



Center for Life Safety Education

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PHILIP L. DeCAMARA, JR., MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

- Winner receives **\$3,000** scholarship.
- Eligible applicants for the Philip L. DeCamara, Jr., Scholarship will be juniors or seniors in the Fall semester *after* the scholarship is awarded (i.e. If scholarship is awarded in Summer, applicants must be juniors or seniors in the Fall semester of that calendar year) and enrolled in the Fire Protection Engineering program at the University of Maryland.
- Fill out this application form. Please follow the format below as closely as possible.
- All applications must be emailed to Ms. Christine O'Brien at cobrien3@umd.edu **no later than 11:59pm on May 1, 2020**.

Name: _____ Birthdate: ____/____/____

Home _____ Phone No: _____

Address: _____

School Residence Address: _____
(if different from home address) _____

Phone Number: _____

E-mail: _____

UMD Student ID #: _____

Date of Admission to University of Maryland _____

Approximate G.P.A.: Freshman Year _____

Sophomore Year _____

Junior Year _____

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

1. **Freshman Year** _____

2. **Sophomore Year** _____

3. **Junior Year** _____

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High School Attended: _____
High School Address: _____

Dates of Attendance: _____

NOTE:

Please type your answers to the following questions on a separate sheet of paper.

GENERAL QUESTIONS

1. Please list, in order of importance to you, five (5) activities you participated in since your senior year of high school that meant most to you.
2. Please list all relevant employment that you have held since graduating from high school. Please include your employer, position, weekly hours worked, and dates of employment.
3. Please indicate any additional talents or skills you possess which the Scholarship Committee should consider.

ESSAY QUESTIONS

1. This is your opportunity to tell us about yourself. What would you most like the Scholarship Committee to know about you when reading your application?
2. If you had to choose a single adjective to describe yourself, what adjective would you select and why?
3. Briefly describe the factors that have influenced your interest in studying fire protection technology.

SCHOLARSHIPS, AWARDS, & HONORS

1. Please tell us about any scholarships or awards that you have received since your graduation from high school.

REFERENCES

Find the recommendation form attached to this application and ask two professors to fill out separate recommendation forms. Both references should be from the Department of Fire Protection Engineering. Please have professors email the recommendation directly to:

Ms. Christine O'Brien at cobrien3@umd.edu. Please note that all applications and recommendation forms must be received by 11:59pm on May 1, 2020.



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Philip L. DeCamara, Jr. Memorial Scholarship Professor Recommendation Form

Please email completed recommendation form by 11:59pm May 1, 2020 to Ms. Christine O'Brien at cobrien3@umd.edu

Student Name:

Professor: The above student is applying for the Philip L. DeCamara, Jr. Memorial Scholarship. Your candid evaluation will be helpful to the Scholarship Committee.

Background Information:

How long have you known this student and in what capacity?

What are the first words that come to your mind to describe this student?

Please write whatever you feel is important about this student's academic and personal character. Most importantly, please describe what differentiates this student from others who may be applying for the scholarship. (Use the back of this form or another sheet for additional space if necessary.)

Professor's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Professor's Printed Name: _____

Department: _____

Professors, please return this form by email to cobrien3@umd.edu by 11:59pm on May 1, 2020