ELIGIBILITY

- High school seniors who are graduating in 2012 and have been accepted in a hospitality or culinary arts program at an accredited post-secondary institution.
- Any student currently enrolled in an accredited hospitality, hotel, restaurant management or culinary arts program at a post-secondary institution.
- Student must be a Pennsylvania resident.

HOW TO APPLY

Download an application form at www.parestaurant.org/scholarship

The application packet deadline is March 2, 2012.

MAIL APPLICATION PACKET TO

PRAEF Scholarship Program • 100 State Street • Harrisburg, PA 17101

SCHOLARSHIP DETAILS

- Awards range in value from $250 to $1,500.
- Hospitality work experience preferred but not required.
- Candidates will be notified by mid-April 2012.
- The scholarship monies will be mailed directly to the student’s post-secondary institution in mid-July 2012.

MORE INFORMATION

For more information about the scholarship program, contact the Pennsylvania Restaurant Association Educational Foundation at

phone  (800) 345-5353
email scholarship@parestaurant.org
The scholarship application package must include the following materials:

- completed application form
- three letters of recommendation (one from an instructor/teacher; one from an employer; one from a personal reference)
- transcript from the school you most recently attended
- a 200 word essay describing who you are, your work experience and why you wish to pursue a career in the hospitality industry
- a letter of acceptance from the post-secondary institution you will be attending (unless currently enrolled)
- hospitality work experience preferred but not required

GENERAL INFORMATION

Last Name                      First Name                      Middle Initial

Date of Birth                  Social Security Number             Student ID#

Address

City                            State                            Zip

Home Phone                      Email

Are you affiliated with or related to any Pennsylvania Restaurant Association board member?   □ yes   □ no
If yes, please explain the relationship.__________________________________________________________

HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION INFORMATION

High School/Vo-tech School Name

Date of Graduation              G.P.A.

Do you have an equivalency diploma (GED) □ yes □ no

POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION INFORMATION

College/University/School presently attending

Expected date of graduation      G.P.A.

Degree                          Major

Department Chair

Address

City                            State                            Zip

MORE ON REVERSE
Is this the school for which the scholarship is intended? □ yes  □ no
If no, please provide the name and address of the school for which the scholarship is intended.

Have you applied for admission?    □ yes  □ no
Have you been accepted?           □ yes  □ no

CURRICULUM OUTLINE (describe the courses you have taken/will take).

CAREER OBJECTIVES

OTHER EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND (list other post-secondary institutions you have attended)

WORK EXPERIENCE
List your most recent work experience first or attach your resume.

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Are you planning to work during school? □ yes  □ no
If yes, list the number of hours per week you plan on working.  __________

I hereby certify that the information in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Signed ___________________________ Date __________

Signed (Parent or Guardian if applicant is under the age of 18) ___________________________ Date __________

MAIL COMPLETE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PACKET TO:
Pennsylvania Restaurant Association Educational Foundation
100 State Street, Harrisburg, PA 17101
(800) 34505353 • www.parestaurant.org