

2011 STANLEY W. STREW EDUCATIONAL FUND, INC. SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

This is the 2011 Stanley W. Strew Education Fund, Inc. Scholarship application. The application is designed so that all information can be included in one form. Word version of the application is available upon request. **Please use only this application to apply for the scholarships. Please print this form, complete and return to the address provided.**

Before filling out the application form, **please read the following instructions:**

- This application must be used by students who are at least a **junior level** who are currently attending school and who are entering or returning to college in an agricultural/horticultural related field in the fall. **You must maintain a 2.5 GPA or better to apply and plan to pursue a career in pest management.**
- **Include current official transcripts.** Contact your school early. *Allow 4-6 weeks for transcripts.*
- At least two (2) **letters of recommendation** must be attached and sent in with this application. Reference letters from your most recent employer, college instructor, FFA or ROP leaders, counselor, club/activity advisor or church leader are very helpful in assisting the committee in their selection of recipients. **It is recommended that you include one letter from your college major instructor.**
- Completed application forms, current transcripts and letters of recommendation must be returned to the Stanley W. Strew Educational Fund, Inc., 1143 North Market Blvd. Suite 7, Sacramento, California 95834, **postmarked no later than May 13, 2011.**
- **Two scholarships will be awarded;** one from the California Association of Pest Control Advisers (CAPCA) for \$3,000.00 and one from Syngenta for \$2,000.00 to a senior actively pursuing a career to become a PCA.
- **Winners will be announced prior to July 15, 2011,** and scholarships awarded as deemed by the Scholarship Committee of the Stanley W. Strew Education Fund, Inc.
- **Incomplete applications will not be considered.**
- Scholarship checks will be awarded to the scholarship winners in summer 2011, pending receipt of proof of registration for the university term following July 2011.

Scholarship Criteria	
Requirements/Background	Percentage
Grades/Academics	25%
Extra-Curricular Activities	15%
Pest Management Experience	20%
Professional/Career Goals	20%
Financial Need	10%
Class Standing (Senior/Junior) *Bachelor's Degree Given Priority	10%

IMPORTANT: The last school semester/quarter completed must be on the transcript. Contact schools early so you can receive your transcripts on time to mail with this application.

PERSONAL DATA

Name _____
Age _____
US Citizen? Yes No
Current Address _____
City, State, Zip _____
Phone _____
Permanent Address _____
City, State, Zip _____
Phone _____
California Resident? Yes No
Are any of your relatives a pest control adviser or involved in a closely related field? Yes No
If yes, Name and relationship _____
Firm/Occupation _____
Other _____

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

Name of school now attending _____
Name of school planning to attend in the fall of 2010 _____
Current Major _____
Minor or area of specialization _____
Year currently in College: Junior Senior Graduate
How many years of college completed to date? _____
Expected date of graduation _____
Total number of college units completed _____
Number of college units currently carrying _____
Number of units completed in major (indicate whether semester or quarter units) _____
Number of units carrying major (indicate whether semester or quarter units) _____
Overall college grade point average _____
Grade point average in major _____
Please list all high school and colleges attended _____

ACTIVITIES

Please list any awards, honors, scholarships, etc. you have received:

College

High School

College activities related to pest management

High school activities related to pest management

Community activities related to pest management

Other activities and offices held (college, high school, community)

Are you currently a student member of CAPCA? Yes No

WORK EXPERIENCE

List all work experience in which you have participated whether related to pest management or not.

Employer

Job Title or Duties

Date

EDUCATIONAL AND OCCUPATIONAL GOALS

Outline your educational objectives:

Outline your occupational goals as they relate to the agricultural/horticultural or the pest management industry:

Please provide a written statement regarding any information about yourself that you feel might be helpful in determining your eligibility for a scholarship. (If necessary, attach page for this question only.)

PERSONAL REFERENCES

Please submit letters of recommendation (at least two current references) with this application form any two of the following: College instructor, FFA or ROP leaders, counselor, present or most recent employer, club/activity advisor, community or church leader. *Letters from immediate family or relatives are not acceptable.*

INCLUDE CURRENT OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS

RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATION TO:

**Stanley W. Strew Educational Fund, Inc.
Scholarship Committee
1143 North Market Blvd. Suite 7
Sacramento, CA 95834**

Questions: (916) 928-1625 ext. 200

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