

2013 GEORGE C. SPRINGER SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The George C Springer Scholarship is reserved for AFT Connecticut **members**. Candidates are selected based on academic promise and financial need, among other criteria. The applicant must be an *AFT Connecticut* member in good standing.

Applicant Name _____

Local Name and Number: _____

How long have you been a member? _____

Verification of Membership *(form must be signed by an officer of the AFT Connecticut local)*

Local Official Signature _____

Local Official Title _____

Applications **postmarked no later than April 1, 2013** should be completed and returned to: **AFT CONNECTICUT - SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM, 35 Marshall Road, Rocky Hill, Connecticut 06067**

All information requested must be provided, **including financial statements that verify income**. Most recent grade transcripts (or a statement from the applicant to the Scholarship Committee indicating applicant's inability to obtain them) must be included. (Separate sheets may be attached if necessary.) Incomplete applications will be returned and applicant is responsible for corrected return prior to the deadline.

BEFORE MAILING YOUR APPLICATION

- Check to make sure the application is completely filled out.
- Be sure to have membership verified by a local official.
- Sign the form certifying information provided is true and correct.
- Be sure to enclose copies of 1040 forms to verify household income. (Completed FAFSA forms will be considered in addition to **not in lieu of** 1040 forms.)
- Be sure to include recommendation letters and Personal Statement. (or any other information you believe will assist the committee's deliberations.)

AFT Connecticut Scholarship -- APPLICANT DATA (please print)

(For AFT Connecticut Members)

Last/First/MI _____

Street Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Telephone _____ Email _____

Male

Female

Current Employment: _____

SECONDARY SCHOOL Attended: _____ Location _____ Year of high school graduation _____

LIST ALL COLLEGES WHICH YOU HAVE ATTENDED:

SCHOOL	Tuition	ESTIMATED EXPENSES	
		Books &Supplies	Other

AREA OF STUDY YOU PLAN TO SPECIALIZE IN COLLEGE: _____

From what other sources do you expect financial help? How much? _____

ACTIVITIES

Please list/explain /community/volunteer/union activities:

HONORS AND AWARDS

(Designate each honor/award and year it was earned.)

PERSONAL STATEMENT

On a separate sheet of paper write an essay of no more than 350 words answering the following question: **Explain the most important issue your field is facing today and describe how a labor union has helped, or can help with a resolution.**

Please attach two letters of **recommendation**.

(Feel free to attach additional pages if more space is necessary)

I hereby certify that all information provided in this application is true and correct.

Signature of Applicant

Date

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