



STEW TWEED FISHERIES AND AQUACULTURE SCHOLARSHIP Application Form – Graduating High School Senior

Before completing the application, applicant must ensure he/she meets all of the following eligibility requirements. Applications not meeting the following eligibility requirements will be declined.

To be eligible, applicant must:

- *Show intent to pursue studies relevant to a career in fisheries and aquaculture*
- *Be a United States citizen*
- *Be a resident of New Jersey (may attend an out-of-state college/university)*
- *Possess a minimum 3.0 GPA*
- *Be or have been enrolled in a State-recognized New Jersey high school*

Application materials must be received by March 28, 2014.

Complete all requested information

SECTION I - Personal Information

Last Name:

First Name:

Date of Birth: / /

Gender: Male Female

Current Address:

Permanent Address (if different):

Home Phone: - -

Work/School Phone: - -

E-mail Address:

SECTION II - Education & Achievements

High School Name:

High School Address:

Date of High School Graduation: MM/YYYY

High School Class Rank:

GPA:

List extracurricular activities, offices held, and community service during high school (if space below is insufficient, please complete on a separate sheet. DO NOT include a resume.)

Freshman year:

Sophomore year:

Junior year:

Senior year:

Colleges applied to:

Intended major:

Career goal:

Enrollment: Full-time Part-time

Write an essay of 250 – 500 words discussing your interest in fisheries or aquaculture and the contributions you hope to make to the field. Attach a separate sheet if more space is needed.

Recommendation Forms:

Ask two (2) people who know you well (example: one from your home community, one from your school, or field of vocation) to write us on your behalf. The official [Recommendation Form](#) (hardcopy or electronic) **must** be used. Please provide the form to your references. The recommendations will be confidential. **Your application cannot be considered without two recommendation forms being received by the application deadline.** Please list names providing your recommendation below:

1. _____
2. _____

Recommendation form must be sent by your reference to the address below or via e-mail to kkosko@njseagrant.org.

Transcript:

Transcript **must** be sent **directly from your school** to the address below.

Paper copies of the application form, recommendations and transcript should be sent to the following address and received by the March 28, 2014 application deadline.

Stew Tweed Scholarship Fund
c/o New Jersey Marine Sciences Consortium/New Jersey Sea Grant
22 Magruder Road
Fort Hancock, NJ 07732

Your signature below certifies that all information included in this application is true and correct.

Signature

Date

*******IMPORTANT NOTICE*******

The **Application, Recommendations and Transcript must be received by March 28, 2014.** Applications must be received by mail or electronically by the deadline to be considered by the Committee. **Only complete applications will be considered for awards. Complete applications consist of a completed application form, school transcript and 2 completed recommendation forms. Review of completed applications will begin on April 15, 2014.**

****Scholarship winners must make arrangements to accept the award on Sunday, May 18, 2014** at the New Jersey Sea Grant Consortium's Sandy Hook headquarters. More details to follow.