



## **Jerry Minore Memorial Scholarship Application**

Jerry Minore was a longtime friend of the wheat industry and advocate for wheat farmers. To honor his work and life, his company, BASF, has partnered with the National Wheat Foundation to establish a scholarship for students with connections to the wheat industry who are planning careers in agriculture.

The Minore Memorial Scholarship will fund two \$2,500 college scholarships for the 2020-2021 academic year.

To be eligible for the Minore Memorial Scholarship, students must:

- Be a current freshmen, sophomore, or junior pursuing an agricultural-related degree;
- Be enrolled in an accredited college, university, junior or community college;
- Be a member of the National Association of Wheat Growers (NAWG)\*; have a close relative (parent, grandparent) who is a member of NAWG; OR be nominated by someone sitting on the NAWG Board of Directors or a state wheat association board.

Applicants for the Minore Memorial Scholarship should submit:

1. A completed application form;
2. Two letters of recommendation, for instance from a professor, academic advisor or nominating sponsor;
3. A current transcript;
4. A response to one of the following essay questions, no more than one type-written page in a 12-point font:

**Question 1:** How would you help educate and teach the next generation about the value and importance of wheat to our nation and consumers around the world?

**Question 2:** Do you believe there is a division in the general views of agriculture between urban and rural dwellers in the United States? What do you think is the origin of this? What do you think is the solution, if there needs to be a solution?

**All applications must be emailed ON or BEFORE Dec. 1, 2019.**

*\*Being a member of NAWG requires either membership in one of NAWG's state associations, or a direct-farmer membership if not located in a NAWG state.*

## APPLICATION FORM

Name of applicant:

Physical mailing address:

Email address:

Home telephone number:

Cell telephone number:

High school attended and graduation year:

Current college or university attending:

Current or intended major:

- Number of completed credit hours:
- Expected graduation date:

Self or relative with NAWG affiliation:

If nominated by a state or national association director, his/her name and affiliation:

Please list the following: (use attachment if necessary)

- List activities, offices held, awards received
  
- How is your family involved in agriculture and how do you plan to be involved in agriculture in your future career?

I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, the information provided in this application is true and correct.

Signature of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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*All electronic submissions should be in PDF format and emailed to [ceannello@wheatworld.org](mailto:ceannello@wheatworld.org), noting Minore Memorial Scholarship Application in the subject line. Call Caitlin Eannello, NAWG Director of Communications, at 202.547.7800 if you have questions.*