



## 2021 Minnesota Pork Board Scholarship

Application Submission Deadline – May 15, 2021

The Minnesota Pork Board will award up to five \$1,000 scholarships to young people pursuing careers in agricultural business, agricultural education, agricultural engineering, agronomy, animal science, animal physiology, environmental sciences, nutrition, livestock reproduction, large animal veterinary medicine and other related fields. Qualified applicants must have an emphasis in the pork industry.

### Applicant Qualifications:

- Minnesota resident
- Pursuing an undergraduate degree at a two or four year institution with an emphasis in swine production or related field.
- Applicant must be entering either his/her freshman, sophomore, junior or senior year of college.
- Individuals can only receive one Minnesota Pork Industry Scholarship during his/her post-secondary tenure.

### Qualified Applicants Must Submit:

- Completed scholarship application form
- Letter indicating his/her intentions for future involvement in pork production / industry
- 750 word or less essay on a current or future pork industry challenge and his/her proposed solutions for the issue
- Two letters of recommendation
- Professional resume

For more information or questions contact Jill Resler, chief operating officer with the Minnesota Pork Board at (507) 345-8814 or [jill@minpork.com](mailto:jill@minpork.com).



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First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ MI \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

College / University \_\_\_\_\_ Year (as of Fall 2021) \_\_\_\_\_

Major \_\_\_\_\_ Minor(s) \_\_\_\_\_

GPA \_\_\_\_\_

Scholarship Materials to submit:

1. Letter: Describe your past and intended future involvement in pork production / industry.
2. Essay: In 750 words or less identify a current or future pork industry challenge and articulate your proposed solution(s).
3. Professional Resume
4. Two letters of recommendation
5. Application and all supporting materials must be submitted to the Minnesota Pork Board office by May 15, 2021.

Submit Completed applications by May 15, 2021 to:

Minnesota Pork Board – Pork Board Scholarship

Attn: Jill Resler

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