

## SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

Since 1933, the Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers has awarded many scholarships for both graduate and undergraduate study. This is to encourage men and women to pursue studies in the naval architectural and marine engineering or closely related fields. United States and Canadian citizens as well as qualified foreign members of the society are eligible for consideration.

Ship operating and shipbuilding companies, affiliated trades and universities located in all sections of the country have been notified of the availability of our Graduate Scholarships. Applications for this program for the fall of 2003 may be obtained from Society Headquarters. Completed applications should be directed to Mr. Scott C. McClure, Chairman, Scholarships Committee at 601 Pavonia Avenue, Suite 400, Jersey City, New Jersey 07306, before the closing date of February 1, 2004.

The Scholarships Committee will determine in each case the exact monetary value of each graduate scholarship award. Each successful candidate may select the institution for advanced studies subject to the approval of the Scholarships Committee. Factors considered in making the selection includes ambition, scholastic ability, the capacity to pursue advanced study, and other qualities indicative for prospective leadership status in the marine industry. For at least one scholarship, emphasis will be placed on recent employment of at least five years in the marine field as a factor for selection.

In addition to the graduate scholarship program, undergraduate scholarships of various amounts are also made available by the Society to recommended candidates from Florida Atlantic University, Maine Maritime College, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Memorial University of Newfoundland, University of Michigan, State University of New York Maritime College, Texas A&M University, University of British Columbia, University of California/Berkeley, University of New Orleans and Virginia Polytechnic Institute.

The following guidelines apply to undergraduate scholarships:

- a) Scholarships are limited to juniors and seniors,
- b) Applicants are required to have SNAME membership prior to application,
- c) Scholarships shall be set at a level of \$1000 each,
- d) To further ensure awards to students with a likelihood of staying in the profession, it is recommended that applicants include statements describing why they are interested in the marine field and what their career goals are.

In addition, Webb Institute of Naval Architecture provides a tuition free education to all undergraduate students. Recognizing this fact, the Society supports the Webb program with annual contributions, bringing Webb indirectly into the scholarship program. Those interested should contact the above institutions directly and not the Society since nominations for Society Undergraduate Funds has been assigned to them. All recipients of Undergraduate Scholarships will be subject to the approval of the Scholarships Committee.