

SAN DIEGO MESA COLLEGE
INTERIOR DESIGN PROGRAM / NKBA SCHOLARSHIP
Funded by the National Kitchen & Bath Association (NKBA)

This scholarship was established and funded by the NKBA San Diego Chapter to recognize and provide financial assistance to a deserving student majoring in Interior Design who has achieved outstanding scholarship and demonstrated an interest in Kitchen and Bath Design.

TO BE ELIGIBLE STUDENTS MUST MEET THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA:

- Be currently enrolled in at least 3 units at Mesa College
- Have completed or currently be enrolled in INTE 200 / Advanced Residential Space Planning: Kitchens & Baths
- Have completed a minimum of 18 units in Interior Design courses at Mesa College
- Have a grade point average of 3.0 or higher on a 4.0 scale for Mesa College courses completed
- Have a declared major in Interior Design
- Have a minimum of one course remaining before educational program completed, or documentation verifying that you are transferring to a four year university for BA

APPLICATION DEADLINE FEBRUARY 27, 2009

Completed applications and all required supporting documents must be received by 4:00 p.m. on February 27, 2009. Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.

SELECTION PROCESS AND CRITERIA

All completed applications that meet eligibility requirements will be reviewed by a committee composed of representatives from the Mesa College Interior Design faculty, classified staff, student government, and administration.

APPLICATIONS WILL BE RATED AS FOLLOWS:

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| Biographical Questionnaire | 20 points maximum |
| GPA of 3.0 and higher | 20 points maximum |
| Student must exhibit additional interest in the field of Kitchen & Bath Design. Examples include: NKBA student membership, volunteerism in the kitchen & bath industry, internship or work experience in the kitchen & bath industry | 20 points maximum |
| Essay | 30 points maximum |
| Recommendation letters (2) | 10 points maximum |

RECIPIENT NOTIFICATION AND RELEASE OF SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

Recipients will be notified by mid-April. Awards will be presented on Friday May 8, 2009, at the Annual Scholarship Awards Banquet. Recipients will be honored as a special guest and will receive one complimentary dinner ticket. Attendance at the Scholarship Banquet is strongly encouraged so that your achievements can be celebrated and the generosity of the donors publicly acknowledged.

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Applicants are requested to submit the following documentation:

1. A fully completed application-biographical questionnaire. All information requested must be provided.
2. Submit two current letters of recommendation on official letterhead:
 - One (1) from a Mesa College faculty member (counselors are faculty members) specific to this scholarship and discussing your academic achievement and/or progress in your planned educational program.
 - One (1) from a person (non-faculty) who can provide information regarding your internship/work-experience in the kitchen and bath industry, extra-curricular service to the kitchen and bath industry, or activities with the kitchen and bath industry. This person may not be a peer in the Interior Design Program.
3. Submit a well-written original essay about your background, your educational and career goals, and your interest in the field of Kitchen and Bath Design. Your essay should not exceed 500 words.

RETURN OR MAIL TO:

San Diego Mesa College
Student Affairs Office
ATTN: Scholarship Committee
7250 Mesa College Drive, H-500
San Diego, CA 92111

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