



Association of International Petroleum Negotiators

Scholarship Program 2020-2021 Briefing Document and Checklist

Annually, the Association of International Petroleum Negotiators (AIPN) sponsors a scholarship awarded to students who demonstrate strong character, academic ability, and potential to make a significant contribution to the field of international oil and gas negotiations. This scholarship has been created in honor of one of AIPN's founding members, Gordon Barrows.

Award: US \$5,000 annual (US \$2,500 for each consecutive semester) for tuition only, paid directly to the school.

Candidates: Both undergraduates and graduates studying at one of the following schools of higher education:

Agostinho Neto University (UAN) American University, Washington College of Law Chulalongkorn University Colorado School of Mines Institut Francais du Petrole (IFP School) Louisiana State University (LSU) Marmara University Ohio State University Qatar University Queen Mary University of London Rice University South Texas College of Law Houston Southern Methodist University (SMU) State University of Rio de Janeiro (UERJ) Strathmore University Texas A&M University Texas Southern University (TSU)	Thammasat University The University of Oklahoma The University of Texas at Austin The University of Tokyo, School of Law The University of Tulsa The University of Western Australia Tulane Law School University of Aberdeen University of Alberta University of Bedfordshire University of Calgary University of Denver Sturm College of Law University of Dundee University of Hong Kong (HKU) University of Houston Law Center University of Melbourne
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To qualify, applicants must:

- Possess potential to make a significant contribution to the field of international oil and gas negotiations
- Exhibit academic, leadership, and negotiation ability
- Exhibit financial need
- Complete all parts of the application form and submit all required supporting materials
- Submit two (2) letters of recommendation and the "AIPN Reference Letter" forms, from individuals who can speak from personal knowledge concerning the applicant's character, ability, and potential to make a significant contribution to the field of international oil and gas negotiations. **Please note:** One reference MUST be from a professor at your school.
- Deliver all necessary forms in one e-mail to AIPN by April 23, 2020. Applications received after this date or incomplete applications will not be considered.

The selection of the recipients will be at the sole discretion of the AIPN. The AIPN reserves the right to award up to 4 scholarships or none at all. Previous scholarship winners are not eligible to participate again.

Applicants will be notified of results on or around June 9, 2020.

Checklist- The first five items must be sent together in one e-mail (PDF documents preferred) to education@aipn.org.

- The completed application
- Copy of your current school transcript
- Copy of entrance exam scores (US schools only)
- Proof of enrollment for Fall 2020-Spring 2021 (Students graduating in Fall 2020 are eligible to apply, however it is at the discretion of the Scholarship Committee to award full or partial funds.)
- High resolution JPEG (300dpi) headshot style photo (Scholarship recipients will be featured in the AIPN *Advisor* newsletter.)
- Two letters of recommendation and the "AIPN Reference Letter" forms (not to be included with your application, transcript, and exam scores, but sent to AIPN directly by your reference by mail or e-mail)