



2018 Student Scholarships

[WaterReuse Colorado \(WRCO\) Scholarships](#)

WaterReuse Colorado (WRCO) is pleased to offer four (4) scholarships to support students focusing on water reclamation, water reuse, and/or desalination. Each scholarship is valued at \$1,500 and will be awarded in September 2018 to the highest-ranking applicants among undergraduate or graduate students enrolled in an accredited Colorado university or community college, as determined by the scholarship committee of WRCO.

Scholarship qualifications are as follows:

Scholarship	Student Status	Course Completion and Enrollment Status
General Scholarship (\$1,500)	Undergraduate or graduate student	For undergraduates, at least two (2) years of college coursework completed
Martha Hahn Memorial Scholarship (\$1,500)	Undergraduate or graduate student (preference to graduate students)	For undergraduates, at least two (2) years of college coursework completed
Operator Scholarship (\$1,500)	Any student pursuing an associate's degree or certification in Water Quality Management or other study in preparation for water or wastewater operator license	Full-time* students: Completed at least one (1) semester of coursework Part-time* students: completed at least 50% of the coursework necessary for degree

General Qualifications for Scholarships:

- Undergraduate or graduate student
- Full-time enrollment* at a university or college for Fall 2018
- Sincere interest in pursuing/currently employed in a professional career related to water reclamation, water reuse, and/or desalination. Research involvement in these fields and/or professional experience welcomed
- Not a previous WRCO scholarship recipient
- Each applicant may only receive one (1) WRCO scholarship

* Full-time enrollment typically means enrollment in 12 or more credit hours. Part-time enrollment is acceptable for applicants who have completed (or are about to complete), at a minimum, 50% of the coursework necessary for degree completion.

Selection Criteria:

- At least one (1) letter of recommendation from a college professor, college advisor, or supervisor/manager

Letters must be confidential, placed in separate sealed envelopes, and not seen by the student

- Personal statement (750-1000 words max) stating your background, interest and practical experience in the field of wastewater reclamation, water reuse, and/or desalination. Include a summary of extracurricular activities, professional involvement, and leadership roles related to your professional field, as applicable.
- Grade point average (GPA) - submit all undergraduate and graduate (if applicable) college transcripts

Denver Water Centennial Scholarship (offered through WRCO)

Denver Water is pleased to offer three (3) Denver Water Centennial Scholarships to support students and recent high school graduates with a sincere interest in pursuing a professional career related to water delivery, water quality, water reclamation or water reuse. Applicants must be Colorado residents. Each scholarship is valued at \$2,000 and will be awarded in September 2018.

Scholarship qualifications are as follows:

Scholarships	Student Status	Course Completion and Enrollment Status
Denver Water Centennial Scholarships (3 x \$2,000)	Denver Water is offering three (3) scholarships in 2018 at \$2,000 each: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One (1) junior/community college or trade school student; recent high school graduates may also apply • One (1) undergraduate college or university student • One (1) graduate student 	Any student enrolled in Colorado college, university, community college or technical/trade school in 2018 as well as recent high school graduates.

Selection Criteria:

- At least one letter of recommendation from a high school teacher or college professor or high school/college advisor. Letters must be confidential, placed in separate sealed envelopes, and not seen by the student.
- Personal statement (750-1000 words max) stating your background, interest and/or practical experience in the field of water delivery, water quality, water reclamation or water reuse. Include extracurricular activities, professional involvement, and leadership roles related to your professional field, as applicable.
- Grade point average (GPA) - submit all high school, undergraduate and graduate (if applicable) college transcripts.
- For working professionals, correspondence from your supervisor/manager or other company leader, which includes a statement describing your professional duties and academic pursuit and their connection to the water industry.

Instructions for all scholarships

- Submit the following documents in one envelope:
 - ✓ Cover letter with contact information and which scholarship(s) you are applying for
 - ✓ Personal statement and resume
 - ✓ Sealed letter of recommendation (separate envelope in main envelope)
 - ✓ Transcript(s) (*Unofficial transcripts will be accepted at time of application for scholarship. The GPA may be subject to verification via official transcript if selected for award. If applicant is not a full-time student, please document how completed coursework is at least 50% of what is required to attain the degree being pursued.*)
- Address the submittal to:

Attn: Shannon Spurlock (WRCO Scholarships)
Denver Urban Gardens
1031 33rd St., Ste. 100
Denver, CO 80205

Scholarship applications
are due (post-marked) by
June 15, 2018

For further questions, please contact Shannon Spurlock at shannon@dug.org or 303.292.9900 x109.