# INTERNATIONAL UNION OF OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 37



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Dear Brother/Sister,

In March of 2014, your Executive Board established the International Union of Operating Engineers Local 37 Scholarship.

The purpose of the Scholarship is to provide financial assistance for undergraduate or graduate study to current and retired members of IUOE, Local 37 members and their spouses, dependent children (as defined by IRS regulations) and grandchildren. If the applicant is a Union Member he or she must have at least one year of continuous Union Membership. If the applicant is a spouse, dependent child or grandchild, the Union Member must fulfill the eligibility requirement.

Applicants will have been accepted at a US accredited college or university, a technical school for undergraduate or graduate work and have a GPA of 3.0 or better. We are also asking for a 500 word essay on the benefits that the Labor Movement in the United States has had for workers in the United States.

Continuing the IUOE tradition of supporting and enhancing skill levels of its member's, the International Union of Operating Engineers, Local 37 Scholarship is yet another demonstration of the Union's dedication to its members and their families.

The criteria and application for the IUOE, Local 37 Scholarship are enclosed for your review.

Previous scholarship recipients are able to re-apply every year

Sincerely

Mark F. McQuay Business Manager

# THE INTERNATIONAL UNION OF OPERATING ENGINEERS, LOCAL 37 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

APPLICANT:	DATE
Name:	
Date of Birth: Social Security Number	
Address:	
Phone: High School:	
Expected Graduation Date:	Email :
Cumulative G.P.A.(Weighted)	(Non-Weighted)
Sponsoring IUOE, Local 37 Member	
Relationship to IUOE, Local 37 Member	
Member of IUOE, Local 37 Since Member Registration No.:	
FAMILY INFORMATION (or Guardian if applicable)  Mother	Not Needed for Adult Applicants    Father
Names:	
Address(es):	
Occupation:	
EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION	
Accepted by(Name of Institution)	
(Location)	

- 1. Please attach your unofficial transcript to this application. Please write scores in spaces provided; not, "see attached".
- 2. Please list your activities at your high school, community (including service clubs or projects), sports, civic groups.
- 3. Please attach a Letter of Recommendation from a teacher, coach, group leader or Union Representative.
- 4. Please attach a 500 word essay on the importance the Labor Movement has had for workers in the United States.

The complete application package should be returned by February 28, 2025 to
The Community Foundation of Carroll County, 255 Clifton Blvd. Suite 313, Westminster, MD 21157
Please include all attachments for your application to be considered.

A Scholarship Fund of the Community Foundation of Carroll County, Inc.

#### THE INTERNATIONAL UNION OF OPERATING ENGINEERS

#### LOCAL 37 SCHOLARSHIP

#### CRITERIA

#### 'PURPOSE:

The purpose of this Fund is to provide scholarships for undergraduate or graduate study to current and retired members of IUOE, Local 37, their spouses, dependent children (as defined by IRS regulations) and grandchildren. If the applicant is a Union member, he/she must have at least one year of continuous union membership. If the applicant is a dependent, the applicant's parent or grandparent must fulfill the membership requirement. The Scholarship will be awarded to an applicant(s) that meet the criteria established for the fun.

#### **FUND SELECTION CRITERIA:**

- A. FUNDS will be awarded to an applicant who meets the following criteria:
  - a. The applicant will be a member or qualified family member of the International Union of Operating Engineers, Local 37.
  - b. The applicant will have been accepted at an accredited college, university or technical school.
  - c. The applicant or the qualifying family member will have been a member of IUOE Local 37 for at least one year and currently be in good standing if an 'active' member.
  - d. If the Applicant is a student graduating from High School, he/she will have maintained a GPA of 3.0 and have college worthy SAT scores if applicable.
  - e. The applicant will write a 500 word essay on the importance of what the Labor Movement has done for workers in the United States.

# The administration of the FUND shall be as follows:

- a. The recipient(s) shall be selected by the Donors or their designee, and approved by the Board of Directors of the Community Foundation of Carroll County. Donors reserve the right to make the award presentation.
- b. All income in the Fund shall be used for fund purposes.
- c. The money shall be transmitted by the Community Foundation of Carroll County directly to the desired college, university or technical school and applied directly to the student's tuition and books. The monies shall not be remitted to the FUND winner.

## **GENERAL CONDITIONS:**

# **RESPONSIBILITIES OF FUND**

The Community Foundation will transmit a check made payable to the institutions of higher learning chosen on or about July 1 of each year. The transfers will be in accordance with applicable regulations and laws governing such funds.

# **RESPONSIBILITES OF BOARD**

- a. The successful recipients will be selected in accordance with the selection criteria identified in the Agreement.
- b. The Community Foundation of Carroll County shall administer the program in a prudent financial manner and the funds may be commingled with other funds of the Community Foundation of Carroll County for investment purposes.