



WATER ENVIRONMENT ASSOCIATION OF TEXAS



San Antonio Section

Application for Scholarship Assistance

Applicant's Administrative Checklist:

- Name and preferred email (Printed): _____.
- Membership in San Antonio Section of the Water Environment Association of Texas (WEAT-SAS) is clearly stated in the application and/or status as child or dependent of a member of the San Antonio Section of the Water Environment Association of Texas is clearly stated in the application. (Preferred but not required.)
- The academic degree to be pursued by the applicant, the college or university chosen and the applicant's intended career plans are clearly stated in the application.
- The past academic record of the applicant, whether in high school or previous college activity, is clearly indicated in the application and transcript is provided.
- Any leadership or volunteer activities (by the applicant) in Water Environment Association of Texas-San Antonio Section or other organizations are clearly indicated in the application.
- Anticipated graduation date: _____.
- Letters of recommendation are encouraged but not required.
- Copy of Student ID.
- Send completed application post marked and/or e-mailed by **September 8, 2017*** to:

Dennis Laskowski, P.E.
WEAT-SAS Scholarship Committee
c/o San Antonio Water System – East Side Service Center
P.O. Box 2449
San Antonio, Texas 78298
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**Please note there is another scholarship opportunity with a due date of June 19, 2017. See Scholarship Criteria on page 2 for more information.*

GENERAL INFORMATION

The San Antonio Section of the Water Environment Association of Texas (WEAT-SAS) is a Section of WEAT, which is a Member Association of the Water Environment Federation. The WEAT-SAS, like its parent organizations, strives for the advancement of fundamental and practical knowledge concerning the nature, collection, treatment, and reclamation of domestic and industrial wastes; and environmental dispersion of processed domestic and industrial wastes. Other goals include advancement of the knowledge in the evaluation, design, construction, operation and management of these systems, public education, and promotion of sound legislation concerning our environment. In recognition of these goals, the WEAT-SAS offers this Scholarship to those pursuing an education and subsequent career that will further these goals.

This is the ninth year of the WEAT-SAS Scholarship, beginning with an initial endowment from the funds of the San Antonio Section of the Water Environment Association of Texas. These funds had been developed over several years through the efforts of the officers and volunteers of the organization with Annual Seminars and Scholarship Events which served to educate its members about issues and regulations affecting members. Attendance fees and sponsorship of these seminars allowed the initial endowment of this Scholarship. Annual seminars, donations, and investment growth continue to provide funding for this Scholarship.

Scholarship assistance is paid to recipients in a single installment, 100% of the total awarded for the fall and spring semester. **All recipients will be presented with their scholarships at the Section's End of Year Scholarship Fund Raiser Dinner, which will be held on November 30, 2017 at The Stable located in the Pearl in San Antonio, TX. Attendance is requested. Recipients are required to maintain a 3.0 GPA (or receive a special exemption from the scholarship committee) and be considered a full-time student (generally, enrolled in a minimum of 12 hours per semester) or part-time student (generally enrolled in a minimum of 6 hours per semester).**

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA

***Please Note:** For students who have been members of WEAT-SAS for one year or more or whose parent or legal guardian has been an active participant in WEAT-SAS, for at least one year, these individuals have two scholarship opportunities which include this scholarship which is outlined below and one located at <http://www.weatsf.org/> which has different requirements of what is govern and outlined in a different document located on that website. Applicants meeting these requirements can apply for one scholarship or both scholarships. You will need to prepare and submit the Scholarship Application Form found for each scholarship separately, if chosen to do so, which have different due dates and requirements.

The Scholarship Committee will use the following criteria in the selection of scholarship recipients associated with this scholarship:

- Preference shall be given to students attending a 4-year college or university with accredited degree programs in the field of study, but students attending junior college will also be considered.
- Preference will be given to those students in the following type of degree programs: Biology, Chemistry, Engineering, and Environmental Sciences. Other degree programs are not excluded from consideration.

- Preference will be given to those students that maintain a high grade point average and or those students that have a high SAT/ACT (or other standard admissions test) score.
- Preference may be given to students who are members of the WEAT San Antonio Section, or who have a relative who is an active participant in the WEAT San Antonio Section.
- Preference may be given to those students who have demonstrated special accomplishments or achievements and/or who have demonstrated active participation in community service activities.
- Preference may be given to those students who have shown leadership abilities in extracurricular activities.
- List other scholarships awarded to include employer tuition reimbursement programs.

Submit an application on the following pages to WEAT-SAS post marked not later than on **September 8, 2017**. This is necessary to allow time for proper review and presentation of the award during the fall collegiate semester.

**San Antonio Section
Water Environment Association of Texas (WEAT)**

Scholarship Application*

Applicant's Name:			
Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	
Date of Birth:	Daytime Phone:	Email:	
<i>Preferred; Not Required:</i>			
Are you a dependent of or an active member of the San Antonio Section of WEAT? <input type="checkbox"/> Self <input type="checkbox"/> Dependent <input type="checkbox"/> N/A			
WEAT Member Name & Number:			
Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	
What college or university do you plan to attend? (Name/City)			
What degree do you plan to pursue?			
What is your planned career choice?			
<i>Educational History:</i>			
High School GPA _____		College GPA _____	SAT Score _____
ACT Score _____			
Name of High School, Junior College or College Attended	City, State	Dates Attended	Degree Accomplished
List any special studies:			

*Attach additional page if needed to fully answer application items or describe exceptional needs. Include applicants name on each page.

List scholastic clubs, organizations and memberships. Please provide your role in each as well as a brief description of responsibilities assumed. Also list any awards and honors received for your services.

List extra curricular clubs, organizations and memberships. Those not geared directly to your degree or professional interests (i.e. athletics, music, drama, etc.)

List community service activities and provide a brief description of role/responsibility and the work that you performed.

Employment History:

Employer Name and Address	Dates Employed	Position / Responsibilities

Provide a detailed statement of your educational plans and degree objectives as related to applicant's career goals and intent to work in the environmental field.

Other scholarship / employer reimbursement available to the applicant for current year.

Application Affirmation:

I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I further certify that if selected for a scholarship award, I agree to use the cash received for the purposes stated and to attend a college or university indicated within one collegiate semester following the date the notifications letter is mailed to me by the WEAT-SAS Scholarship Committee. If my award cannot be used for that purpose, I will notify the WEAT-SAS Scholarship Committee immediately.

Applicant's Signature:

Date:

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