



Trades Scholarship Program 2017 Guidelines

As any historic architecture lover can attest to, the requirements of historic structures vary greatly in many aspects when compared to modern construction. The mission of the Center Avenue Neighborhood Association (CANA) is to provide the tools homeowners need to protect, preserve and restore their historic structure. We strive to provide education for homeowners, financial support through grant programs, and motivation through award programs.

CANA is now proud to expand our portfolio to provide sponsorship opportunities for skilled trades and artisan personnel for educational programs specific to the restoration and preservation of historic structures to help ensure qualified specialty contractors are available to homeowners.

At this time recommended courses include wood window restoration and reglazing, plaster repair and application, stucco exteriors, mortar repair and application, and mosaic tile work/repair.

CANA is proud to support homeowners and artisans in the pursuit of preservation restoration of our historic structures.

Eligibility

- 1 The applicant must be a resident in good standing in Bay County, Michigan.
- 2 The applicant must intend to use the knowledge gained to benefit and/or serve owners of historic structures in Bay County, Michigan for a minimum of 2 years from program completion.
- 3 Educational seminars/certificates/programs must be held within 12 months of the application.
- 4 Nominations submitted in previous years that were not selected to receive a scholarship may be updated and resubmitted.
- 5 Members of the CANA Board of Trustees, advisors, and staff are not eligible to receive any CANA scholarship during the period of their active service.

Application Requirements

- 1 A completed application form.
- 2 A concise description of the program/certificate/seminar/degree that is being sought.
- 3 A passing grade, certificate attainment or the equivalent is required or the funding must be paid back to CANA.
- 4 Applicants agree to have their story published on the CANA website.
- 5 Scholarships are issued at the discretion of the CANA Board of Directors/Trustees depending on qualified applications and funding availability.
- 6 Scholarships are determined by a majority vote of the CANA Board of Trustees at the monthly Board Meeting.

Award Procedures

- 1 Scholarship payment will be made in the form of a check written to the educational institution/organization.
- 2 Scholarships will be awarded at 50% of the program cost, up to \$1000.00.

Application Procedures and Key Dates

Applications must conform to the procedures outlined on this page to be considered for a CANA Trades Scholarship. A link to the application can be found at the bottom of this page. Please be sure to read all guidelines and eligibility information before starting an application. Applications will be accepted at any time throughout the calendar year.

Scholarship announcements and presentations will be made at a CANA Board Meeting or another public meeting, and posted on the CANA website.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please e-mail Michelle Roberts-Seeds at CANAmembership@charter.net or call 989-460-7898.



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Applicant Information:

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Organization (if Applicable): _____

Phone Number: _____ E-Mail Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Program Information:

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Educational Institution / Provider: _____

Phone Number: _____ E-Mail Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Will you receive a certificate at the end of the program?: _____

What is the duration of the program?: _____

Please include a description of the program provided by the educational institution including registration information, and cost. Please also include a copy of your resume.

Signature of Applicant / Date: _____

Signature indicates agreement to the CANA Trades Scholarship Program Rules.

Submit nominations to: CANA Trades Scholarship Program, PO Box 839, Bay City MI 48707-0839.



CANA provides neighbors a way of collectively building a healthy, historically preserved community that maintains and promotes the quality of life of its property owners. Members own property in the Center Avenue Historic District and/or support historic preservation in the District and in Bay City.