

The William J. Porter Arboriculture Scholarship
To encourage studies and careers in Arboriculture & Urban Forestry

Recipient:

Student at Rutgers (up to \$2,500) – Submission Deadline June 30th.

The recipient must be a full time student enrolled in a program of studies representing a demonstrated interest in Arboriculture or Urban Forestry. The student must be in at least sophomore standing with a minimum GPA of at least 2.5. The ideal candidates would include those majoring in Ecology & Natural Resources, Plant Biology & Pathology, Environmental Planning and Design, or Landscape Architecture, but others may apply.

Application:

1. Essay of approximately 500 words addressing the following points:

- * Why the applicant became interested in Arboriculture/Urban Forestry
- * What the applicant hopes to contribute to the field
- * How the scholarship will help

2. Resume

3. Unofficial Transcripts

4. References

- * Name and contact information (address, phone number, e-mail) for two references, one a teacher/colleague, the other a personal character reference.
- * References will be contacted for the top five candidates in each category.

Award:

Award will be up to \$2,500.

Amount may be adjusted annually depending on available funds.

Award Recipient will be notified in September and the award will be presented at the October NJ Shade Tree Federation Annual Conference.

Acceptance

Recipient should be available to attend the NJ Shade Tree Federation Annual Conference in October to accept award.

Remittance (See submission deadlines as noted above.)

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