

2017 Scholarship Announcement

The Coalition for Baccalaureate and Graduate Respiratory Therapy Education (CoBGRTE) was formed to help students, faculty, and the general public learn about baccalaureate and graduate respiratory therapy education in the United States of America. To that end, the CoBGRTE Board of Directors voted to make scholarship money available to help support student members of CoBGRTE enrolled in BSRT and MSRT programs. If awarded, recipients of the scholarship will be required to submit a head/shoulder photo taken in a large file format for publication in the *Coalition Chronicle*.

Scholarships Available: Two types of scholarships are available.

CoBGRTE Merit Scholarship

The CoBGRTE Scholarship Committee plans to award eight \$500 scholarships based on merit to student members enrolled in BSRT and MSRT programs.

Submission guidelines: Application materials are due to the Chair of the Scholarship Committee by October 15. Only complete applications will be considered. Applicants are required to submit the following:

1. Typed [CoBGRTE Merit Scholarship Application Form](#)
2. Official transcript verifying GPA and current enrollment in a RT program.
3. One page typed personal statement/essay describing your professional goals and interests related to the profession of Respiratory Care.

Notification of awards is expected to be made by December 1, 2017.

CoBGRTE Research Scholarship

As a way to promote and support research performed by Respiratory Therapists, the CoBGRTE Scholarship Committee plans to award one \$1000 scholarship to a CoBGRTE member enrolled in a graduate program (master or doctoral) who is conducting research.

Submission guidelines: Application materials are due to the Chair of the Scholarship Committee by October 15. Only complete applications will be considered. Applicants are required to submit the following:

1. Official transcript verifying GPA and current enrollment in a graduate program
2. Current professional resume
3. One page typed personal statement/essay describing your professional goals and interests related to the profession of Respiratory Care.
4. Research proposal including introduction/literature review, methods and literature citations
5. Letter from faculty advisor supporting the feasibility of the research proposal

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