

## **Ag Coop Safety Leaders of Iowa Scholarship**

### **In Memory of Mark Hambleton**

**Multiple Scholarships awarded up to \$3000.**

**Application Deadline: April 15, 2024**

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As a founding member of the Ag Coop Safety Leaders of Iowa (ACSLIA), Mark Hambleton was dedicated to the future of agricultural safety and those working in and around the Ag industry. Mark served as an officer in ACSLIA for many years and as the Safety Director of Pro Cooperative, he was one of the first in the nation to arrange for his cooperative to donate grain bin cofferdams to local fire departments for grain bin rescues. In honor of his dedication to the future of AG Safety, ACSLIA is proud to offer this scholarship application in the memory of Mark Hambleton.

The Ag Coop Safety Leaders of Iowa Scholarships are open to high school Seniors looking to further their career in an Agriculture or Safety related field and must be planning to attend college, university, or trade school during the upcoming school year.

Applicants will be required to fill out the application and submit an essay on **"What does Ag Safety mean to you?"**. One letter of recommendation from a non-family member is also required.

Downloadable forms are available at [www.acsdia.org/scholarship.html](http://www.acsdia.org/scholarship.html).

Please email us at [ACSDIAScholarship@gmail.com](mailto:ACSDIAScholarship@gmail.com) for any questions.



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If possible, the ACSLIA would like to present this award to the recipient at our July 2024 scholarship presentation.

## Scholarship Criteria

- High School senior attending College, University, or Trade School Fall 2024
- Pursuing a major in an Agriculture or Safety Related Field

## Submission Requirements

- Completed Scholarship Application
- Professional resume (include at a minimum): HS School(s) attended with current cumulative GPA, extracurricular/co-curricular activities/club involvement, leadership experience, and work experience.
- Maximum 1000-word essay on "What does Agricultural Safety mean to you?"
- One (1) signed letter of recommendation from a non-family member.
- Information must be submitted in PDF format to [ACSDIAScholarship@gmail.com](mailto:ACSDIAScholarship@gmail.com) by 4:00pm on April 15, 2024

## Student Information

Students Name: (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

High School: \_\_\_\_\_

Intended College: \_\_\_\_\_ Intended Major: \_\_\_\_\_

College Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Activities not listed in resume \_\_\_\_\_

## Signature

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ (if under 18 years of age) Date: \_\_\_\_\_