



JOHN L. AND SARAH G. MERRIAM SCHOLARSHIP
OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name	_____	ASABE Member #	_____
Mailing Address	_____	Email Address	_____
Declared Major	_____	Grade Point Average (4.0 basis or Equivalent)	_____
University	_____	Expected Date of Graduation (month/year)	_____
ABET or CEAB Accredited (Yes or No)	_____	Date began Undergraduate Study (month/year)	_____

I hereby attest that the information I have provided in this entry form is true and I meet ALL eligibility requirements for the Merriam Scholarship.

Applicant Signature

Date

PERSONAL STATEMENT

Complete a brief essay at the end of this form stating

- why you have selected the Soil and Water discipline as the focus for your degree;
- what is the extent of your financial need; and
- how the scholarship money will be used.

Please limit your essay to 750 words.

UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENT HEAD ENDORSEMENT

I hereby endorse this application for consideration and attest to the fact that this student: (1) is a biological or agricultural engineering student; (2) has COMPLETED at least one full-year of undergraduate study and has AT LEAST one year of undergraduate study remaining; (3) is enrolled in an engineering curriculum that is accredited by ABET or CEAB; (4) is a student member of ASABE; (5) can attest to the need for financial assistance; (6) has a special interest in the Soil and Water area; and (7) has an overall GPA of at least 2.5 on a 4.0 scale.

Please print name

Signature

Date

Send the completed official entry form and personal statement to:

The Merriam Scholarship Fund
c/o ASABE Headquarters
2950 Niles Road
St. Joseph, MI 49085

Entries must be received by headquarters on or before March 15.

PERSONAL STATEMENT (750 word limit)