

# Michigan Auctioneers Association Scholarship

Scholarship ~ In Memory of Lloyd Braun  
Application Form for Financial Assistance for Continuing Education

1. Full Legal Name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_
3. City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_
4. Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_ 6. E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_
7. What do you plan to use the scholarship for?: \_\_\_\_\_
8. Years in the Auction Business: \_\_\_\_\_
9. Experience in the Auction Business: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
10. Applicants Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**Written Section** – Please answer all five of the short answer questions on a separate piece of paper. *Please print or type.*

### **Short Answer Questions:**

1. Why did you become an auctioneer?
2. What is your biggest obstacle in the Auction Business and what are you doing to overcome it?
3. How will the scholarship help you contribute to the Michigan Auctioneers Association?
4. What is your vision for yourself in the auction business?
5. What do you feel are the most important issues the auction industry is facing today?

### **Eligibility for the Scholarship:**

1. Member of the Michigan Auctioneers Association for at least two years or family member/employee of a member of at least two years.
2. Have not won the Michigan Auctioneers Association Scholarship in the past two years.
3. Answer Short Questions as directed.

### **Application Procedure:**

1. Complete the Application form and short answer questions.
2. Application must be received by the MAA Office by 5:00 PM, Friday, January 12, 2018.
3. If you have any questions, please call the MAA Office at 616-785-8288 or Steve Cole, Scholarship Committee Chair, at 810-397-3199.

### **Scholarship Uses:**

Scholarship may be applied to MAA or NAA Conventions, CAI, any NAA Education Institute Classes, Appraisal

Certification, Auction School, or any continuing Education. Payment will be made directly to the school. Applicant must notify the MAA at least 30 days prior to attending the course for the MAA to process payment to the institution.

### **Selection:**

All Applicants will be chosen by the Michigan Auctioneers Association Scholarship Committee. All applicants that meet the criteria will be chosen without consideration of race, creed or sex of the applicant.

### **Valuation Criteria**

1. Seriousness of purpose
2. Ability to communicate his/her goals
3. Initiative
4. Overall impression

**Scholarships will be awarded at the Awards Ceremony at the Michigan Auctioneers Association Annual Conference in Frankenmuth, January 31 - February 2, 2018. Award Winner/s will not be notified until the winner/s is announced at the Conference.**

### **Submit to:**

Michigan Auctioneers Association  
Attn: Scholarship Committee  
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Ph: (616) 785-8288 \* Fax: (616) 447-3761 \* Email: info@msaa.org

