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TO: University Architecture Departments for Graduate and Undergraduate Students
FROM: Jennifer Tolman, Office Assistant, Concrete Masonry Association of California and Nevada (CMACN)
RE: Year-round, \$1000 - \$1,500 **ARCHITECTURE SCHOLARSHIP** for the Study of Concrete Masonry

Dear Professors, Staff, and Students:

Concrete Masonry Association of California and Nevada, a non-profit organization, is pleased to announce we have continued our scholarship program in 2024, open year-round, for graduate and undergraduate level architecture students who study concrete masonry as an architectural building envelope material in California or Nevada.

As an association of concrete masonry block manufacturers, CMACN's mission is to strengthen the masonry industry in California and Nevada by providing technical information resources on concrete masonry for design professionals, protect and advance the interests of the concrete masonry industry, develop new and existing markets for concrete masonry products, and coordinate our members' efforts in solving common problems within the masonry industry.

CMACN develops, monitors, and coordinates test programs, research projects, and specification updates. We publish technical and educational data, and both receive and disseminate recommendations for improved product use. To this end, we have established a scholarship program in order to promote the study of concrete masonry as a subject in California and Nevada. The Architecture Scholarship amount is \$1000 - \$1,500 per recipient. **There is no predetermined number of scholarship awardees; selections are determined by application question responses. For more information about CMACN scholarships, visit www.cmacn.org. For more information about concrete MASONRY, visit www.whymasonry.org.**

Requests for this scholarship should be submitted via email, USPS mail, or fax on the attached application and include at least one sealed, dated, and signed departmental recommendation (emailed and faxed letters of recommendation will only be accepted from the recommender, NOT from the applicant). Scholarship recipients must return to a California or Nevada university the following semester as architecture students. **To be considered for a specific scholarship, applications must be postmarked no later than the closure dates listed below:**

<u>Scholarship</u>	<u>Application Closure Date</u>
Spring Scholarship	Monday, March 11, 2024
Summer Scholarship	Monday, June 3, 2024
Fall Scholarship	Tuesday, September 3, 2024 *Legacy Memorial Scholarship applications due
Winter Scholarship	Monday, December 2, 2024

Individuals may only receive ONE Architecture scholarship award per calendar year (January – December). Repeat applicants and previous awardees are welcome to apply. All scholarship applicants will be notified of award status approximately two months after the scholarship application closure date. Letter providing university faculty members will be notified only if recommended student is selected for a scholarship. **Applications suspected of AI answers or utilizing answers previously submitted will be disqualified.**

Please call or email if you have questions with regard to this matter.

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