



American Lebanese Engineering Society

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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PREFACE

Background:

The American Lebanese Engineering Society, Inc. (ALES) was founded in Orlando, Florida, in 1991 by a group of engineers as a non-profit organization.

Mission:

The mission is to form a national organization of professional engineers to serve as role models in the American Lebanese community.

Objectives:

- Advance the science and the profession of engineering.
- Unite the engineering resources and facilitate the potential of American-Lebanese professionals.
- Promote the advancement of engineers and scientists in employment and education.
- Facilitate the flow of information between members.
- Maintain interaction and association with national and international engineering societies.
- Provide scholarships and educational grants to qualified students.

Scholarship Eligibility Criteria:

Students must meet the following minimum criteria for eligibility:

- Must attend an ABET accredited university.
- Must have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.25 on a scale of 4.00.
- Must be Lebanese or of Lebanese descent.
- Must be a junior, a senior, or a graduate student.
- Must be enrolled and working toward a degree in engineering, engineering science, computer science, or architecture.

Submission Requirement:

Qualified candidates must submit all of the following items for evaluation:

- A completed application form.
- A copy of the most recent academic transcript.
- Two letters of recommendation.
- A recent photograph. A clear black/white passport type photo is preferred. It may be used to promote the scholarship in an article to be published on ALES website and local newspapers.
- A one page essay describing the applicant's academic background, achievements and goals in 500 words or less. Clearly identify the relevance of your studies to ALES goals and why you should be given the award.

ALES shall not discriminate against applicants and prospective or current members on the basis of religion, political belief, gender, income status, race, or marital status



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PERSONAL INFORMATION (Please Type or Print legibly)

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ M.I.: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Fax: _____

Email: _____

Birth Date: _____

Country of Citizenship: _____

If you are of Lebanese descent, please explain: _____

Are you an ALES member? YES _____ NO _____

Have you previously obtained this scholarship award? YES _____ NO _____

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

Classification (Must Be a Junior, Senior, or Graduate): _____

Cumulative GPA (A Copy of Current Transcript Required): _____

Degree/Field of Study (Must be in Engineering, Engineering Science, Computer Science, or Architecture): _____

Please list all institutions you have attended starting with the most current:

Academic Institution/Location	From	To	Major	Degree Received

Please print this application, fill-in the information, and mail it with the other required documents **before or on Tuesday, January 17, 2006** to:

**American Lebanese Engineering Society
c/o ALES Boston Chapter
123 Wren Street
West Roxbury, MA 02132**