



National Association of Postal Supervisors

DONALD N. LEDBETTER

MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

2013 Official Application Form

The \$1,500 **Donald N. Ledbetter** Memorial Scholarship honors the extraordinary life and career of the late NAPS president. This competitively selected scholarship is funded by Martin Communications, Inc., publisher of *The Postal Supervisor*.

This application must be received no later than **July 31, 2013, at the address below; please do not send this application to NAPS Headquarters.** Applicants may apply for both this scholarship *and* one of the Vince Palladino Memorial Student Scholarships, if they wish. However, *multiple* applications from one individual for either scholarship will result in that candidate being disqualified from consideration.

Personal Data

Please provide your name, student ID number or Social Security number and home address. Also, provide the name of your NAPS member relative, that individual's NAPS branch number and *your* relationship (son, daughter, grandchild) to that individual. You must be the child or grandchild of a living NAPS member to apply for this scholarship.

_____	_____	_____	_____
Your Name	Student ID		
_____	_____	_____	_____
PO Box/Street Address	City	State	ZIP+4
_____	_____	_____	_____
Name of NAPS relative	Branch No.	Your relationship to the NAPS member	

Institution

Provide the name, full mailing address and the Office of the Registrar's phone number of the accredited two- or four-year college or university you are attending or have been accepted to attend.

_____	(_____)_____
Name of College/University	Registrar's Office Phone Number
_____	_____
PO Box/Street Address	City State ZIP+4

▶ Personal Statement Essay

Applicants must submit a personal statement essay reflecting the importance of the Donald N. Ledbetter Memorial Scholarship to them. It is important that the essay be well-written, since it serves as a direct reflection of the applicant. The essay should be TYPED, double-spaced, no more than two 8½-by-11-inch sheets of plain white paper and be attached to the application.

▶ Official Transcript

Applicants must submit certified, official high school or college transcripts.

▶ Personal Achievements

Applicants must list—and explain as necessary—*up to five top* personal achievements related to school, work experience and/or external activities. Attach separate sheet.

▶ Letters of Recommendation

Applicants must submit no more than two letters of recommendation, preferably from a teacher/professor or employer.

The Ledbetter Memorial Scholarship winner will be selected on an evaluated scale of 100 percent, with point valuations assigned as follows:

- 40 percent** – Quality of Personal Statement Essay
- 30 percent** – Academic Merit (OFFICIAL transcripts)
- 20 percent** – List of Up to Five Personal Achievements
- 10 percent** – Two Letters of Recommendation

▶ Check off the following completed tasks:

- Application Personal Statement Essay
- Official Transcripts List of Personal Achievements
- Two Letters of Recommendation

Please do not send this application to NAPS. Application and other required materials **MUST** be received at Ledbetter Scholarship, 619 S. Surf Rd., Ocean City, MD 21842 **no later than July 31, 2013.**