

Prahlad & Bindu Pant Scholarship Award

\$2,500 Awarded on the basis of student's financial need

Managed by Nepalese Association in Southeast America (NASeA)

This scholarship was established by Dr. Prahlad and Mrs. Bindu Pant in 2013. It is awarded annually to "one" student on the basis of the financial needs of the student (NOT merit-based). The award is managed and coordinated by Nepalese Association in Southeast America (NASeA). NASeA's Academic committee will make the selection on the basis of the financial needs of the applicant, and its decision will be final. The award this year will be presented at the 15th NASeA/ANMA Joint Convention 2019 (https://jointconvention.org/); Aug 30 – Sept 1, Winston-Salem, North Carolina. The amount of the award for 2019 is \$2,500.

Eligibility Criteria:

- Full-time undergraduate student (Rising freshman through rising Junior)
- Currently residing anywhere in the U.S. (no requirement of U.S. Resident or Citizenship)
- Nepalese origin (one or both parents from Nepal)
- U.S. high school graduate
- Scholarship winner must be present at the Convention to receive the award

Required Documents (submit ONE pdf file inclusive of all required documents listed below):

- 1. Application form (see next page)
- 2. Certificate of graduation from high school in U.S.
- 3. Letter of admission from a US college or university
- 4. Copy of financial aid, if any, received from the college or university
- 5. Parent's or Guardian's Federal Tax return (1040 or 1040EZ) [Note: hide SS #]
- 6. 1-page essay on "why you should be awarded this need-based scholarship" (1" margin, single space, 12 size fonts, Times New Roman)

The scholarship award winner will receive:

- 1. Scholarship amount of \$2,500
- 2. Free convention registration (a \$135 value!)

Application Deadline: August 1, 2019 Award Decision: August 9, 2018

Email your application packet to: Dr. Manoj K. Jha at amkjha@hotmail.com



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Application

1.	Name of Student:
2.	Physical Address:
3.	Phone Number:
4.	E-mail Address:
	Name and Address of US High School:
6.	Date of Graduation from US High School:
7.	Name and Address of US College or University Admitted to
8.	Name of parents:
9.	Address of Parents (if different from your address)
10.	Phone Number of Parents:
11.	E-Mail Address of Parents:
12.	Parents' Total Annual Income:
	Have you received any financial aid from the college or university? Yes No (Circle one) If your answer is Yes, what is the total dollar amount of the aid?