Support the Next Generation of Emergency Managers

The International Association of Emergency Managers established the Scholarship Program to nurture, promote and develop disaster preparedness and resistance by furthering the education of students studying the field of emergency management, disaster management or a related program. The Scholarship Commission solicits applications for scholarships each June and presents awards in August to deserving students after a careful review of each student’s submission as part of a competitive process. Students may be enrolled full or part-time and applications are accepted from students worldwide.

Where the Funding Comes From
The Program is sustained through donations from individuals and corporations. The Scholarship Commission’s goal is to raise $1 million to fund its endowment to ensure IAEM Scholarships well into the future.

Where the Money Has Gone
Since Jamie Moore of the University of North Texas was awarded the first $500 scholarship in 2001, the Commission has awarded 70 scholarships totaling $147,750 to students.

2020-2021 Award Winners
- Aishwarya Borate is working toward a Ph.D. in Urban Planning and Public Policy at the University of California, Irvine. Aishwarya was awarded a $5,000 IAEM Full-Time Graduate Student Scholarship.
- Madeleine Kruth, the fifth awardee of the Robert C. Bohlmann, CEM, Scholarship for Service in Emergency Management, is enrolled in the honors B.S. degree program in Applied Disaster and Emergency Studies at Brandon University in Canada. Madeleine was awarded a $4,000 IAEM Undergraduate Scholarship.
- Brianna Lentz is working toward a M.S. degree in Disaster Resiliency Leadership at Tulane University in Louisiana. She plans to graduate in 2022. Brianna was awarded a $5,000 IAEM Full-Time Graduate Student Scholarship.
- Michael Prasad, CEM, plans to complete his Master's in Emergency and Disaster Management at American Public University in December 2022. He is the fourth awardee of the Samuel Henry Prince IAEM Scholarship funded by IAEM-Canada. Michael received a $2,750 IAEM Scholarship.

How You Can Help
Support the future of emergency management with a donation to the IAEM Scholarship Fund. Several donor levels are available - every dollar makes a difference. Visit the IAEM website to learn more about the various ways to give.

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The IAEM Scholarship Program will be auctioning items to raise money to help us provide scholarships to deserving students working on degrees in emergency management, disaster management, or a closely related program of study. The Silent Online Auction opens Oct. 4 and ends Oct. 20 at 12:45 p.m. To view items and travel packages, scan the QR Code to be taken to IAEM’s Bidding for Good Site. Be sure to get in on the bidding action!