



Eligibility Criteria and Instructions

Eligibility Criteria

- The candidate must be a student at the time of application
- Must be an OVIFT student member
- Candidates must participate in a minimum of 1 OVIFT event during the year.
- Candidates must be majoring or completing courses in Food Science, Food Technology, Food Engineering, Culinology or Culinary Arts at a college or higher level

Instructions

- Complete the application form (typed & in English) using the space provided and attach:
 - o A signed letter of recommendation from a faculty member familiar with your work.
 - o Transcripts covering a minimum of the previous two academic years (i.e. a college sophomore would send their freshman year and their last high school year transcripts. The transcripts may be unofficial copies.
- OVIFT must receive the scholarship application, transcripts and letter of recommendation by April 10th, 2017.
- Scholarship recipients will be announced at the OVIFT Supplier’s Expo on April 27th, 2017.

Scholarship Application 2016 - 2017

SECTION I: STUDENT INFO

Name (Last, First, Middle) _____

College Address (street, city, state, zip code): _____

School Phone: _____ School Email: _____

Home Address (street, city, state, zip code): _____

Home Phone: _____ Home Email: _____

I am currently enrolled as student at The Ohio State University _____ and I hereby certify that all information is accurate.

Student Signature: _____

SECTION II: EDUCATION AND ACTIVITIES

College	Degree Held or Expected	Graduation Date	Current GPA

Please answer the questions below in paragraph form or bullet style.

1. Describe your career objectives and goals.
2. Outline past and present work experience and internships.
3. Outline any extracurricular activities including community service and leadership positions.
4. List awards, honors, and scholarships received.
5. List presentations, special projects or publications.
6. Briefly describe your participation in OVIFT.

SECTION III: PERSONAL STATEMENT

In a typed essay not to exceed 1000 words, describe what this scholarship would mean to your education and career. Successful essays will incorporate information on prior food-related extracurricular activities, work experience and achievements. Needs for financial aid should also be described.

Please e-mail OVIFT at ohiovalleysection.ift@gmail.com by April 10th, 2017 with this application, transcripts, and a letter of recommendation; incomplete applications will be disqualified. Scholarship recipients will be notified at the OVIFT Supplier's Expo on April 27th, 2017.

Many thanks!
OVIFT Scholarship Committee
2016 - 2017