

## **SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION 2016**

#### **Application Eligibility & Requirements**

- Applicant must be a resident of (or currently attending school in) Iowa, Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota or Wisconsin.
- Applicant can be a high school, undergraduate, or graduate student. Scholarships typically range from \$1,000 for high school students to \$4,000-5,000 for undergrad and graduate students.
- Scholarship finalists must be available for an in-person interview in Minneapolis, MN.
- Scholarship recipients must attend the annual award ceremony in the fall of 2016. (Attendance may be excused in exceptional circumstances.)
- Scholarship recipients are required to submit a final report by May 1, 2017. The final report will describe how they used and benefited from the scholarship.
- All decisions by the Hawkinson Foundation Selection Committee are final.

#### Application Checklist (Include your name on each page; please do not staple.)

- [] Applicant Information page (page 2)
- [ ] Scholarship essay
- [] Name and contact information for someone who will nominate you
- [] Nomination form (page 3) or letter completed by your nominator (can be mailed separately)
- [] Current academic transcript (non-certified copy is acceptable)

#### **Scholarship Essay**

Please submit an essay addressing the topics below. It should be 2-3 pages long and typed. Remember to include your name on each page.

Describe how you have demonstrated your commitment to peace and social justice. Include the following if these apply to you:

- Completed a specific peace or social justice project.
- Demonstrated courage in carrying out your convictions about peace and social justice.
- Displayed ongoing commitment to, and leadership in, a peace or justice organization.
- Served as a role model for others to move society or a religious organization into new realms of thought and practice regarding peace and justice.

Also address:

- How this scholarship will be used;
- How this award would affect your future work for peace and justice; and
- How this award will promote peace and justice for others.

### Return your completed application, postmarked by March 15, 2016, either by mail or email:

The Vincent L. Hawkinson Foundation 324 Harvard Street SE Minneapolis, MN 55414

To apply via email, submit your application materials in Word or PDF format to info@hawkinsonfoundation.org.

Scholarships will be announced in July 2016.



# **APPLICANT INFORMATION**

Full Name		
Birth Date		
School Email Address		
Personal Email Address		
Phone Home Work		
Home □Mobile □Work		
Current mailing address		
Permanent mailing address (if different)		
Current School		
School You Will Attend Fall 2016		
Degree program	Expected G	raduation Date:
Time period for which you would use this scholarship		
Previous education		
Past awards, scholarships, honors you have received		

I attest that all information included with this application is accurate, current and complete.

Signature

Date



## SCHOLARSHIP NOMINATION FORM

Applicant: Fill out the "Scholarship applicant" and "School of Applicant" fields. Give this form to someone who will nominate you for the scholarship. *Nominator:* You may use either this form or your own letterhead. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Scholarship applicant	
School of applicant	
Nominator name	
Nominator's position/title	
School or place of employment	
Mailing address	
Phone	
Email address	

### SUPPORTING STATEMENT BY NOMINATOR:

Signature

Date

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