

# CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

## NYACS SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION

January 2008

### Introduction

In 2008, the NYACS Scholarship Foundation will again award scholarships to one or more qualified students who are employees, or immediate family members of employees, of NYACS member companies. NYACS membership includes retail, wholesale, and supplier companies.

Scholarships recognize individuals who illustrate those qualities of success identified with the convenience store industry. One \$1,000 scholarship is awarded in memory of Emmy Seng, wife of NYACS co-founder Robert Seng. In addition, in 2007, three RONY Trust scholarships and two NYACS Foundation scholarships were awarded ranging from \$500 to \$750.

### Eligibility

- Applicant must be an employee, or an immediate family member of an employee, of a NYACS member company. NYACS membership includes retail, wholesale, and supplier companies.
- Applicant's company must have been a member of NYACS for a minimum of one year from date of this notice.
- Applicant must be enrolled in a minimum of 12 credit hours per semester, in an accredited two or four-year college, university, or technical school.
- Applicant must have completed at least one semester and be enrolled in a second semester of an accredited program. All undergraduate students who meet these criteria are eligible.
- Applicant must have a minimum grade point average of 2.5, based on a 4-point grading system.
- Also considered will be the individual's curriculum and student activities, their applicability to the convenience store industry, and the individual's stated goals and accomplishments.
- If selected, applicant must agree to refund the scholarship award in full if, after six months from the date of payment, he or she is no longer enrolled in the college, university or technical school to whom payment was made, for any reason other than graduation. Previous recipients are ineligible.

### Selection

Applications must be received at the NYACS office by May 31, 2008. The Selection Committee will notify the scholarship recipient(s) by mail no later than July 15, 2008. Depending on circumstances, the Foundation pays the scholarship either directly to the accredited college, university or technical school or to the recipient.

# Application

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Students who meet the specified qualifications may apply for a scholarship by **completing this form** and submitting it **with their official transcript, or their most recent grade report**, verifying completion of one semester and current enrollment in the second. Applications must be received no later than May 31, 2008 to be considered.

*(Please type or print clearly)*

**Applicant Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**College/University/Technical School:** \_\_\_\_\_

School Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Finance Office \_\_\_\_\_  
(such as Bursar, Financial Aid, Student Accounts)

City/State/ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

School Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_

**Applicant's Home Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Affiliation With NYACS:**

Member Store or Company \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Store or Co. Employee and Relationship to Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please submit an essay, outlining your future goals, current activities, qualifications, and accomplishments. Please attach essay and transcript to this application, and submit by May 31, 2008 to:**

**NYACS SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION**  
**130 WASHINGTON AVENUE, 3<sup>RD</sup> FLOOR, ALBANY NY 12210**