

# Indiana Funeral Education Foundation

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## SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

Deadline April 15, 2018

### The Indiana Funeral Directors Association Awards 4 Scholarships

Frank W. Moore Scholarship • 2 Indiana Funeral Education Foundation Scholarships •  
Executive Director's Scholarship

**Students may apply for all four scholarships and must complete an application for each scholarship.**

The **Frank W. Moore Scholarship** is in memory of Frank W. Moore to recognize the understanding of, and dedication to, the philosophy and standards of funeral service to a deserving mortuary science student. Selection is done by a committee of the Indiana Funeral Education Foundation. The scholarship is in the amount of \$1000.

The **Indiana Funeral Education Foundation** is committed to excellence in funeral service education and awards **two scholarships**. One is in honor of IFDA's first president, **Isaac Ball** and is in the amount of \$2,000. The other scholarship is the **Bo Hagemier and Renee' Parker Scholarship** and is in memory of their dedicated service to funeral service. This scholarship is \$1,000. Bo Hagemier was instrumental in the writing of the Indiana Funeral laws and Renee' worked at IFDA for 21 years as the office and trust manager.

This scholarship is for \$1,000. They are awarded to qualified funeral service students who plan to complete their education and then serve the public in their chosen career in the state of Indiana. The Isaac Ball Scholarship is funded by an endowment funded by Isaac Ball Fellow donors to the foundation and the other is funded by the foundation itself.

The **Executive Director's Scholarship** is provided by IFDA Executive Director Andy Clayton, through the Indiana Funeral Education Foundation. Actual selection is done by a committee of the Foundation. It is to assist a qualified non-traditional student with their funeral service education. A "non-traditional" student is defined as one starting or returning to college after a break of at least 5 years from high school or another college. This would include those entering funeral service as a second career, following military service, or starting their career after raising children. Evidence of need will be considered but is not a requirement for award. The scholarship is for \$1,000.

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### SELECTION CRITERIA

The applicant must (1) be attending an accredited funeral service education program; (2) be a student/intern member of IFDA; (3) submit a letter of recommendation from a practicing funeral director (non-family member) **AND** from a member of the funeral service school or department faculty; (4) submit the essay outlined below; (5) show you intend to serve your internship in the state of Indiana; (6) complete and submit the Scholarship Application form; and (7) submit your current college transcript.

## **ESSAYS (Must be typed)**

Write an essay telling us about yourself. You might want to include information about how you chose funeral service as a career, your career and life goals, and any early experiences you had in funeral service. Be sure to include information about your intent to serve your internship in the state of Indiana.

## **APPLICATIONS**

- Application(s) must be submitted by deadline – April 15, 2018
- All requested materials must accompany application
- Mail completed application(s) to address above
- Do not submit additional material such as photos or resumes
- Materials submitted will not be returned
- Winners will be notified by mail
- Scholarships will be formally announced and awarded at the IFDA convention
- Payment of the scholarship will be made directly to the school

## **CHECK LIST FOR EACH SCHOLARSHIP SUBMITTED**

**(your application will be disqualified if missing ANY of the following pieces)**

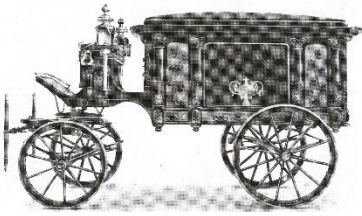
- Student/Intern Member of IFDA - FREE (<http://www.infda.org/join-us>)
- Letter of Recommendation from practicing funeral director (non-family member)
- Letter of Recommendation from funeral service school or department faculty
- Essay
- Scholarship Application Form
- College Transcript

**Remember – the deadline to apply is April 15, 2018!**



**2018 Annual Convention**

**May 14 – 17, 2018 | Florence, IN**



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CHECK ONE:  Frank W. Moore Scholarship, \$1,000  Isaac Ball Scholarship, \$2,000  
 Bo Hagemier and Renee' Parker Scholarship, \$1,000  Executive Director's Scholarship, \$1,000

Name \_\_\_\_\_ (Maiden Name) \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address \_\_\_\_\_  
*(include City, State and Zip Code)*

Current Address (if different) \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

### HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION

High School/City \_\_\_\_\_

Years Attended \_\_\_\_\_ Year Graduated \_\_\_\_\_

### COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY EDUCATION

Degree Received?  Yes  No Date degree(s) received \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Degree \_\_\_\_\_

Name of School \_\_\_\_\_

Dates attended: From \_\_\_\_\_ To \_\_\_\_\_

### MILITARY BACKGROUND (if any)

Branch of Service \_\_\_\_\_

Period of Service \_\_\_\_\_ Rank Obtained \_\_\_\_\_

### FUNERAL SERVICE EDUCATION

College you will attend or are attending \_\_\_\_\_

Date your studies commence or commenced \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated graduation date \_\_\_\_\_

### WORK EXPERIENCE

Position	Employer	Dates of Employment
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

### SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Activity	Dates of Participation
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

I certify that the above information is true and can be verified by proper documentation, if required. It is my intention to continue my mortuary science education and to enter the field of funeral service in the state of Indiana upon successful completion of professional education, examination and licensure.

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