

## Owens Corning Employee Scholarship Program Information

The **Owens Corning Foundation Employee Scholarship Program** was established in 2012 to provide educational assistance to Owens Corning employees seeking, beyond high school, a high level of education. The purpose of the program is to support employee growth and development and help defray the cost of education. This scholarship is available for current full-time Owens Corning employees pursuing a higher level of education, beyond high school, at an accredited post-secondary education (or equivalent outside the U.S.). This scholarship may be renewed for additional years after the initial award (not guaranteed), provided the student meets the renewal conditions.

Greater Toledo Community Foundation administers this scholarship program and all questions should be directed to the Scholarship Officer at <a href="mailto:Scholarships@toledocf.org">Scholarships@toledocf.org</a>. All answers must be submitted in English.

APPLICATION DEADLINE	AWARD	NUMBER	AWARD	RENEWAL
	AMOUNT	OF AWARDS	TYPE	TERMS
March 1 @ 5:00 PM EST	\$2,000	75 Awards (New & Renewals)	Possible Renewal (not guaranteed)	Recipients can be awarded up to a maximum of \$16,000 total.

## **APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY**

Applications are first carefully reviewed by the Greater Toledo Community Foundation staff to verify their eligibility.

- 1. Must be a current full-time employee who has worked at Owens Corning at least one year at the time of the application deadline.
- 2. Must be pursuing a degree at an accredited post-secondary institution (or equivalent outside the U.S.).
- 3. Must have and maintain a minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA (or equivalent outside the U.S.).
- 4. Must not be receiving education assistance through the Owens Corning Graduate Level Education Assistance policy or other country policies.

## **SELECTION CRITERIA**

Greater Toledo Community Foundation may revise the criteria from year to year based on recommendations from the Owens Corning Foundation Board. Eligible applicants are reviewed by a Scholarship Advisory Committee (SAC) based on the following criteria, in order of significance:

- 1. Academic Achievements
- 2. Leadership Skills & Experience
- 3. Career Goals Essay

## **SCHOLARSHIP PROCESS & TIMELINE**

Visit the <u>Employee Scholarship Page</u> located on MyOC under HR policies to find specific deadlines and application materials.

December	Application Available: Click here to apply on the Scholarship Portal		
March 1	Application Deadline: Applicants are fully responsible for uploading required documents by the deadline. All answers on application must be submitted in English.		
March – April	Review Process: SAC reviews & evaluates applications.		
April	Committee Meeting: SAC meets to discuss applicants & select recipients.		
May 15	Decision Notifications: GTCF notifies applicants of the Committee's decisions (approval & denial).		
Early July	Follow Up Requirement: Recipients must submit required enrollment verification (class schedule & bill) prio scholarship payment.		
Late July	Payments: Scholarships are paid directly to post-secondary institution (never directly to student).		

**NOTICE:** 

MEXICO - LA UNIVERSIDAD LATINOAMERICANA IS <u>NOT</u> AN ELIGIBLE INSTITUTION. INDIA – APPLICANTS MUST CONFIRM PRIOR TO APPLYING THAT THEIR INSTITUTION HAS AN ACCOUNT WITH THE STATE BANK OF INDIA

