

# 2024/2025 Montana Chapter Women in Mining Scholarship Information

Women In Mining USA is a nationwide organization of men and women, supporting the mining industry since 1972. WIM USA endeavors to position mining as an equitable, sustainable and reputable industry, and strive to cultivate a mining community that fosters trust and respect. It is WIM USA's belief that mining is essential for a better world and that the industry's success is determined by diversity of future talent.

WIM Montana aims to provide a support network for its member's opportunities to acquire new personal and professional contacts by engaging with their peers across the state along with opportunities for personal development.

WIM Montana is happy to announce the opportunity to provide a **\$1,000 scholarship** to any student currently enrolled in an accredited university in Montana, or any high school senior who will be attending a university in Montana in the 2024/2025 school year.

#### **Scholarship Requirements and Guidelines**

In order to qualify for the WIM MT Scholarships, the applicant must meet the following requirements:

- 1. Currently enrolled, or plan to enroll by Fall 2024, at a university or college in Montana.
- 2. Have a desire to work in the mining industry after obtaining a degree.
- 3. Have a GPA of 2.75 or higher.

All scholarship applications and supporting documentation must be received by the scholarship committee no later than **April 30**, **2024**. The WIM MT Scholarship Committee will review all completed applications and notify the selected recipient of the award by June 15, 2024. Funds will be mailed by check to the recipient upon notification of scholarship award.

Scholarships are not automatically renewed. Recipients are invited to reapply as long as they continue to meet the application requirements.

#### **Application Instructions:**

Please complete, enclose and mail application form, transcripts (unofficial transcripts are accepted), and essay question responses to:

Attn: Lacey Morrison, WIM MT President WIM – Montana Chapter PO Box 844 White Sulphur Springs, MT 59645

The application form, transcripts and essay questions may also be submitted via email to <u>montanachapter@womeninmining.us</u>. Please include all documents in one email. If you have any questions or need any assistance, please contact Lacey Morrison at (406) 660-0379 or contact us via the email above.



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# DEADLINE: April 30, 2024

Name:		
Mailing Address:		
City:	State:	Zip Code:
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:	
E-Mail:		
School you will be attending	in Fall 2024:	
(Anticipated) Major:		
Current GPA:	Anticipated Graduation Date:	:
Career or Field of Study you	- plan to pursue after graduation:	

#### **Essay Questions**

Please submit your responses to the following questions on separate sheets of paper. Essay question response should be limited to one page maximum length each.

- 1. Discuss the importance of gender diversity and inclusion in the mining industry.
- 2. What are your future career goals around mining?
- 3. What can the mining industry do differently to bring awareness to mining, or to help educate the public on the importance of modern mining?

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date:

Please mail application form and supporting documentation to WIM Montana at the address below:

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