

Diversity in Safety Scholarship



The National Safety Council is committed to building a workforce of occupational, safety and health professionals that reflects the cultures and ethnicities in the U.S. To help achieve this vision, Chemours, a NSC member company, funded a new scholarship to foster diversity and support a more inclusive generation of safety professionals.

Five academic scholarships will be awarded to people of color pursuing an undergraduate degree at Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs) and Hispanic-Serving Institutions (HSIs).

Scholarship Benefits

- **\$5,000 annual academic scholarship** to support post-secondary education in Occupational Safety and Health Technology, Industrial Hygiene, Environmental Health and Safety, and other STEM and accredited degree programs approved by the NSC Scholarship Advisory Committee
- **Renewable for up to four years**
- **Free registration and annual travel stipend** to the NSC Safety Congress & Expo and participate in NSC educational opportunities
- **Free access to NSC Webinars**
- **Informational interviews and internships** with safety leaders
- **Access to additional skills trainings** and certifications to support safety-related education
- **Connections to employers** seeking safety professionals

Scholarship Rules and Guidelines

Eligibility is based on the following:

- **Freshman** attending Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs) and Hispanic-Serving Institutions (HSIs)
- **Students entering as freshman** or currently enrolled as a freshman
- **BIPOC individuals** who are seeking post-secondary education in Occupational Safety and Health Technology, Industrial Hygiene, Environmental Health and Safety, and other STEM and accredited degree programs approved by the NSC Scholarship Advisory Committee
- **Recipient must sign an acceptance agreement** stipulating use of funds for tuition
- **Award checks are sent to the university**
- **The award may be prorated** if the recipient is not a full-time student

NSC staff and volunteers will have access to the information provided on all applications. Completion of an application does not guarantee a scholarship award.

NSC Scholarship Program

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Apply by May 15, 2024

nsc.org/applychemours

Emailed applications will not be accepted.

Your written essays should cover:

- **Why did you choose to study safety?** (500-word limit)
- **How do you plan to impact diversity, equity and inclusion in safety?** (500-word limit)
- **Why are you the best candidate for this scholarship?** (250-word limit)

One Letter of recommendation required
(three may be submitted)

Finalists will be notified in June 2024
and will be asked for additional information, verification of claims and to supply transcripts. Finalists must also pass a media review.