

# 2007 Scholarship Winners



**Albert Abromitis**  
IAM Member – LL 1759  
Alexandria, VA  
College: National Labor College  
Silver Spring, MD  
Major: Labor Studies (Employee Assistance Professional)



**Charlene Hromjah-Black**  
IAM Member – LL 2339N  
Newark, NJ  
College: National Labor College  
Silver Spring, MD  
Major: Labor Studies



**ROMAN MAYFIELD AWARD**  
**Michael A. Counihan, Jr.**  
Parent: Michael A. Counihan, LL 50  
Columbus, MS  
College: Georgetown University  
Washington, DC  
Major: International Development



**Matthew S. Helgerson**  
Parent: Lori A. Buckles, LL 2191  
La Crosse, WI  
Voc-tech College: Western Technical  
College, La Crosse, WI  
Major: Welding



**Brian A. Jones**  
Parent: Charles R. Jones, LL 2003  
Daleville, AL  
Voc-tech College: Enterprise-Ozark  
Community College, Ozark, AL  
Major: Avionics Technology



**Kevin D. Luebbert**  
Parent: Sharon Luebbert, LL 949  
St. Louis, MO  
Voc-tech College: Lincoln College of  
Technology, Indianapolis, IN  
Major: Automotive Mechanics



**Shapel D. Morgan**  
Parent: Daniel Morgan, LL 695  
Olympia, WA  
Voc-tech College: South Puget Sound  
Community College, Olympia, WA  
Major: Radiology Technologist



**Timothy D. Wiser**  
Parent: Dale A. Wiser, LL 1165  
Lincoln, IL  
College: Washington University  
St. Louis, MO  
Major: Math and Physics



**Melanie A. Bechard**  
Parent: Robert Bechard, LL 2323  
Malton, ONT, CANADA  
College: Queen's University  
ONT, CANADA  
Major: Chemistry or Psychology



**Allison M. Class**  
Parent: Victoria Herian, LL FL276  
Madison, WI  
College: University of Minnesota-Twin Cities  
Minneapolis, MN  
Major: Bio-Medical Engineering



**Thomas E. Gartner, III**  
Parent: Thomas E. Gartner, Jr., LL 1414  
San Mateo, CA  
College: University of California  
Berkeley, CA  
Major: Chemical Engineering



**Larissa I. Higginbotham**  
Parent: William Higginbotham, LL 656  
Nitro, WV  
College: University of Maryland  
College Park, MD  
Major: Biochemistry and Political Science



**Claire Lefebvre**  
Parent: Marc Lefebvre, LL 1751  
Dorval, QC, CANADA  
College: McGill University  
QC, CANADA  
Major: Medicine



**Harold F. McMullin, III**  
Parent: Harold F. McMullin, Jr., LL 701  
Chicago, IL  
Voc-tech College: Illinois Welding School  
Romeoville, IL  
Major: Welding



**Shayna L. Schuman**  
Parent: Desiree Schuman, LL 2559  
Phoenix, AZ  
College: Arizona State University  
Tempe, AZ  
Major: Creative Writing and Journalism



**Joshua L. Wonser**  
Parent: Denny Wonser, LL PM2848  
Warren, MI  
College: Miami University  
Oxford, OH  
Major: Chemistry

## Honorable Mentions

**James F. Ahlum**  
**Nicolas S. Coffey**  
**Baltazar Cordero, Jr.**

**Randy P. Frederick**  
**Phillip J. Gleason**  
**Jose Goris, Jr.**

**Shirley Liang**  
**Kathryn C. Nellett**  
**Kadi White**

# SCHOLARSHIP COMPETITION 2008 GUIDELINES

The scholarship competition is open each year to members of the IAM and their children throughout the United States and Canada.

Scholarships to make possible the attainment of a Bachelor's degree or a two-year vocational/technical certification are determined in a competition among eligible applicants that is judged by an independent Selection Committee.

Awards to Members are \$2,000 per academic year. They are granted for a specific period from one to four years leading to a Bachelor's degree or a two-year vocational/technical certification.

Awards to Children of Members are: College - \$1,000 per academic year. All awards are renewed each year until a Bachelor's degree is obtained or for a maximum of four years, whichever occurs first.

Vocational/Technical School - \$2,000 per year until certification is reached or for a maximum of two years, whichever occurs first.

## Eligibility for Competition

An applicant must be either: an IAM member, or the son, daughter, stepchild or legally adopted child of an IAM member.

## A Member Applicant

Must have one living parent with two years' continuous good-standing membership up to and including the closing date of February 22, 2008; must be planning to graduate during the winter or by the end of the spring 2008 school year (i.e., normally a high school senior or completing the last year of college preparatory work); and will be eligible if the parent died after the son or daughter entered high school if the parent had two years of "continuous good-standing membership" at the time of death. A "continuous good-standing membership" is understood to be a period of membership during which the

member continuously has paid monthly dues uninterrupted by withdrawal cards. The IAM member must maintain continuous good-standing membership throughout the life of the award.

## Scholarships Not Available

- to applicants who do not intend to work without interruption for a Bachelor's degree or completion of a vocational/technical school certification,
- to members' children who are attending or have already attended college or vocational/technical school,
- to children of members on the payroll of the Grand Lodge,

- to graduate students,
- to applicants who do not plan to enroll in an accredited college or vocational/technical school.

## How to Apply

There are three different Application Packets: one for children of members (college); one for children of members (vocational/technical school) and one for members (either).

To be valid, an application must be submitted on the appropriate form. Application Packets for the 2008 competition may be obtained by writing to the IAM Scholarship Program, indicating whether applicant is a member, or the child of a member.

## Request for IAM Scholarship Application Packet

Please send me an Application Packet for the 2008 IAM Scholarship Competition. If the proper packet is not received within 30 days, advise me immediately. I understand that this request is not an application, and that the Application Packet must be completed and postmarked no later than February 22, 2008.

REMINDER: Please check the appropriate box of the three listed below and the requested application will be mailed to you. As an IAM member who will have two years' continuous membership in the IAM as of February 22, 2008, I am requesting an Application Packet for

- Child of a Member requesting a College Scholarship
- Child of a Member requesting a Vocational/Technical Scholarship
- IAM Member requesting a College or Vocational/Technical Scholarship

**IMPORTANT:** Complete this coupon and enclose a self-addressed LABEL for reply. (Do not send self-addressed envelope.)

**Mail to: IAM Scholarship Program • 9000 Machinists Place, Room 117 • Upper Marlboro, MD 20772-2687**

*If you do not qualify under the above requirements, please do not send in this coupon. No exceptions can be made to the rules.*