

## Women in Aviation, International

# 2010 SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarship awards are a major benefit of membership in Women in Aviation, International. There is an award for nearly everyone here, from the college student to the woman returning to the workforce, from teachers to air racers, managers and dispatchers to pilots, engineers, technicians and mechanics.

We could not bring these scholarships to you without the assistance of our generous sponsors and corporate members, so please remember as you fill out your applications that these companies and individuals are the reasons why we can offer these incredible opportunities. If you are an employee or director of one of these companies or an individual benefactor, please accept our gratitude. We know you are a big part of what makes Women in Aviation, International work.

You must be a member of Women in Aviation, International to apply for these scholarships. You can join online at [www.wai.org](http://www.wai.org), or by filling out the membership form on page 29 of this magazine and mailing it in. It will be the best \$39 (only \$29 for students) that you'll spend this year.

## Dispatcher Scholarships

### **Airline Ground Schools, Inc.**

Airline Ground Schools (AGS) will award one dispatcher training award leading to an FAA Aircraft Dispatcher certificate. Applicants must be at least 21 years of age. AGS offers two options: a 13 weekend course in Florence, Kentucky (near Cincinnati); and a Distance Learning Course with a six-day residency. No previous aviation experience required. (Scholarship value \$3,000)

### **Airline Dispatcher's Federation Scholarships**

The Airline Dispatcher's Federation will award at least one dispatcher training award, donated by ADF Scholastic Partners, which can lead to an FAA Certified Aircraft Dispatcher License. Applicants must be 21 years of age to begin a training course and, upon successful completion of the training, may be hired as a Dispatcher's Assistant until legally able to exercise Joint Operational Control (as per Federal Aviation Regulations) as an aircraft dispatcher with any U.S. FAR 121 Domestic/Flag Carrier at age 23. Previous aviation experience may be applied, but is not required. (Scholarship value varies)

## Engineering Scholarships

### **Delta Air Lines Engineering Scholarship**

Delta Air Lines will award a \$5,000 scholarship to a student currently enrolled in a Baccalaureate degree in Aerospace/Aeronautical, Electrical, or Mechanical Engineering. In addition to the \$5,000 scholarship, the recipient will receive a trip to the 21st Annual International Women in Aviation Conference (includes roundtrip airfare, hotel accommodations and Conference fee). Applicants must be full-time students at the junior or senior level with a minimum of two semesters (as of March 2010), with a cumulative GPA of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale) or better. Applicants must be U.S. citizens or eligible non-citizens.

IN ADDITION to all WAI requirements you must also include a detailed essay (500-1,000 words), double spaced, type written which addresses the following topics:

1. Who or What inspired you to pursue a career in Aerospace/Aeronautical, Electrical, or Mechanical Engineering?
2. What is or has been your greatest life challenge, and how has it enriched your and/or someone else's life?
3. If someone else were to describe your greatest strength, what would it be and why, and what do you consider to be your strongest characteristic and why?
4. What has been your most memorable academic experience and how did you handle this situation?
5. Why are you the most qualified candidate for the Delta Air Lines Engineering Scholarship?

(Scholarship value \$5,000; Estimated total value \$6,000)

### **WAI Connecticut Chapter Engineering Scholarship**

The scholarship will be awarded to a woman who wishes to pursue a career in the aerospace industry in the field of Engineering. Preference will be given to Connecticut residents, but all applicants will be considered based upon character, need, and accomplishments and the award must be used for educational purposes at an accredited college or university.

#### **Requirements:**

- Meet all WAI scholarship requirements
- Full-time student with a GPA of 3.0 or above (on a 4.0 scale)
- Be enrolled in an accredited engineering program

#### **Limitations are:**

- Scholarship funds must be used within one year of receipt
- Scholarship funds must be used for tuition or books (Scholarship value \$500)

## Flight Scholarships

### **Airbus A320 Type Rating Certificate Scholarships (2)**

Applicants for the Airbus A320 type rating scholarships must hold a bachelor's degree, commercial pilot certificate, instrument rating, certified flight instructor certificate and multi-engine rating. Preference will be given to those candidates who are graduates of Spectrum-type programs, featuring technical flight management systems and glass cockpit training. (Scholarship value \$31,000 each. Total value \$62,000)

### **Delta Air Lines Boeing B737-800 Type Rating Certificate Scholarships (2)**

Delta Air Lines will award two B737-800 Type Rating Certificates to qualified recipients who are currently enrolled or have a Baccalaureate Degree. Candidates must have a minimum GPA of 2.5 (on a 4.0 scale) and have leadership potential. All training will be approximately six concurrent weeks and conducted in Atlanta, Georgia. Lodging accommodations and roundtrip airfare will be provided during training (meals not included). In addition to the B737-800 Type Certificate, each recipient will receive a trip to the 21st Annual International Women in Aviation Conference (including roundtrip airfare, hotel accommodations and Conference fee).

Résumé must include the following: all schools attended, including high school with city and state for each school, GPA, dates attended for college and all degrees. If applicable, all military history, including all occupations, ranks, education, and dates must be included. Candidates should list academic honors, scholarships, awards, and special achievements.

Minimum qualifications include the following: commercial, instrument, and multiengine land certificates, a minimum of 1,000 hours total time, and a current first class FAA medical certificate. Candidates must include a copy of their automobile driver's license, current passport, and list any moving violations, dates, locations and associated details for the last seven years. Candidates must include a statement of conviction (any type of violation of the law, moving or not) with complete dates and locations. Candidates should provide details pertinent to any letters from the FAA regarding any aircraft incidents or accidents, and a complete list of all FAA check ride failures. (Scholarship value \$35,000 each. Total value \$70,000)

### **Delta Connection Academy Scholarship**

Delta Connection Academy is happy to provide one WAI recipient a \$5,000 scholarship to Delta Connection Academy. The Student/Applicant must hold at least a 3.0 GPA (on a 4.0 scale) (*please submit official copies of all high school and college transcripts*), meet criteria for acceptance into Delta Connection Academy prior to being awarded scholarship and submit a one-page essay covering the following topics

1. Why do I deserve this scholarship?
2. What contributions do I feel I will make to the future of aviation?
3. What will I do to ensure my success in the Delta Connection Academy?

Delta Connection Academy is a wholly owned subsidiary of Delta Air Lines (NYSE:DAL) with a fleet of more than 110 aircraft. Delta Connection Academy has trained students from 86 different countries and has placed pilots with 26 airlines. For more information visit Delta Connection Academy online at [DeltaConnectionAcademy.com](http://DeltaConnectionAcademy.com) or call 1-800-U-CAN-FLY. For more on Delta Air Lines please visit [Delta.com](http://Delta.com). (Scholarship value \$5,000)

### **ExpressJet Airlines, DBA Continental Express, Regional Jet Transition Course**

ExpressJet Airlines is offering two scholarships to participate in the initial ground school instruction on the Embraer 145 with a FTD session and CRM course; the first step on your path to becoming a First Officer. The Regional Jet Transition Course offers 10 days of systems training in a classroom setting located in Houston, Texas. You will have the opportunity to take the FAA required Ground School Examination and observe what you have learned during multiple sessions in our on-site FTD's. Our CRM course will give you the insight to decisions and situations ExpressJet pilots face on a daily basis.

#### **Minimum Hours:**

- 250 hours TT
- 100 hours ME

Preference will be given to those candidates who actively participate in WAI. The participation should be one focus of the required essay. (Scholarship value TBD)

### **From Rose to Rise Scholarship**

This scholarship will be given to someone who has soloed and is working toward a private pilot certificate, and shows a well-rounded aviation interest besides piloting, such as active participation in aviation groups, and demonstrated interest/participation in aviation history, promotion, and/or education. Preference will be given to female applicants over the age of 30. The scholarship must be used within one year and will be paid directly to a flight school for the recipient. Include in your essay an explanation of the depth of aviation interest/participation and why the scholarship would be beneficial to you. (Scholarship value \$500)

### **The Keep Flying Scholarship 2010**

The Keep Flying Scholarship was created after 9/11 to offer an intermediate level flight scholarship. Sponsors Deborah Hecker, Evelyne Tinkl and Janet Patton are offering one \$3,000 scholarship to an individual working on an instrument or multiengine rating, commercial or CFI rating certificate. Payments will be made directly to your flight school. Flight training must be completed within one year. Finalists are interviewed at the annual Women in Aviation Conference. Minimum requirements: private pilot certificate, 100 hours of flight time, copy of current written test (passing grade required) only for the certificate/rating sought. In your essay tell how the funds will be used, your goals and other information you feel is relevant. One letter of recommendation must be from a pilot with whom you have flown. (Scholarship value \$3,000)

### **Ride The Sun Scholarship**

Looking for assistance to extend your horizons and increase your aviation skills? Use this \$500 monetary award to help defer the costs for out-of-the-ordinary flight education.

Apply it toward:

- Air Racing expenses
- Training: Aerobatic, Formation Flight, Mountain, Soaring, Ballooning

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- Special volunteer flights
- Record setting (NAA) flights
- International competitions and more...

*Note: Cannot be applied toward Private, Instrument, Commercial, CFI, CFII, or ATP. (Scholarship value \$500)*

### **Sporty's Foundation Flight Training Scholarships (2)**

Sporty's Foundation is offering two Recreational Pilot Flight Training Scholarships for small aircraft maintenance technicians. The award money is not intended for use in achieving instrument rating, commercial, multiengine, instructor certificate or any other endorsements. Award money is to be used for flight training costs only. Award recipient must plan to pursue a Recreational Pilot certificate within six months of receiving the scholarship. Award money will be sent to flight trainer and award recipient and will require two endorsements for deposit. Award recipients will also receive a copy of Sporty's Complete Recreational Pilot Flight Training Course on interactive DVD. (Scholarship value \$5,000)

### **Women Military Aviators – Dream of Flight Scholarship 2010**

Women Military Aviators (WMA) seeks to preserve, for history, the important role women have played in creating and supporting the American Spirit through their contributions to flight, aeronautics and space. WMA is an elite group of women who have changed and continue to change the way the world works and who put their lives on the line in defense of their country and for the love of aviation. WMA is committed to passing this legacy from one generation of women to another and has established an annual scholarship program in support of this commitment. Advocating the love of aviation, WMA offers an annual scholarship to advance a young woman in her pursuit of flight ratings at an accredited institution or FAA part 141 approved flight school. For 30 years this scholarship has been given to candidates so that they may pursue opportunities in aviation and so they can support the advancement of women in civilian and military aviation.

The selection criteria include the applicant's ambition to advance women in aviation, demonstrated persistence and determination; financial need; ability to complete training; and ability to bring honor to the women of WMA. All criteria should be addressed by the applicants in their application in addition to identifying their interest in military aviation. Applicants must be able to complete training within one year of the award; be enrolled in high school, an accredited flight program, or an accredited college or university. In addition, applicants should identify the school, college or university in which enrolled and identify the part 141 school where training will be completed. The 2010 Award will be given in honor of the women aviators who have served or are serving in Iraq and Afghanistan. (Scholarship value \$2,500)

### **NEW FOR 2010**

#### **Dare to Dream Scholarship**

The sponsor of this scholarship would like to make a differ-

ence in the life of one deserving person who is pursuing her dream in the world of aviation. A \$3,000 scholarship will be awarded to an individual working toward an instrument or multi-engine rating, commercial or CFI certificate. Funds will be paid directly to your flight school and training must be completed within one year. The recipient will be chosen on a basis of merit, career aspirations and dedication, as well as contributions to her community. One letter of recommendation must be from a pilot who has flown with you. (Scholarship value \$3,000)

## General Scholarships

### **NEW FOR 2010**

#### **Desert Jet Corporate Aviation Management Scholarship**

Desert Jet, an aircraft charter and management company based in the Palm Springs area of California, is sponsoring this scholarship to promote the professional development and leadership skills of business aviation pilots who seek careers in aviation management or desire to start their own aviation-related business. It is envisioned that a pilot would be able to transition into a position of leadership with the training provided by this scholarship.

Suggested uses for the scholarship include (*but are not limited to*);

- Certification in the NBAA Certified Aviation Manager Program
- Aviation Safety Officer Training
- Coursework towards the USC Aviation Safety and Security Certificate
- Attendance at NBAA's Leadership Conference
- Darden Graduate School of Business Corporate Aviation Function Programs
- NBAA Professional Development Program Courses
- Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University Corporate Aviation Management Certificate Program

To apply, submit copies of your résumé, all pilot and flight instructor certificates, current medical certificate, and a copy of the last three pages of your logbook. Please also include an essay which describes your aspirations and how this scholarship will help achieve your goals. (Scholarship value \$1,000)

#### **Airbus Leadership Grant**

One scholarship will be awarded to a student at the college level of sophomore year or above who is pursuing a degree in an aviation-related field, who has achieved a minimum GPA of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale) and who has exhibited leadership potential. All applicants should submit one 500-word essay that addresses their career aspirations and explains how they have exhibited leadership skills. (Scholarship value \$5,000)

#### **The Boeing Company Career Enhancement Scholarship**

The Boeing Company will award a scholarship to a woman who wishes to advance her career in the aerospace industry in the fields of engineering, technology development or management. The award is to be used for educational purposes only and may not be applied towards flight hours. Applicants may be full-time or part-time employees currently in the aero-

space industry or a related field. Also eligible are students pursuing aviation and aerospace-related degrees at the junior level with a minimum GPA of 2.5 (on a 4.0 scale). (Scholarship value \$2,500)

#### **Dassault Falcon Jet Corporation Scholarship**

Dassault Falcon Jet Corp. is awarding a \$1,000 scholarship to support a woman seeking to pursue an undergraduate or graduate degree in an aviation-related field. The applicant must be a U.S. citizen, fluent in English and have maintained a GPA of 3.0 or better (on a 4.0 scale) in her most recent year of schooling. Applicant should submit a one-page essay detailing her current educational status, what she hopes to achieve by pursuing a degree in aviation and her aspirations in the field. (Scholarship value \$1,000)

#### **The Elisha Hall Memorial Scholarship**

Elisha Hall (Mrs. Mark Bizzaro-WAI #2335) represented herself as a dedicated and passionate aviation professional. She was a leader, an explorer, and lived life to its fullest. She set both her sights, and her standards, high. To celebrate her life and accomplishments, Women in Aviation, The Wright Chapter, is offering a \$1,000 scholarship to a woman who embodies the qualities that Elisha so splendidly exemplified, and is seeking to further her aviation career in one or more of the following areas:

- Flight Training (any phase)
- Aircraft Scheduling or Dispatch
- Aviation Management
- Aviation Maintenance or Avionics

Preference given to local candidates within the Cincinnati, Ohio/Tri-State area, but all applicants will be considered based upon character, need, community involvement, and accomplishments. Limited financial assistance to the winner to attend the Conference. (Scholarship value \$1,000)

#### **"If You Can Dream It, You Can Do It" Scholarship**

Nicole Cagnolatti, A&P/Pilot has been the recipient of several WAI scholarships and benefited immensely from the assistance. She wants to personally contribute to the WAI Scholarships by offering other aviation dreamers the opportunity to pursue their dream. In addition to the WAI requirements, include a 500-word descriptive essay detailing your Aviation Dream (Flight, Maintenance, Management, etc.), where and how you hope to use this award, and an approximate timeline of completion towards your goal.

Applicants will be evaluated on the clarity of the dream they present, their past ambitious nature (aviation or other field, including volunteering) and following application directions. Awards will be made out to the organization under the recipient's name. Recipients must use the funds within one year of acceptance. Financial assistance to your dream must make sense for amount offered. (Scholarship value \$500)

#### **Janet Clark Memorial Scholarship**

The Washington State Chapter of Women in Aviation, Inter-

national (WA-WAI) is offering a scholarship in the amount of \$1,000 in memory of Janet Clark, a member of the Washington State chapter. Janet worked with the FAA as an Airworthiness (maintenance) Aviation Safety Inspector. This scholarship is open to all aviation career fields and can be applied to an accredited program. This scholarship will be awarded on the basis of merit and commitment to chosen career in aviation. If enrolled in a program that issues grades, grades will also play a role in decision process. Preference will be given to individuals who have already made steps toward a chosen aviation career. An interview may be conducted at the WAI conference or at an earlier date in Washington State before the scholarship is awarded.

#### **Applicant must:**

- Be a WAI member. (Preference will be given to a Washington State resident.)
- Be working towards career in aviation. (Please include details in essay.) *Aviation careers include but are not limited to: pilot, mechanic, avionics technician, engineer, meteorologist, dispatcher, flight attendant, air traffic controller, airport management.*
- Be enrolled in an accredited aviation-related program. *If working toward a pilot career, the applicant must hold a private pilot's certificate.*
- Have done volunteer work for an aviation related activity or event in the last year. (Please include details in essay.)

#### **Scholarship usage criteria:**

- The scholarship funds must be used within one year of receipt.
- Scholarship funds will be paid directly to an accredited program.
- Scholarship funds may be used for tuition, books, specific training, or housing (if arranged through the training program). (Scholarship value \$1,500)

#### **Women in Aviation, International Achievement Award (3)**

Two scholarships will be awarded to a full-time college or university student pursuing any type of aviation or aviation related career. A third scholarship will be awarded to an individual, not required to be a student, pursuing any type of aviation aspiration. (Scholarship value \$1,000 each scholarship)

#### **Women in Corporate Aviation Career Scholarship**

The Women in Corporate Aviation Career Scholarship is offered by the members and sponsors of Women in Corporate Aviation to any man or woman pursuing professional development or career advancement in any job classification of corporate/business aviation. The award must be used toward a specific program of education. Suggested uses include (but are not limited to): Flight training, dispatcher training, maintenance training, corporate flight attendant training and upgrades in aviation education. The award cannot be used for general business course work. Scholarship will not be awarded to previous winners of Women in Corporate Aviation scholarships. If you are currently enrolled in school, please submit school transcripts. If you are a pilot please submit copies of pilot licenses, medical and logbook pages with your application. (Scholarship value \$2,000)

# Maintenance Scholarships

## **Delta Air Lines Aircraft Maintenance Technology Scholarship**

Delta Air Lines will award a \$5,000 scholarship to a student currently enrolled in an Aviation Maintenance Technician Program (A&P) or a degree in Aviation Maintenance Technology. In addition to the \$5,000 scholarship, the recipient will receive a trip to the 21st Annual International Women in Aviation Conference in Orlando, Florida (includes roundtrip airfare, hotel accommodations and Conference fee). Applicants must be a full-time student, with a minimum of two semesters left (as of March 2010), with a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or better (on a 4.0 scale). Applicants must be U.S. citizens or eligible non-citizens.

IN ADDITION to all WAI requirements, please include a detailed essay (500-1,000 words), double spaced, type written which addresses the following topics:

1. Who or What inspired you to pursue a career in Aviation Maintenance Technology?
2. What is or has been your greatest life challenge, and how has it enriched your and/or someone else's life?
3. If someone else were to describe your greatest strength, what would it be and why, and what do you consider to be your strongest characteristic and why?
4. What has been your most memorable academic experience and how did you handle this situation?
5. Why are you the most qualified candidate for the Delta Air Lines Aircraft Maintenance Technology Scholarship?  
(Scholarship value \$5,000; Estimated total value \$6,000)

## **Delta Air Lines – Engine Maintenance Internship**

Delta Air Lines would like to extend a 2010 Summer Internship (13 weeks) opportunity to a student currently enrolled in a Baccalaureate degree in Aerospace/Aeronautical, Mechanical or Industrial Engineering. In addition to an internship position, the recipient will receive a trip to the 21st Annual International Women in Aviation Conference (includes roundtrip airfare, hotel accommodations and Conference fee). Applicants must be full-time students at the junior or senior level with a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or better (on a 4.0 scale). Applicants must be U.S. citizens. Lodging accommodations will be provided for the duration of the 15 weeks.

**Compensation is paid to interns based on the following guidelines:**

- Junior \$2,253/month (\$13/hr) – Completed at least 60 hours in college
- Senior \$2,427/month (\$14/hr) – Completed at least 90 hours in college

The primary role of the Engine Maintenance Operations intern is to participate in and lead projects in support of engine maintenance production. As an intern, the selected applicant will use his/her skills to investigate a myriad of problems affecting the various maintenance areas and their ability to produce quality, safe and timely products.

IN ADDITION to all WAI requirements, interested applicants should submit a résumé and cover letter detailing their qualifications. Applicants should list academic honors, schol-

arships, awards and special achievements. (Internship value \$10,159 - \$10,681 including salary, lodging, and Conference)

## **Pratt & Whitney Maintenance Scholarships (6)**

Pratt & Whitney will award six maintenance scholarships to individuals pursuing careers in aviation maintenance. Winners will have the option to attend any one of the maintenance courses offered by Pratt & Whitney or Pratt & Whitney Canada, such as System Familiarization, Line and Base Maintenance, and Borescope Inspection Procedures on JT8D, JT9D, PW2000, PW4000, PT6, or PW100 engines. Housing is also included for the duration of training. (Scholarship value \$800 - \$3,200 each depending on course taken)

# Management Scholarships

## **Delta Air Lines Aviation Maintenance Management/Aviation Business Management Scholarship**

Delta Air Lines will award a \$5,000 scholarship to a student currently enrolled in an Associate or Baccalaureate degree in Aviation Maintenance Management or Aviation Business Management. In addition to the \$5,000 scholarship, the recipient will receive a trip to the 21st Annual International Women in Aviation Conference (includes roundtrip airfare, hotel accommodations and Conference fee). Applicants must be full-time college students, with a minimum of two semesters left (as of February 2010), with a cumulative GPA of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale) or better. Applicants must be U.S. citizens or eligible non-citizens.

IN ADDITION to all WAI requirements, please include a detailed essay (500 -1000 words), double spaced, type written which addresses the following topics:

1. Who or What inspired you to pursue a career in Aviation Maintenance Management/Aviation Business Management?
2. What is or has been your greatest life challenge, and how has it enriched your and/or someone else's life?
3. If someone else was to describe your greatest strength, what would it be and why, and what do you consider to be your strongest characteristic and why?
4. What has been your most memorable academic experience and how did you handle this situation?
5. Why are you the most qualified candidate for the Delta Air Lines Maintenance Management/Aviation Business Management Scholarship? (Scholarship value \$6,000)

## **Flo Irwin / Aircraft Spruce Scholarship**

Flo Irwin was not a pilot, but she was a very astute businessperson who earned everyone's respect in a "man's world" as she built her business selling homebuilt aircraft parts. Aircraft Spruce has grown to be one of the leading distributors of aircraft parts worldwide by continuing Flo's vision and business philosophy. Aircraft Spruce is offering a \$1,000 scholarship to a woman who has similar aspirations as Flo Irwin to begin an aviation business or to a junior or senior who is majoring in aviation management with the intent to start their

own aviation business after graduation. The essay should include information on the type of business being considered. (Scholarship value \$1,000)

#### **GAT Wings to the Future Management Scholarship**

GAT will give a scholarship to a female student in an aviation management or aviation business program at an accredited college or university. The scholarship will be applied to the tuition of the recipient and cannot be used for flight fees. Applicants must be full-time students with a minimum GPA of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale). The recipient will also receive travel and lodging expenses to attend the 21st Annual International Women in Aviation Conference in Orlando, Florida, February 25-27, 2010. (Scholarship value \$2,500)

#### **Women in Aviation Management Scholarship**

This scholarship will be awarded to a woman in an aviation management field who has exemplified the traits of leadership, community spirit and volunteerism. The scholarship can be used to attend a leadership-related course or seminar to raise the individual's level of management. (Scholarship value \$1,250)

#### **Yeager Foundation WAI Scholarship Award**

In 2005 the Chuck Yeager Foundation established a scholarship to assist those who may not otherwise be able to become involved in aviation. This scholarship will be awarded to a deserving WAI member who has applied for other WAI or Corporate Sponsor scholarships and who has unique circumstances that impede their ability to advance their aviation plans. The recipient of this scholarship will be selected from

the applications submitted for other scholarships. The selection will be based on information submitted in the scholarship application package. No separate application package is required. (Scholarship value \$1,000)

#### **FedEx Express B-727 Aircraft**



FedEx Express is accepting applications from qualified aviation schools/universities; airport rescue/firefighting groups; government agencies; museums and other aviation education organizations for a B-727 airplane from the company's retiring fleet. To be considered for this donation, please submit a detailed summary of your organization, including information about your program, how the aircraft would enhance your program and any joint use opportunities with other area programs to increase the utilization of the asset. The recipient must have adequate parking space available and will be required to sign a contract that restricts the transfer of ownership, the sale of parts and acknowledges that the aircraft will be used for ground training only. Contract approval and a delivery date will be finalized with the selected organization, and the winner will be announced at the 2010 WAI Conference in Orlando. Applicants must also be a **corporate member** of Women in Aviation, International.

**As more scholarship listings are received, they will be added to the web site, [www.wai.org](http://www.wai.org) — check for updates!**

## **Submission Requirements for ALL WAI Scholarships**

Each applicant must be a WAI member and may apply for no more than **two** scholarships. These requirements are in addition to all stated specifications in individual listings.

**All applications must include five (5) stapled sets (NO FOLDERS) of the following information:**

- application form
- three one-page recommendation letters
- typed, descriptive 500-word essay
- résumé
- copies of all aviation and medical certificates and the last three pages of your pilot logbook, if applicable

**Descriptive essay or résumé should address the following:**

- your aviation history and goals
- what you have done for yourself to achieve your goals
- where you see yourself in five and 10 years
- how the scholarship will help you achieve your objective and your present financial need
- flight or other training/education for which you need assistance; how

your previous training was financed; educational scholarships, awards and honors; where you would obtain the training and the hourly rate for the instructor, aircraft, and simulators, or other costs, **if applying for cash scholarship**

- demonstrated involvement in aviation activities
- other applicable information as requested for each specific awards/grants/scholarships

**International applicants** must meet the above requirements. In addition, you must include your country's pilot, mechanic or other requirements and the equivalent copies of licenses and medicals.

## **Selection Factors**

Achievements...Attitude toward self and others...  
Commitment to success...Dedication to career...Financial need...  
Motivation...Reliability...Responsibility...Teamwork.

## **Awards**

All scholarships, unless otherwise noted, will be awarded during the 21st Annual International Women in Aviation Conference, to be held at Disney's Coronado Springs Resort on February 25-27, 2010.

**Applications must be postmarked by November 20, 2009**



# Official Application

FOR

Name of Scholarship  
*(To be completed by applicant)*

Full Name \_\_\_\_\_ WAI Member # \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

Work/School Address \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

School Phone (Student) \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

*If you win a scholarship, you will be asked to supply your Social Security number to WAI*

**If enrolled in High School or a College/University Degree Program, you must complete this section.**

Overall Grade Point Average \_\_\_\_\_

Based on a \_\_\_\_\_ system (4.0, 6.0, etc.) Grade Point Average in Aviation Classes (if appropriate) \_\_\_\_\_

**GPA verification required by advisor or faculty member:**

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

For EACH scholarship, please return five (5) stapled (NO FOLDERS) complete application sets to the address listed to the right. Each set must include:

- completed application form
- three (3) one-page recommendation letters
- 500-word typed, descriptive essay
- résumé
- If applicable, copies of all aviation licenses and medical certificates, and last three (3) pages of your pilot logbook.
- Any additional information as required by the specific scholarship.

Questions?

Contact Donna Wallace: [dwallace@wai.org](mailto:dwallace@wai.org)

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By submitting this application, the applicant understands and accepts that WAI has no responsibility or liability whatsoever for any scholarship awards other than those specifically identified as WAI scholarships.

Signature of applicant \_\_\_\_\_

**Applications must be  
postmarked by  
November 20, 2009**