NABO GRANT PROGRAM

THE PROGRAM

The National Association of Boiler Owners and Operators ("NABO") has established a Grant program to provide for and encourage eligible individuals to continue their education to pass the National Board Examination for boiler and pressure vessel inspectors and to become a National Board Commissioned Inspector.

This Grant program is administered by NABO. All awards are granted without regard to race, color, creed, religion, sexual orientation, gender, disability or national origin.

ELIGIBILITY

Applicants to the NABO Grant Program must be either:

- Children of individuals employed by or affiliated with ARISE Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company Risk Retention Group policyholder companies ("ABIIC");
- Individuals who want to become commissioned boiler inspectors;
- Veterans of the United States Military Services; or
- Individuals with HVAC or Code or Non-Code boiler and pressure vessel manufacturing shop experience as a Welder or Quality Control.
- Must be a citizen of the United States.

ELIGIBLE EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS

An Eligible Educational Institution is any accredited school that has a curriculum to prepare students to pass the National Board Examination to become a National Board Commissioned Inspector. See current National Board requirements here http://www.nationalboard.org/Index.aspx?pageID=392&ID=28

AWARDS

Applications will be reviewed against the program criteria by a selection process determined by NABO. Grant recipients will be selected on a competitive basis. If selected as a Grant Recipient, the student will receive an award in an amount of $10,000 for tuition, books and related fees. Up to two awards will be granted each year. Applicants can reapply for additional awards each year while continuing their education.

APPLICATION

Interested individuals must complete the Application and submit it to:
Applicants are responsible for gathering and submitting all necessary information. Applications are
evaluated on the information supplied; therefore, answer all questions as completely as possible.
Incomplete applications will not be evaluated. All information received is considered confidential and is
reviewed only by the NABO Grant Program Selection Committee.

SELECTION OF GRANT RECIPIENTS

Grant Recipients are selected on the basis of academic record, demonstrated leadership and
participation in school and community activities, honors, work experience, statement of goals and
aspirations, and a personal interview, if elected by the NABO Grant Program Selection Committee.
Financial need is not considered.

Selection of Grant Recipients is made by the NABO Grant Program Selection Committee. All
Applicants agree to accept the decision as final.

Grant Recipients will be notified as soon as possible after receipt of the completed application. Not all
applicants to the program will be selected as Grant Recipients. Students may reapply to the program each
year they meet eligibility requirements.

PAYMENT OF GRANTS

All awards will be paid directly to the Eligible Educational Institution. Grant Recipients will be
responsible for all income taxes due on any awards.

OBLIGATIONS

Grant Recipients must keep at least a “C” average in all courses in order to keep the award. If the recipient’s
grades fall below a “C” average in his or her courses, the Grant Recipient shall be required to repay the
award to NABO. Grant Recipients must submit a transcript of courses taken and grades received to the
NABO Grant Program Selection Committee at the end of each grading period.

AMENDMENTS AND TERMINATION OF NABO GRANT PROGRAM

NABO reserves the right to review the conditions and procedures of the NABO Grant Program and to make
any changes at any time, including termination of the NABO Grant Program.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Questions regarding the NABO Grant Program should be addressed to: NABO

NABO Grant Program
c/o ARISE Boiler Inspection & Insurance Co. RRG
7000 S. Edgerton Road, Suite 100
Brecksville, OH 44141
Email: arise-NABO@tuvsud.com
NABO Grant Program Application

I, __________________________, have read and understand the conditions of the NABO grant Program. I affirm that I plan to pursue a career in boiler and pressure vessel inspection and to sit for the National Board Examination to become a National Board Commissioned Inspector. I give permission to officials of my educational institution to release transcripts of my academic record and other information requested for consideration in the NABO Grant Program. I understand that this application will be available only to qualified people who are pursuing a career in boiler and pressure vessel inspection. I affirm the information contained herein is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date ___________________  Signature ______________________

Legal name in full
(Print/Type) ______________________________ __________________________ M.I.

Last Name  First Name

Permanent residence
Number, Street, and Apartment Number

City  State  ZIP

Your address at school
(if different)
Number, Street, and Apartment Number

City  State  ZIP

Home telephone (____) ______________________________

School telephone (____) ______________________________
(if different)

E-mail address ______________________________

(Check one) I am a  ☐ U.S. citizen  ☐ U.S. national  ☐ Resident alien expecting citizenship by the date of award

Date of birth ______________________________________

Month/Day/Year

Name of Educational Institution ______________________________

Current cumulative GPA __________ on a scale of __________

Your undergraduate major(s)______________________________

Number of college credits earned to date ________  Total number of credits required for graduation ________

Expected date to receive baccalaureate degree __________ Degree you will receive ______________________

Graduate degree(s) sought ____________________________ Concentration(s) ____________________________
1. List the secondary school from which you graduated, and all higher education institutions attended.

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2. List awards, scholarships, or special recognitions you have received.

3. List college and high school activities

4. List work experience
5. Describe the educational program you intend to pursue if you receive a NABO Grant Award.

6. What are your employment goals?

7. What additional personal information do you wish to share with the NABO Grant Program Selection Committee?

8. Describe your military service, leadership and education, including mechanical or engineering-related training and military application of that training.