**Professional Women in Building- Des Moines**

2024 Scholarship Application

Our mission is to promote, elevate, and support local women in the building industry. Applicants must be residents of Iowa and either:

1. Pursuing a career in the home building industry and/or related trades in Iowa

2. Attending a trade school or apprenticeship in Iowa

3. Attending a higher educational institution in Iowa

Applications from high school, college, graduate, and post-graduate educational levels are accepted. Preference is given to local women in trade school programs, but all are welcome to apply.

Scholarship award amounts are determined by the voting members of the PWB each year, depending on the money raised from the fundraising efforts throughout the year. Scholarships for higher education funds will be mailed directly to the educational institution provided on this application. Scholarships for tools, etc. for apprenticeship programs will be made directly to purchase the needed supplies. The scholarship is not redeemable for cash and is non-transferable. Recipients will be notified of the results by a phone call and email.

# PART I – Basic Information:

**Name: Date of Birth:**

**Address: City/State/Zip:**

**Phone: Parent(s) Name:**

**Parent(s)**

**Employer/School/Apprenticeship Currently Attending & Classification** (Jr / Sr / 1st Yr, etc.):

**Educational Goals:** (Name of college / trade program attending or plan to attend)

**College Name:**

**Address, City, State, Zip:**

**College Phone Number:**

**College Student ID #:**

**Date of Enrollment:**

**Anticipated Graduation Date:**

**Course of Study:** (list your major / minor / certification programs)

**How did you find out about this scholarship? Work History / Work Experience:**

Company Town & State Job Duties Employment Dates

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**Volunteer Experience:**

Organization Town & State Duties Volunteer Dates

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# PART II – Written Essays (not short answer)

## Essay: Please attach a maximum 150 word essay on each of these topics:

1. What are your career goals?
2. What is your background or involvement in the home building industry and related trades?
3. What role do you think the home building industry plays in the economy of Iowa?
4. What is your financial need for this scholarship?
5. How do you see women in the future of the home building industry and related trades?

## Application Directions and Requirements:

1. Download application in either Word or PDF/Adobe document.
2. Type entire application.
3. Part I must be entirely completed.
4. Part II all essays must be answered.
5. Save completed application as a Word or PDF/Adobe document.
6. Copy of transcripts sent to pwb@dsmhba.com
7. Email completed application and a copy of transcript to pwb@dsmhba.com w/subject line: *PWB Scholarship Application*

## Deadline: February 28, 2024 for ALL Materials ~ No Exceptions.

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