this application:

Candidate Resume _____

Candidate Statement _____

Letters of Recommendation _____