Illinois Veterinary Medical Foundation
2020 Certified Veterinary Technician Scholarship Application

The Illinois Veterinary Medical Foundation is offering 5- $500 scholarships to second year certified veterinary technician students. There will be one scholarship awarded per AVMA accredited CVT school in Illinois. The purpose of this scholarship is to engage the CVT student in organized veterinary medicine as critical team members.

Program Guidelines & Priorities:

- Applicants must be second year certified veterinary technician students in an Illinois AVMA accredited veterinary technician program and a member of the Illinois State Veterinary Medical Association. (Application can be found online at www.isvma.org)
- Scholarship funds will be paid directly to the college, not the student. The scholarship funds will be issued to the college or university upon receiving a certificate of enrollment for the fall semester, which includes the Student ID number and Financial Aid Office address.
- Applications must be received by the IVMF no later than June 30, 2020. Late applications will not be accepted.
- There will be requirements to be fulfilled after receipt of the scholarship that will be defined in the application below. Please review before signing the application.

The applications will be reviewed and recipients selected by the IVMF board of directors. The scholarships will be awarded no later than August 1, 2020.

Mail completed application packets to:

Illinois State Veterinary Medical Association
c/o IVMF CVT Scholarship
1121 Chatham Rd.
Springfield, Il.  62704

Please submit online applications and any questions to: tina@isvma.org
# SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION 2020

Please legibly write your answers. *Use a additional piece of paper if necessary*

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| 3. | Daytime telephone number: ( )  
Email address: |
| 4. | Date of birth: Month Day Year |
| 5. | Cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA): __________ (On a 4.0 scale) |
| 6. | On a separate paper, please write an essay (250 - 500 words) addressing one of the following:  
1. What is the purpose of my state Veterinary Medical Association and what does it offer certified veterinary technicians in the state of Illinois?  
2. What are my future expectations and career development plans and why did I choose this particular path?  
One (1) letter of recommendation from an education professional or veterinary professional. |

**FULFILLMENT REQUIREMENTS:**  
Student must agree to be a liaison for the Illinois State Veterinary Medical Association and the student’s college. This includes promoting ISVMA membership and representing ISVMA at school functions.  
Student must attend at least one meeting of the ISVMA CVT Task Force. These meetings are held during evening hours once every 4-6 weeks online or by phone throughout the year.

**STATEMENT OF ACCURACY FOR STUDENTS**  
I hereby affirm that all the above stated information provided by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I also consent, that if chosen as a scholarship winner, my picture may be taken and used to promote the Illinois State Veterinary Medical Foundation and the Illinois State Veterinary Medical Association.

I hereby understand that if chosen as a scholarship winner, according to IVMF policy, it is my responsibility to submit to the IVMF, no later than June 30, 2020, a certificate of enrollment for the fall semester, which includes the Student ID number and Financial Aid Office address.

I hereby understand I will not submit this application without all required attachments and supporting information. Incomplete applications or applications that do not meet eligibility criteria will not be considered for this scholarship.

Signature of scholarship applicant: _______________________________  
Date: _______