

LONG ISLAND MATHEMATICS CONFERENCE BOARD
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TO: The Mathematics Community of Nassau, Suffolk, Queens and Brooklyn Counties

FROM: Bruce Waldner, Chair
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RE: Mathematics Scholarship for African American, Native American and Hispanic
High School Students

DATE: October 10, 2020

The Long Island Mathematics Conference Board will award up to four \$1,500 scholarships to deserving students from Queens, Brooklyn, Nassau and Suffolk Counties, of African American, Native American or Non-European Hispanic American descent. ***These students must plan to major in mathematics at an accredited college or university of their choice.*** Candidates should address their love of mathematics in their personal essay and indicate the reasons why they should receive this scholarship. **Only high school seniors are eligible for this award.**

We invite you to disseminate this information and to recommend qualified students from your high school.

Questions? Bruce Waldner, Scholarship Chair scholarship@limathconference.org

APPLICATION FOR LONG ISLAND MATHEMATICS SCHOLARSHIP

The Long Island Mathematics Conference Board will award up to four \$1,500 scholarships to deserving Long Island students of African American, Native American or Non-European Hispanic American descent.

Applications will be accepted from students who have a cumulative “B” average or better and are seriously planning to major in mathematics at college.

Completed applications must be submitted by Wednesday, February 10, 2021.

A completed application must consist of the following:

1. Completed scholarship application form.
2. A one-page essay describing your interest in pursuing the study of mathematics at college. Include supporting evidence for your involvement and love of mathematics.
3. Two letters of recommendation. At least one of these letters must be from a teacher in the Mathematics Department
4. An official transcript including a list of all **senior** courses, first semester grades, SAT or ACT scores and AP test scores where applicable.
5. Have a school official sign to verify that you qualify for the award based on ethnicity.
6. Designate the mathematics teacher who has most influenced you in your study of mathematics and have this teacher fill in their part of the application to be submitted with your application packet.
7. Signature required on the photo waiver form.

All applications and correspondence should be sent via e-mail through an official school e-mail address to: Conference Board Scholarship Committee Chairperson, Bruce Waldner: scholarship@limathconference.org

Please include all parts of the application when sending (transcripts, recommendations, etc.)

For additional applications, please make copies.

MATHEMATICS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
(Please type or print clearly)

Name _____
 Last **First** **Middle**

Address _____
 Number **Street** **Apt.**

_____ **City** **State** **Zip**

Telephone _____ Social Security # _____

Email Address _____
(please note that winners of this scholarship may be notified by e-mail)

High School Name _____
(Please use the full official name of the school)

School Address _____
 Number **Street**

_____ **City** **State** **Zip**

School Telephone _____

List the names of the colleges or universities to which you have applied (use multiple pages if necessary):

Institution

Address

MATHEMATICS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION (Continued)

Describe all high school activities in which you have participated. Indicate any leadership role(s) that you have held.

Lists any honors or awards that you have received during your high school years (Grades 9—12).

List all courses in which you are currently enrolled.

Please check the ethnicity category that qualifies you for this scholarship:

African American

Non-European Hispanic American

Native American

Signature of Applicant _____

Signature of School Official _____

Title of School Official _____

Photo waiver form

We may organize a formal presentation for the scholarship winners and their teachers. In case we are able to do so, based on safety measures from the global pandemic, we ask that you complete the following:

I understand that the Long Island Conference Board will take pictures of all scholarship winners and that these photos will be displayed on our Limaçon website www.limathconference.org . I hereby give my permission for the taking of pictures and the display of these photographs on our website and/or other publicity formats. I also give permission for my name to be displayed on our website as a scholarship winner. If not, we would kindly request a picture be sent to when you receive your scholarship and check and ask once again for your permission for your photograph and name to be displayed on our website and other possible promotional documents.

Signature of applicant _____

Signature of parent or guardian _____

Parent/guardian signature not necessary if student applicant is above the age of 18

Mathematics Teacher Form to Accompany Scholarship Application

To be completed by the mathematics teacher who has most influenced the scholarship applicant.

Congratulations, you have been selected as the mathematics teacher who most influenced the student who is bringing you this form. The scholarship committee, comprised of members of the Long Island Conference Board, asks that you provide a few pieces of information. We do not have plans for a live conference this year, but it is possible that we may find a way to have a formal presentation of this scholarship, but nothing is scheduled at this time. If we are able to have some sort of formal presentation, we ask that you agree to attend that. Traditionally, both the student scholarship winners and their teachers take part in this presentation.

Please provide contact information:

Student's Name _____

Teacher's Name: _____

School: _____

Year or years you taught this student: _____

Phone number: _____ circle one: school, cell, or home phone number

E-mail address _____