National Conference on Urban Entomology & Invasive Pest Ant Conference
Student Scholarship Notice

TO: Urban Entomologists

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SUBJECT: Call for Applications – Student Scholarships

The joint National Conference on Urban Entomology (NCUE) and Invasive Pest Ant Conference will be held May 20-23 2018 at the Embassy Suites Cary in North Carolina. The NCUE Awards Committee is currently soliciting applications for student scholarships. If qualified, three scholarships will be awarded — one each at the Ph.D., M.S., and B.S. levels. Each scholarship will be $1,500. Receipt of an award will require the student to attend the conference to present a paper on his/her research (see ncue.tamu.edu or facebook.com/groups/NCUE18 for paper submission information).

Applicants must be graduate or undergraduate students studying urban entomology or industrial pest management full-time at an accredited U.S. college or university. The applicant must have at least 6 months remaining in his/her degree program from the deadline of this application (2/1/18). Application packets should include:
1. Applicant information, including name, mailing address, phone number, and email of applicant. Applicant should indicate academic status (including degree sought), estimated graduation date, affiliation with the Department and College/University, description of professional activities, and a statement (2 pages maximum) of how his/her project relates to urban entomology.
2. Transcripts ( unofficial copies are acceptable).
3. At least one letter of recommendation (3 letters maximum).
4. Maximum of 5 additional pages of supporting documents——CV, research proposals, list of publications, etc., that may be helpful in the selection process.
5. Only complete application packets submitted on or before February 1, 2018 will be considered.

Please email your submissions with “NCUE Scholarship Application” in the subject line to ncue.awards@gmail.com

Scholarship recipients will be informed by the end of February. Recipients will be recognized at the 2018 NCUE Awards Luncheon with a plaque and $1,500 check. In accordance with NCUE by-laws, each scholarship recipient must present a paper at the Conference.

Please contact Faith Oi or Dini Miller with questions.