



# North Carolina Association of Floodplain Managers

## 2019 Scholarship Application

### Introduction/Description

The North Carolina Association of Floodplain Managers (NCAFPM) is pleased to announce its academic scholarship program for 2019. NCAFPM is a non-profit organization established in 1989 consisting of engineers, planners, geographers, land surveyors, zoning officials, emergency management coordinators, community officials, and private sector individuals. NCAFPM is dedicated to promoting public awareness of proper floodplain management, promoting professional development, enhancing information exchange, education and outreach, improving floodplain mapping, and reviewing and commenting on pertinent legislation such as the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP).

Two (2) \$500 scholarships will be awarded to the most deserving applicants based on the materials submitted with the application package. This is a one-time award for the selected applicants. Interested college students should review the eligibility requirements and submittals requested below.

### Scholarship Type/Amount

- Two (2) scholarships are \$500 each and one-time awards.

### Eligibility

- Must be a citizen of the United States
- Minimum of GPA 3.0 on 4.0 scale
- Be a **current undergraduate student** in a two- or four-year degree program at a college or university within the State of North Carolina, and within a program related to the disciplines of **floodplain management** (hydrology and storm water, engineering, planning and zoning, coastal management, hazard mitigation, emergency management, surveying, GIS and mapping, etc.)

### Additional Information

- Strongly encourage application submissions by students enrolled at Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs) or Minority Serving Institutions (MSIs) with a baccalaureate degree program.
- Strongly encourage application submissions by students enrolled at a technical community college with an associate degree program.

## **Submittal Requirements**

- Completed application form
- Official copy of college transcript (to date)
- One letter of recommendation from a college advisor, academic instructor, or supervisor
- 500-word essay (see application form for more details)

## **Application Process and Deadline**

- Submit all application materials electronically to [ncafpmscholarships@ncafpm.org](mailto:ncafpmscholarships@ncafpm.org).
- Include the following in the subject line of the email with the scholarship application to assist NCAFPM with managing the submittals: "*Your Name* – Application"
- All applications documents must be submitted and received electronically by **January 31, 2019**.

If you have any questions on the application process, please contact:

North Carolina Association of Floodplain Managers

Attn: Daniel Tomczak, CFM

3301 Carnegie Lane

Matthews, NC 28105

[daniel.tomczak@jacobs.com](mailto:daniel.tomczak@jacobs.com)

## **Review Process and Selection**

The application materials will be reviewed and recipients selected by a committee consisting of NCAFPM board members. The scholarships will be awarded/announced at the 2019 NCAFPM Spring Conference scheduled in April 2019.

## **Award Process/Dispersal**

The awarded scholarships will be dispersed as a one-time payment to the recipients.



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### Applicant Information

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Last First M.I.*

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Street Address Apartment/Unit #*

\_\_\_\_\_ *City State ZIP Code*

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a citizen of the United States? YES NO

Are you attending a NC college or university? YES NO

Transcript provided? YES NO

Have you ever been convicted of a felony? YES NO

If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

### Education

College: \_\_\_\_\_

From: \_\_\_\_\_ To: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduated? \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

Curriculum: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

College: \_\_\_\_\_

From: \_\_\_\_\_ To: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduated? \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

Curriculum: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

## **Career Goals**

In the space below, write a 500-word essay that describes 1) how floodplain management is important to you, and 2) your education plans/goals for a career related to floodplain management.

## **Activities and Interests**

List any volunteer activities within your community or at school, extracurricular activities, hobbies, and other outside interests.

## Awards and Honors

List any academic or special honors, awards, or scholarships received in or outside of school.

## Military Service

Branch: \_\_\_\_\_ From: \_\_\_\_\_ To: \_\_\_\_\_

Rank at Discharge: \_\_\_\_\_ Type of Discharge: \_\_\_\_\_

If other than honorable, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Disclaimer and Signature

*I certify that my answers are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.*

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_