# The Foundation for Amateur Radio, Inc.



# 2017 Scholarship List

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The Foundation for Amateur Radio, Inc., will be administering the scholarships listed below for the coming academic year, ranging from \$500 to \$5,000 each. All applicants must meet the following minimum requirements:

- Hold a valid US or foreign amateur radio license,
- Be enrolled, or have been accepted for enrollment, at an accredited university, college or technical school.
- Applicants who attend a school located outside of the United States must enclose a brochure describing the school.

A total of 57 scholarships worth an aggregate of \$94,575 will be awarded.

In order to be considered for the **Chichester** and **QCWA** scholarships, applicants must obtain the appropriate recommendations.

These 16 scholarships are worth \$38,000 in aggregate.

- 1. The five (5) 10-10 International Net, Inc., Scholarships pay \$2,000 each.
  - a. There is no restriction on the course of study.
  - b. Applicants must seek an Associate, Bachelors or Graduate degree.
  - c. Non-US amateurs are eligible.
- 2. The Ralph V. "Andy" Anderson KØNL Scholarship pays \$1,000.
  - a. There is no restriction on the course of study, but
  - b. Preference will be given to applicants pursuing a degree in Journalism.
  - c. Applicants must be residents of the U.S. or its territories.
  - d. Applicants must be seeking a Bachelor's degree.
  - e. Minimum license requirement General Class.
- 3. The Bergen Amateur Radio Association scholarship pays \$575.
  - a. Applicants who are residents of New Jersey are preferred
  - b. Applicants must be pursuing an Associate's or Bachelor's degree in an engineering or scientific discipline
- 4. The Rose Ellen Bills Memorial Scholarship pays \$2,000.
  - a. There is no restriction on the course of study.
  - b. Applicants must be a resident of the U.S. or its territories
  - c. Pursuing a Bachelor's degree
  - d. Minimum license requirement General Class

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#### 5. The R. G. and J.R. Chichester Memorial Scholarship pays \$2,000.

- a. Applicants must be members of the ARRL and
- be recommended by an ARRL-affiliated club (they need not be a member of the club).
- c. There is no restriction on the course of study
- d. Applicant must be pursuing a Bachelor's degree
- e. Preference will be given to Texas residents living in the metropolitan areas of Austin, Kerrville or San Antonio
- f. Minimum license requirement General Class

#### (To locate an ARRL-affiliated club near you, go to http://www.arrl.org/find-a-club.)

6. The Columbia Amateur Radio Association sponsors two scholarships.

The Art Goldman, N3OY, Memorial Scholarship pays \$2,000

The Don Rees, W4VQA, Memorial Scholarship pays \$2,000.

- a. Applicants must be US citizens
- b. Pursuing an Associate's or Bachelor's degree or a certificate from a trade school or technical school
- c. Maryland residents are preferred.

## 7. The Free State Amateur Radio Club Scholarship pays \$1,000.

- a. Applicants must be U.S. citizens
- b. Residing in MD, DE, PA, VA or WV and
- c. Applicant must be enrolled or accepted for a course in technical studies.
- d. Applicants must seek an Associate, Bachelor's or Graduate degree
- e. From a college or university in the United States.

# 7. The Friendship Amateur Radio Club of Ocala, Florida scholarship pays \$1,500.

- a. Applicants must reside in Florida
- **b.** Preference will be given to applicants from the counties of Marion, Levy, Citrus, Alachua, Sumter, Lake, Putnam, or Volusia
- c. Applicants must be pursuing an associate, bachelors or advanced degree
- d. at an accredited college or university
- e. In any field
- f. Preference will be given to students pursuing degrees in electrical or computer engineering.

#### 8. The Robert Michael, N3FA, Scholarship presented by the Murgas Amateur Radio Club pays \$500.

- a. The applicants' home address must be in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and he, or she, must
- b. Seek a Bachelor's degree
- c. From a U.S. college or university.
- d. There is no restriction on the course of study.

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#### 9. The Tulare County Memorial Scholarship pays \$1,000.

- a. Applicants must be working towards a Bachelors or higher degree
- b. In engineering or computer science, and
- c. Be residents of the State of California.
- d. Preference will be given to applicants who
  - 1. Are living in Tulare County, California and
  - 2. Who have not previously received a FAR scholarship.

# 10. The Lawrence E. and Thelma J. Norrie Memorial Scholarship, pays \$2,500.

- a. Applicant must be a U.S. resident.
- b. Preference will be given to
  - 1. Juniors, Seniors and Graduate students
  - 2. With an academic Grade Point Average of 3.0 or higher
  - 3. Who are pursuing a Bachelor's or higher degree
  - 4. In science or engineering.

#### 11. The Robert E. True Memorial Scholarship pays \$1,000.

- a. Applicants must be residents of the state of Ohio
- b. Seeking a Bachelor's degree
- c. At a US college or university.
- d. Preference will be given to those pursuing courses in Electrical Engineering or Electronic/Compute Technology.

#### 12. Northern California QRP Jim Cates, WA6GER, Memorial Club Scholarship pays \$1,000

- a. Preference will be given to Electrical Engineering or Science majors
- b. Freshman through Junior year
- c. Pursuing a Bachelor's
- d. Residing in the US

#### 13. The OZAUKEE Radio Club Scholarship pays \$2,000.

- a. Applicants' home addresses must be in Wisconsin, and the applicants must be
- b. Pursuing a Bachelor's or Graduate degree
- c. As a full-time student
- d. In any course of study.

### 13. The Phil-Mont Mobile Radio Club, Inc. sponsors the following scholarships

- The Claude H. Haring, Jr., W3IIM Memorial Scholarship pays \$1,000.
- The Bryan Hoch, N3VJE, Memorial Scholarship pays \$1,000.
- a. There is no restriction on the course of study.
- b. Applicants must intend to seek a Bachelor's or Graduate degree, and
- c. Applicant's home address must be in the Eastern Pennsylvania or Southern New Jersey ARRL Sections.

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#### 14. The Pikes Peak Radio Amateur Association Scholarship pays \$1,000

- a. Preference will be given to residents of Colorado
- b. Or those attending a Colorado accredited college or university.
- c. Applicants must seek a Bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university in the United States
- d. In engineering, mathematics, computer technology, or the physical sciences ▲
- e. And must be US citizens

#### The Quarter Century Wireless Association (QCWA) will award 24 scholarships, worth a total of \$36,000, for 2017.

- a. There are no restrictions on the course of study and
- b. Applicants must intend to seek an Associate, Bachelor's or Graduate degree.
- c. There is no residence area preference.
- d. Applicants must be recommended by a member of QCWA, but
- e. May not themselves be members of QCWA.
- f. Non-US Amateurs are eligible.
- g. The awardee is required to submit a report of his or her amateur radio activities, along with a report on their academic activities during the year following award of the scholarship.

#### (To locate a QCWA member near you, contact: Ken Oelke, VE6AFO, ve6afo@telus.net (403) 226-5840)

- 18. There are three Radio Club of America Scholarships, two that pay \$1,000 each and one that pays \$1,500.
  - a. Preference will be given to applicants pursuing studies in electrical engineering
  - b. Toward a Bachelor's degree and
  - c. Be U.S. citizens.
  - d. Applicants must be in their Junior or Senor year of studies.
  - e. Preference will be given to applicants taking courses in Wireless Communications.
  - f. Minimum license requirement General Class.
- 19. The Chuck Reville, K3FT Memorial Scholarship, sponsored by Phillip Karn, KA9Q, pays \$1,000.
  - a. Applicants must intend to seek a Bachelor's degree
  - b. In any branch of the engineering or physical sciences.
  - a. There is no residence requirement.
- 20. The Dwight Weller, KB3LA, Memorial Scholarship, sponsored by Phillip Karn, KA9Q, pays \$1,000.
  - a. Applicants must intend to seek a Bachelor's degree
  - b. In any branch of the engineering or physical sciences.
  - c. There is no residence requirement.
- 21. There are two FAR Silent Key Memorial Scholarships, which pay \$5,000 each,
  - a. available to U.S. Residents,
  - b. pursing any course of study
  - c. leading to a Bachelor's degree.

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#### 22. The YASME Foundation Scholarship pays \$5,000.

- a. Applicants must have been licensed for at least two years prior to the application date and,
- b. must hold a General Class, or higher, license
- c. Applicants must be pursuing a degree in the sciences or in engineering,
- d. attending an accredited four-year college
- e. in the United States or its possessions,
- f. and must demonstrate high academic achievement
- g. Submission of a transcript is required for this award.

The awardee is required to submit a report on his or her amateur radio activities during the year *following* award of the scholarship.

#### 23. The Young Ladies Radio League sponsors three scholarships:

- The Ethel Smith, K4LMB, Memorial Scholarship which pays \$2,000.
- The Mary Lou Brown, NM7N, Memorial Scholarship which pays \$2,000.
- The Martha "Marte" Wessel, K0EPE, Memorial Scholarship which pays \$1,000.
- a. Applicants must be female and
- b. Hold at least an FCC Technician Class or equivalent foreign authorization and
- c. Intend to seek a Bachelor's or Graduate degree
- d. From a U.S. college or university.
- e. There are no residence restrictions
- f. Preference will be give students studying communications, electronics, or related arts and sciences
- g. Non-US Amateurs are eligible.
- h. The Ethel Smith, K4LMB, and Mary Lou Brown, NM7N, scholarships are intended for full time students.
- i. The Martha "Marte" Wessel, K0EPE, Memorial Scholarship is intended for a part-time student who is working full time while a student.

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