

DeviceAlliance's OC Exceptional Female STEM Student Scholarship

DeviceAlliance was formed in 2009 to serve the Orange County, CA medical device industry, promoting the vitality of the marketplace and its people. We remain the only non-profit professionals' associations offering inclusive membership for all medical device professionals. Our focus is in supporting people first, technology second. Our view is that when people are supported and set up to succeed the industry will naturally grow and thrive as a result.

DeviceAlliance will award one (1) student, undergrad or high school, with a scholarship to be used to pay for undergrad college tuition and related expenses with an accredited 4-year university. The minimum criteria for scholarship selection are as follows:

- **Identify as a female**
- **Plans to pursue university level education within science and technology**
- **Currently enrolled in a formal STEM education program in Orange County, CA**
- **GPA of 3.4 or higher**

Scholarship evaluation will be based on academic performance, STEM experience, community involvement, letter of recommendation, evidence of leadership and character.

The recipient of DeviceAlliance's scholarship will be announced at a DeviceAlliance event held in the summer of 2019.

Please submit a zip folder containing PDF files of each of the completed documents (application, resume, letter of recommendation, essay, official transcripts, proof of STEM involvement) to:

info@devicealliance.org

Applications and all corresponding documentation must be submitted via email no later than June 1st, 2019.

Complete the application below and submit in PDF form:

- III. Recommendation: Letter of recommendation by a professor within STEM education to accompany your scholarship application. Submit in PDF form.
- IV. Essay: A statement about why you have chosen STEM education and how that relates to your career goals and professional aspirations after graduation. Statement should not exceed 750 words, or approximately two pages. Please attach to application in PDF form.
- V. Proof of Enrollment: Attach an official copy of your transcript. Submit in PDF form.
- VI. Just for Fun: Please answer one (1) of the two (2) questions below:
 - 1. If you could be any Disney character, who would you be and why?
 - 2. or, Which woman throughout American history do you admire most and why?

(should you need additional space please attach additional sheets in PDF form)

We thank you for your application to our scholarship fund and wish you the best of luck in your near term academic endeavors.

Scholarship Applicant Signature: _____

Date: _____