



NEW INDEPENDENT INSURANCE PROFESSIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS

The Independent Insurance Agents of Nebraska Foundation is now accepting applications for two New Independent Insurance Professional scholarships, for employees of member agencies of the Independent Insurance Agents of Nebraska – one for new professionals in their first year of employment, and one for professionals in their second through fifth year of employment.

AWARD CRITERIA

New Independent Insurance Professionals – 2 Scholarships

For: IIAN Member Agency Employees

- First Year of Employment
- 2nd-5th Year of Employment

First Year of Employment

Amount: Up to \$500, awarded twice each calendar year

Scholarship winners are only eligible for one award

Criteria:

1. Applicant must be a full-time employee of an IIAN member agency
2. Scholarship award must be used to complete an entry-level insurance professional development course sponsored by IIAN, the Insurance Institute of America, The National Alliance for Insurance Education, or an alternative insurance course provider approved in advance by the Scholarship Selection Committee
3. Approved course must be an integral component of a program leading to a certificate or professional designation
4. Course must be completed within 12 months
5. Course fees will be reimbursed upon documented successful completion of the approved course
6. Selections are made by a committee comprised of members of the Independent Insurance Agents of Nebraska and directors of the IIAN Foundation
7. There is no limitation on persons who are eligible recipients of scholarships. Scholarships will be given without regard to race, creed, religion, nation origin, sex, or employment status of prospective recipients or of any relative of any prospective recipient.

8. A one-page essay is required, explaining applicant's insurance career goals and how the scholarship will be used to further career development

Timing: Two scholarships awarded each calendar year

Applications accepted January 1 – 31, 2022. Winner announced February 15.

Applications also accepted July 1-31, 2022. Winner announced August 15.

2nd-5th Year of Employment

Amount: Up to \$1,000, awarded once each calendar year

Scholarship winners are only eligible for one award.

Criteria:

1. Applicant must be a full-time employee of an IIAN member agency, in the second through fifth year of employment
2. Scholarship award must be used to complete one or more insurance professional development course(s) sponsored by IIAN, the Insurance Institute of America, The National Alliance for Insurance Education, or an alternative insurance course provider approved in advance by the Scholarship Selection Committee
3. Approved course(s) must be an integral component of a program leading to a certificate or professional designation
4. Course(s) must be completed within 24 months
5. Course fees will be reimbursed upon documented successful completion of each approved course
6. Selections are made by a committee comprised of members of the Independent Insurance Agents of Nebraska and directors of the IIAN Foundation
7. There is no limitation on persons who are eligible recipients of scholarships. Scholarships will be given without regard to race, creed, religion, nation origin, sex, or employment status of prospective recipients or of any relative of any prospective recipient.
8. A one-page essay is required, explaining applicant's insurance career goals and how the scholarship will be used to further career development

Timing: One scholarship awarded each calendar year

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Application for New Independent Insurance Professional Scholarship

This application must be emailed or postmarked by due date as listed in relevant Award Criteria (January 31, 2022 or July 31, 2022) to:

Selection Committee, Independent Insurance Agents of Nebraska Foundation
8231 Northwoods Dr., Ste B, Lincoln, NE 68505 office@biginebraska.org

Questions? Call 402-476-2951, or email office@biginebraska.org

Please print or type.

Section I. Information to be supplied by applicant:

Student's Full Name: _____

Employer Organization Name: _____

Employer's Address: _____ Phone: _____
(street or route, town, county, state, zip):

Student's Address: _____ Phone: _____
(street or route, town, county, state, zip):

Student's Email Address: _____

Name of Professional Development Course:

Title and Description of Course Content:

(use separate sheet if necessary)

Title and Sponsor of Certificate or Professional Designation Program:

Estimated Date of Completion: _____

Section II. One-page essay required.

ON THE NEXT PAGE, explain your insurance career goals, and how this scholarship will be used to further your career development.

Signature of Applicant:

____ I hereby attest that I am a full-time employee of the named employer, which is a member of the Independent Insurance Agents of Nebraska

Signature of Applicant: _____

Print/Type Name: _____

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In the space below, explain your insurance career goals, and how this scholarship will be used to further your career development.