

# 2020 MBAA Scholarship Application

## Flight Training Financial Scholarship



The **Minnesota Business Aviation Association (MBAA)** has been an advocate for business aviation since 1955 with over 600 current members from all different aspects of our industry. We are committed to supporting current and future leaders in business aviation and want to ensure we retain talented and dedicated professionals for years to come. The MBAA is proud to offer financial scholarships to students and individuals who show a strong commitment to pursuing careers in business aviation.

### Scholarship Opportunity

This year, the MBAA will award five (5) flight training scholarships in the amount of \$2,000/each. The scholarship is intended to help students and individuals seeking a professional pilot career in business aviation with their education and flight training expenses. Scholarship funds will be paid directly to the recipient or school at the sole discretion of the MBAA. Each recipient will be required to attend the award presentation in August 2020.

### Eligibility

- Applicant must be a Minnesota High School graduate or have a GED from an accredited Minnesota school.
- Applicant must be enrolled in an approved college or technical program\*\*\* pursuing a professional pilot career path within business aviation.

\*\*\* Approved/accredited aviation programs include certificates/degrees from the following institutions: Academy College, Embry Riddle Aeronautical University, Fox Valley Technical College, Lake Superior College, Minneapolis Community and Technical College, Minnesota State University – Mankato, University of North Dakota. Additional schools may be approved by the MBAA Scholarship Committee at their discretion.

### Scholarship Requirements

Applicant must provide the following:

- A completed '2020 Scholarship Cover Letter' (*found on the MBAA scholarship website*)
- Copy of your current resume
- Copy of official transcript from current/previous college or university
- Copies of all FAA ratings or certificates held (if applicable)
- A 250 to 500-word essay describing the applicant's previous background, current involvement and future within business aviation.
- A letter of recommendation from a member of the aviation department faculty (for students) or relevant professional contact. (Other than relatives or students)
- If selected, scholarship applicants will be interviewed (by phone or in person) by representatives of the MBAA no later than July 3rd, 2020.

Please complete the above requirements and submit your application package by no later than June 12, 2020 by mail or email to the following:

Minnesota Business Aviation Association  
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Minneapolis, MN 55450

or [scholarships@mbaa-mn.org](mailto:scholarships@mbaa-mn.org)