

SIEMENS HEALTHCARE DIAGNOSTICS GRADUATE STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS 2009-2010



You could receive one of the \$1,000 scholarships sponsored by Siemens Healthcare Diagnostics for laboratory professionals pursuing a graduate degree in the area of clinical laboratory science.

Eligibility Requirements

To be eligible for a scholarship, you must:

- Be enrolled in a clinical or medical laboratory science graduate program that is affiliated with a NAACLS accredited MT/CLS/MLS* program AND have started a graduate project or research
- Hold current certification as an MT/CLS/MLS
- Have a minimum GPA of 3.0 out of 4.0
- Be a United States citizen OR a permanent United States resident
- Submit a complete application packet

Selection Criteria

- Academic achievement (cumulative GPA)
- Professional goals
- Leadership abilities

A. Applicant Information (type or print clearly)

Applicant's name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Daytime telephone _____

E-mail address _____

MT/CLS/MLS* Certification Number _____

Are you related to any employees, board members, or officers of Siemens?

Yes No

If Yes, list name(s) and relationship(s) _____

List title of graduate program project or research: _____

*MT: Medical Technologist CLS: Clinical Laboratory Scientist MLS: Medical Laboratory Scientist

Application Instructions

1. You may photocopy this application form.
2. Please type or print neatly.
3. You must complete the entire application.
4. **Enclose official school transcripts** from each institution attended. You may fulfill the requirement by enclosing copies of official transcripts that have been verified (signed and dated) by your program director, or by sending official transcripts.
5. **Enclose three letters of recommendation** from individuals who are not members of your immediate family. The letters should be from faculty members, program directors, or professional colleagues who can address such areas as your leadership and professional achievements.
6. **Include a brief description of your project or research.**
7. **Provide a resume highlighting your achievements.**
8. **Enclose an essay (500 words or less) describing:**
 - Your professional goals and how you plan to achieve them
 - Your leadership practices
9. Enclose the completed application and all supporting documents in a single envelope. You will be notified by email when all of your application materials are received.
10. Please include a self-addressed stamped legal-sized envelope for notification of the scholarship selection decision.
11. **All applications must be postmarked no later than November 11, 2009. Mail to:**
ASCP, Siemens Healthcare Diagnostics Graduate Student Scholarship Program, 33 West Monroe, Suite 1600, Chicago, IL 60603.
12. Recipients of the Siemens Healthcare Diagnostics Graduate Student Scholarship are notified by mail no later than February 16, 2010. The scholarship checks are mailed during March 2010.

All information provided is confidential and is used only to select scholarship recipients. However, winners are asked to release their names, city and state for use in Siemens publications and scholarship announcements. The decision of the selection committee is final.

B. Program Information

Name of NAACLS accredited institution _____

Program Director _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip code _____

Telephone () _____

Fax () _____

Email _____

C. Applicant Declaration and Verification

The application will not be reviewed without the proper signatures.

Applicant's Declaration

I am a United States citizen or a permanent resident and certify that the information given in this application is true to the best of my knowledge. I also understand that no materials submitted as part of the application can be returned.

Signature of applicant _____

Date _____

Verification by Program Official

I certify that the applicant is currently enrolled in a clinical or medical laboratory science graduate program that is affiliated with a NAACLS accredited program and has started a graduate project or research project.

Signature of program official _____

Date _____

Title _____

Name of program _____

Print your student GPA here

Please check all scholarship applications submitted in 2009:

- Siemens Healthcare Diagnostics Legacy
- Siemens Healthcare Diagnostics Graduate
- ASCP Scholarship

D. Mailing Instructions

Incomplete application packets will not be returned and are not reviewed. **STOP AND DOUBLE CHECK!** Did you enclose the following items in ONE envelope?

- Signed Application
- Transcripts
- Resume
- Three letters of recommendation
- Essay
- One self-addressed, stamped legal-sized return envelope

The postmark deadline is November 11, 2009

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