Outstanding female high school, trade school, apprenticeship training program or college students residing in Maryland and planning to pursue construction related fields of study in post-high school education will receive up to a $2,000 scholarship. Please see the attached listing of sample positions in the industry. The money awarded will be given directly to the winner by check at our scholarship ceremony. Winners are REQUIRED to attend in order to accept/receive their scholarship on Tuesday, May 20, 2025 from approximately 3-5pm.

APPLICATION FORM

(PLEASE TYPE or print in ink)

Name:

 Last First Middle Initial

Home Address:

 Street

 City & Zip Code Phone Number

Name of Current School Attending / Apprenticeship Program:

Date of Anticipated Graduation:

Email Address:

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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| Name(s) of Postsecondary Options: College, Technical School, Apprenticeship Training, Intended Career Path or Employer to Which You Have Applied | Accepted? Yes/ No/ Not Yet |
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Please sign below to certify the accuracy of the information in this award application:

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Signature of Applicant Date

Please submit the completed application packet materials, including this “Application Form,” your cover letter, resume, essay, letter of recommendation, and unofficial transcript of grades with GPA from your school counselor.

Upload the application packet online or email mpusateri@abcbaltimore.org by Monday, March 3, 2025.

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| **CATEGORY** | **% Weight** |
| Resume | 20% |
| GPA  | 20% |
| Essay | 30% |
| Construction Industry Related Experiences /Community and School Activities/Leadership/Awards and Recognitions  | 30% |

# Attachment 1: Resume

Please use the headings below to create your resume. This will help us understand why you are a great candidate for the scholarship.

**1. Name, Address, and Contact Information**

**2. Career Goal and Summary of Skills**

**3. Relevant Skills/Certifications**

**4. Education**

* School name and graduation date

**5. Overall Academic Record**

* List your unweighted GPA (as it appears on your transcript, including senior year first-quarter grades).

**6. Construction Industry Related Experiences, Community & School Activities, Leadership and Awards**

* Outline your leadership and involvement in construction-related activities, school/community service, and awards. Include the year(s) of participation, length of time/hours per week (if applicable), and a brief description of each, highlighting leadership roles.
	+ Categories:
		- Construction Industry Awards, Activities, Service and Leadership
		- Community Service
		- Academic Awards
		- Other Volunteer Activities and Service
		- Clubs/Organizations/Sports
		- Job / Work Experience

# Attachment 2: Essay

Prepare an essay (minimum word count 500) that addresses the following question. Please include in your response how the scholarship funds would be used to further your education or career goals.

***Discuss the importance of young women entering the construction industry. What unique perspectives and contributions can they bring to the field? Reflect on your personal experiences, aspirations, and the challenges you anticipate facing. How do you envision overcoming these challenges, and what impact do you hope to make in the construction industry as a woman?***

# Attachment 3: Letter of Recommendation

This supervisor letter should be confidential. Please include in a sealed and signed envelope to your completed application. Only one statement should be included. The letter should be from a teacher, counselor, or work supervisor. Volunteer work is acceptable. Letters may be emailed separately to mpusateri@abcbaltimore.org.

# Attachment 4: Transcript: High School and/or Postsecondary Institution

Please attach unofficial transcript obtained from your high school counseling or postsecondary office.

Attachment 5: High Quality Headshot or Photo

Please attach a high-resolution photo taken in a setting you’d be comfortable sharing in our magazine or on our website. By submitting your application, you agree to let us promote you to our professional members, who could potentially become your future employers. For an example, [click here.](https://mydigitalpublication.com/publication/?i=828565&p=32&view=issueViewer)

**Sample of Construction Careers**

**General Construction**

* Business Development
* Construction Manager
* Estimator
* Field Engineer
* Owner’s Representative
* Project Engineer
* Project Manager
* Purchasing Agent
* Quality Control
* Scheduler

**Subcontracting**

* Abatement
* Carpentry
* Cleaning
* Concrete, Masonry
* Commissioning Services
* Demolition
* Drywall, Plaster
* Electrical
* Excavation
* Fire Protection, Sprinkler Systems
* Flooring
* Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning
* Inspection Services
* Landscaping
* Painting
* Plumbing
* Roofing, Insulation, Siding
* Site Utilities
* Structural Services

**Design**

* Acoustical Engineer
* Architect
* CADD Technician
* Civil Engineer
* Communications Design
* Electrical Engineer
* Environmental Engineer
* Interior Designer
* Landscape Architect
* Mechanical Engineer
* Specification Writer
* Structural Engineer