

Alliant Energy Innovation Scholarship

Alliant Energy recognizes outstanding community leadership in young people and helps students reach their academic goals.

Up to 25 \$1,000 scholarships are awarded to students annually through the **Alliant Energy Innovation Scholarship Program**.

Award selection is based on participation in a leadership role in community service activities and volunteer work; academic grade point average; standardized test scores; and the content of a 300-word essay submission.

Eligibility guidelines

To be eligible, scholarship applicants must have participated in a leadership role in community service work or volunteer activities. They must also meet the following criteria:

- Be age 24 or under;
- Be a dependent child of a current customer, or be a current customer, of one of Alliant Energy's utility subsidiaries (Interstate Power and Light or Wisconsin Power and Light);
- Have a cumulative high school grade point average between 2.50 and 4.00 on a 4.0 scale (or the equivalent) - emphasis will be placed on community service leadership activities;
- Reside within the Alliant Energy service territory at the time of application; and
- Plan to enroll in, for the first time, beginning in the fall of 2018, a full-time undergraduate course of study at an accredited two- or four-year college or university, or vocational-technical school located within the Alliant Energy service territory.

Restrictions

Employees of Alliant Energy Corporation, Scholarship America, their subsidiaries, affiliates, advertising and promotion agencies and their immediate family (spouses, parents, children or siblings and their spouses) and persons living in the same household of such employees, who are employed at the time of application are ineligible to receive a scholarship.

Review criteria

A scholarship committee will carefully review each application in search of the most deserving recipients. Judges will consider several criteria, including:

- Leadership experience and community service or volunteer activities;
- Academic grade point average;
- Standardized test scores; and

- The content of a 300-word essay submission.

Rank-in-class will not be a determining factor. Scholarship awards are for one year only and are limited to undergraduate study. Applications will be accepted from December 1 to February 17.

Questions? Contact Jeni Marks, Program Manager at (507) 931-8349 or jmarks@scholarshipamerica.org.

Full list of scholarships offered by Alliant Energy

In addition to the scholarship above, a number of opportunities are also available through our partnering schools. These scholarship opportunities are reflective of careers in the energy industry. Application and selection for these scholarships are managed by each individual school. Please contact the school to learn how to apply.

INSTITUTION	CITY	AWARDS	AREAS OF STUDY/OTHER DESIGNATION
Coe College (Endowment)	Cedar Rapids	1	One for Business
Iowa Foundation for Agricultural Advancement	Iowa State Fair	1	One for Agriculture
Iowa Lakes Community College	Estherville	2	Two for Wind Energy and Turbine Technology Program
Iowa State University (Endowment)	Ames	6	Four for Engineering Two for Agriculture One reserved for the child of an Alliant Energy employee
Marshalltown Community College	Marshalltown	3	
Northeast Iowa Community College	Peosta	2	Two for Gas Utility Construction and Service
Northwest Iowa Community College	Sheldon	6	Six for Powerline or Powerline Technology
University of Northern Iowa (Endowment)	Cedar Falls	5	Five for College of Business Administration One reserved for the child of an Alliant Energy employee One reserved for a minority