



Since 1975, the NAFB Foundation has provided financial support and educational opportunities in the form of college Scholarships to assist students in pursuit of careers in agricultural communications. Currently the NAFB Foundation offers three annual college scholarships, including two each for \$4,000, as well as the Glenn Kummerow Memorial Scholarship for \$5,000. These scholarships are recognized at the National NAFB Convention, and the winners also receive an expense-paid trip to attend the convention as part of the award.

Scholarships are paid over two semesters. First half of the funds will be applied to the fall semester 2009, while the second half will be applied to the spring semester 2010. Funds will be paid directly to the college/university once the recipient provides proper documentation outlined below.

Criteria of the NAFB Foundation Scholarship are:

- Applicants -- in their junior year of college or university prior to application deadline -- must be enrolled in or transferring to an agricultural communications curriculum with concentration and/or application in broadcast media, including that may be delivered via the Internet. Graduate students pursuing studies in agricultural broadcast media communications may also apply
- Successful completion of application and all supplemental materials
- Provide three letters of reference (academic, personal and leadership references)
- Remain in "good standing" with school for the duration of semesters scholarship is to be awarded
- Provide Agriculture Future of America with a billing statement per semester scholarship is to be paid

Please complete the following application and return by May 30, 2009 to Agriculture Future of America.

ATTN: NAFB Foundation Scholarship  
Agriculture Future of America  
P.O. Box 414838  
Kansas City, MO 64141  
Phone: (816) 472-4232  
Fax: (816) 472-4239

For more information about Agriculture Future of America, please visit [www.agfuture.org](http://www.agfuture.org).



**National Association of Farm Broadcasting  
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

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 Scholarship/Agriculture  
 Future of America  
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Please print or type application.

Name: (Mr., Ms.)		Social Security Number:	
Mailing Address:	City:	State:	Zip:
County of Residence:	Current Phone:	Email:	Date of Birth:
College or University:	Current GPA:	College Graduation Date:	High School GPA and Class Rank:
Parent(s) or Guardian(s) Names:			
Permanent Mailing Address:			
Background (farm, rural community, urban):		If from a farm what type?	
How did you hear about the scholarship?			

**SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT AND SCHOOL COUNSELOR/ADVISOR (Required for eligibility)**

We certify that all information given on this application is true, correct and complete. We understand that this scholarship is to be used for tuition, fees or room and board. Prior to application deadline, Applicants -- in their junior year of college or university prior to application deadline -- must be enrolled in or transferring to an agricultural communications curriculum with concentration and/or application in broadcast media, including that may be delivered via the Internet. Graduate students pursuing studies in agricultural broadcast media communications may also apply.

Applicant:	Date:
College Advisor:	Date:

**COLLEGE INFORMATION**

Name of college or university you attend:
Vocation/Major (Be Specific):
What is your academic classification (junior, senior or graduate student):
If senior, where are you planning to complete your graduate studies?
Graduate degree course of study?

**Please list other sources of financial assistance you expect to receive.**

Source of support	Amount

\*Provide additional information on white bond paper if necessary.

Additional information on back.

## STATEMENT

Describe your plans and career goals upon graduating from college.

## STATEMENT

Comment on what activities have been most meaningful to your personal development.

## Personal Statement

As an enclosure with this application, record on an audio CD a personal statement of NO more than two minutes containing the following:

1. Description of your communications experience to date. Example: writing, editing, radio announcing, public speaking, leadership positions
2. Explain your reasons for choosing a career in agricultural communications
3. Explain your long-term career goals
4. How you anticipate using electronic communication skills

You may also choose to submit any additional scripts, air checks, program outlines, clippings or other materials that reflect your broadcasting activities and interests. (any recorded material should be on audio CD)

## RESUME

Please attach a current resume with your application.

## ACADEMIC RECORD

Please attach a current transcript of college coursework completed. If you are currently taking classes please provide a list of courses and credit hours.

## LETTERS OF REFERENCE

Provide three letters of reference under separate cover that recognize applicant's personal, academic or leadership character. Letters should be received by application deadline.