



# DBIA WESTERN PACIFIC REGION College Scholarship Application Advertisement

Application Deadline: *March 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2024*

## TERMS, CONDITIONS AND ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

**Purpose:** The scholarship is designed to recognize and encourage excellence in the Design-Build approach to Design and Construction. The scholarship is awarded based on merit/academic achievement, demonstrated interest in & understanding of the Design-Build methodology, leadership skills, and financial need. Awards to be announced on April 5<sup>th</sup>, 2024 and winners will be invited to attend the DBIA Western Pacific Awards banquet on Thursday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2024 in Sacramento, CA.

**Scholarships Available:** Plus a stipend the cost of travel and lodging to attend award ceremony.

- Twelve (12) \$3,000 DBIA Western Pacific Region Scholarships (plus \$500 reimbursement for travel and lodging costs to attend awards ceremony).
- DBIA Subchapters raise a substantial amount of funding through golf tournaments in the following regions: Arizona, SF-Bay Area, LA/OC, Sacramento, San Diego, Nevada, and Hawaii. To sustain and increase funding for future student scholarships, one scholarship is guaranteed for each region mentioned above. The minimum requirements, listed below, must be met to qualify.

### Required Application Documentation

- Application Form, via this link: [DBIA-WPR Application \(Google Form Link\)](#)
- Upload the following completed documents to the Google Form application as a single combined .pdf file in the following order:
  1. Letter of Recommendation from Professor, Industry Professional or DBIA Member.
  2. Written Verification of GPA: A letter from a Professor or University Employee with official capacity (i.e. Academic Advisor, Coordinator, etc.), on University letterhead, listing your overall cumulative current GPA, major course of study and enrollment status.
  3. Written Essay (2-Pages Maximum, 12-point font, 1.5 lines spacing, Times New Roman):
    - **Topic:** An Owner wants to proceed with a standard Design-Bid-Build project. Explain and make a case to utilize the Design-Build delivery method. Provide 2-3 clear examples (specific examples from an actual project would be ideal to demonstrate solutions to a project related problem) how a Design-Build delivery would benefit the potential project.

### College/Enrollment Status

- Candidates must be enrolled, at time of application and continuing education during the AY 2024 – 2025 academic year, in a trade school, community college or university in the Western Pacific Region of the U.S. (Arizona, California, Hawaii, or Nevada). DBIA encourages applications from all qualified students. Freshmen through Seniors, and Graduate students, are welcome to apply.
- High School students are not eligible to participate.

### Academic Requirements

- Student in good standing making reasonable progress towards a degree in: Construction Management, Civil Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Architectural Engineering, Architecture, Landscape Architecture, Interior Design, or another major pertinent to Design and Construction.
- 2.7 minimum cumulative G.P.A. (through latest grading period).

### Accomplishments

- Additional evaluation criteria that will bode well for applicants should be indicated on student resumes and can be elaborated on in the Google Form Application. Examples of valued criteria include the following:
  - Leadership positions or participation in activities on campus, working while attending school, participating in student clubs, being a student athlete, and/or community service activities.

### Financial Need

- Financial need will be also be a criterion considered. Students are provided an opportunity to justify a financial need within the Google Form Application.

### Terms

- Scholarship Award will be paid directly to the student.
- Previous DBIA-WPR scholarship recipients are not eligible to apply.
- Award recipient may not send a stand-in person to the awards ceremony.
- Guests of the award recipient may attend the award ceremony at their own cost, upon their own online registration at [www.dbiawpr.org](http://www.dbiawpr.org)

### Questions:

- Submit any questions to Patrick Brittle (Education Committee Chair) [pbrittle@csuchico.edu](mailto:pbrittle@csuchico.edu) and Lindsey Gray (Education Committee Co-Chair) [lgray@pankow.com](mailto:lgray@pankow.com).

### Application Scoring Criteria

| Category  | Points (%)       |
|---|------------------|
| 1. Letter of Recommendation   | 10 Pts (20%)     |
| 2. Written Verification of GPA                                      | 5 Pts (10%)      |
| 3. Written Essay  | 10 Pts (20%)     |
| 4. Member of a DBIA Student Chapter                                 | 5 Pts (10%)      |
| 5. Academic Performance   | 5 Pts (10%)      |
| 6. Accomplishments<br>• See List Above in “Accomplishments” Section | 10 Pts (20%)     |
| 7. Financial Need   | 5 Pts (10%)      |
| <b>TOTAL</b>  | <b>50 (100%)</b> |