

Fox Valley Associated General Contractors  
James Bannister Scholarship

Establishment of the James Bannister Scholarship

Pursuant to Article III-K of the Agreement and Declaration of Trust, as amended, the undersigned Trustees agree to establishment of a college scholarship, to be known as the James Bannister Scholarship, upon the following terms:

1. Competition for the James Bannister Scholarship shall be open to all eligible students, without regard for race, color, creed, sex, age or national origin.
2. To be eligible for consideration for James Bannister Scholarship a student preferably must:
  - a. Be enrolled or accepted in a 2 or 4 year college/university pursuing a course of studies leading to a degree in building construction, construction management or civil engineering.
  - b. The applicant **MUST** be a full-time student
  - c. The applicant **MUST** be a U.S. citizen or documented permanent resident of the United States (i.e. must possess a “green card”)
  - d. Have and maintain a GPA of 2.5 or higher on a four point scale. Copy of transcripts must be submitted at the end of each semester.
  - e. 250 word essay statement with the application form outlining reasons for pursuing a career in construction.
  - f. Two reference out of the three from the list below:
    - i. Academic (Guidance Council)
    - ii. Professional (current or most recent past job)
    - iii. Personal (non-family member)
3. The Trustees shall establish a James Bannister Scholarship Committee, which shall interview all applicants and shall recommend the applicants to be awarded the scholarships on the basis of academic achievement, responsiveness to application and need.

4. The FVAGC Scholarship recipient will be awarded \$4,000 divided equally over 4 year college tenure. To continue to receive the remainder of the scholarship the recipient must submit transcripts, showing a 2.5 or higher and a statement from the school stating your major has not changed. This information must be submitted to Fox Valley AGC by August 1 each year. The scholarship check will be made out to both the student and school. The number and amount of the scholarship may be changed by the Trustees at any time and the entire scholarship program may be suspended or terminated by Trustees at any time.
  
5. **Scholarship applications must be received** in the Fox Valley AGC office by December 15 of each year. The office is located at:  
2020 Dean Street  
Unit I  
St. Charles, IL 60174