

## CONCRETE MASONRY ASSOCIATION OF CALIFORNIA AND NEVADA

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TO: University Architectural Departments for Graduate and Undergraduate Students  
FROM: Jennifer Tolman, Office Assistant, Concrete Masonry Association of California and Nevada (CMACN)  
RE: Annual Architectural Scholarships for the Study of Concrete Masonry

Dear Professors, Staff and Students:

Concrete Masonry Association of California and Nevada (CMACN), a non-profit organization, is pleased to announce we have continued to establish scholarships in 2018 for undergraduate and graduate level architectural students who study concrete masonry as an architectural building envelope material.

As an association of concrete masonry block manufacturers, CMACN's mission is to strengthen the masonry industry in California and Nevada by providing technical information resources on concrete masonry for design professionals, protect and advance the interests of the concrete masonry industry, develop new and existing markets for concrete masonry products and coordinate our members' efforts in solving common problems within the masonry industry.

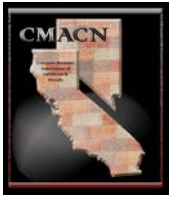
CMACN develops, monitors and coordinates test programs, research projects and specification updates. We publish technical and educational data, and both receive and disseminate recommendations for improved product use. To this end, we have established a scholarship program in order to promote the study of concrete masonry as a subject. The Architectural Scholarship amount is \$500.00 per winning student. In addition, awarded students will receive a copy of our latest edition of "Design of Reinforced Masonry Structures", which is the association's premier publication. There is no predetermined number of scholarship awardees; selections are determined by responses to the application questions. All scholarship award winners and the university contact person will be notified as to the date and method the scholarship will be awarded.

Requests for this scholarship should be submitted via email, snail mail or fax on the attached application and include at least one signed, dated and sealed departmental recommendation. Scholarship recipients must be returning to their universities in fall 2018 as architectural students. All applications must be **postmarked no later than Monday, March 19, 2018.** Repeat applicants and previous awardees are welcome to apply.

If you are not the appropriate contact person for disseminating this scholarship material, please contact CMACN with the correct contact information. Your help is greatly appreciated.

Please also contact us if you have additional questions with regard to this matter.

Attachment



# SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

(For Architectural Undergraduate and Graduate Students)

To Be Presented By

**CONCRETE MASONRY ASSOCIATION OF CALIFORNIA AND NEVADA**

**\$500 FOR THE STUDY OF CONCRETE MASONRY IN THE FIELD OF  
ARCHITECTURE**

**Deadline is Monday, March 19, 2018**

You must be a returning student for the fall 2018 semester to apply. Scholarship notification will be sent to the student and university contact person with the date and method of award.

University: \_\_\_\_\_

Year of study: \_\_\_\_\_ Continuing at same university in fall? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

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

Applicant Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Please submit at least one university faculty recommendation that has been signed and sealed along with a brief answer to the following multipart question on separate paper.

1. Why Masonry? I.e., **(A.)** When designing a building envelope, how will you determine/influence what building material(s) to incorporate? **(B.)** Why and when would you choose concrete masonry? **(C.)** Please include a discussion of the interface of concrete masonry with other building materials, the energy benefits and lifecycle advantages of concrete masonry vs. other building materials.

Send completed application and attachments to:

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