

The Department of Agricultural Economics

Master in Agribusiness Scholarship

Guidelines

Application Guidelines

Deadline: Received by December 1.

Purpose: The purpose of this scholarship is to improve leadership and management education within the agribusiness industry by encouraging current and potential leaders who without additional financial assistance may not be able to enroll in K-State's Master in Agribusiness (MAB) distance education program.

Funding: The scholarship award pays up to \$1,000 toward tuition for one to three years that the student is enrolled in the MAB program.

Criteria:

1. Must be accepted into the Master in Agribusiness program for January
2. Financial need is the primary merit criteria. The applicant must not have the opportunity to participate in an employer tuition reimbursement plan.
3. Consideration is given to prior academic performance.
4. Consideration is given to increasing the diversity and breadth of backgrounds within the MAB student body.
5. The scholarship is renewable if the applicant makes satisfactory progress toward completion by maintaining at least a 3.0 GPA and no incomplete grades. Renewal awards are subject to the availability of funds.

Application:

1. Complete an application form and submit by December 1.
2. Submit a one-page typed summary explaining
 - Biographical information
 - Career goals and plans to achieve them
 - Financial need
3. Supply proof of financial need by providing one or more of the following (optional)
 - A copy of the Financial Aid Award Letter.
 - Any additional records such as copies of the Veterans' benefits or public assistance.

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Name:

Address:

Other Funding Sources: (Include scholarships and employer tuition reimbursement)

Please attach:

1. A one-page typed summary that explains your career goals, what you have done and plan to do to achieve them. Explain your financial need for this scholarship. You may attach supporting documents.
2. The committee will examine your application package including reference letters to help ascertain leadership potential. You may submit additional letters if you wish.

Mail application and supporting documents to:

**MAB Program Coordinator
Department of Agricultural Economics
Kansas State University
342 Waters Hall
Manhattan, KS 66506-4011**

****Awards will be made through the Department of Financial Aid in accordance with University policy.**

