



2016-2017

## OEE COMMITMENT TO SUSTAINABILITY SCHOLARSHIP

### PURPOSE

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The Ohio State University is dedicated to advancing education, research and innovation related to energy, the environment and sustainability. To further these goals, the Office of Energy and Environment Commitment to Sustainability Scholarship is intended to support full-time undergraduate students interested in studying energy, environment and sustainability-related issues at Ohio State. Priority will be given to undergraduate students with a strong academic background and proven record of collegiate, community and/or civic engagement, as well as those who demonstrate collaboration, teambuilding, and teamwork. OEE anticipates making up to five (5) awards of up to \$1,000 each (\$5,000 total) each academic year.

### ELIGIBILITY

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Undergraduate students from any OSU college, department or academic unit may apply. To be eligible, students must be fulltime, undergraduate, degree-seeking students in good academic standing within their respective college, department or academic unit, and have a 3.2 minimum grade-point average. They must read and understand the fact sheet and application. They must agree to terms outlined in the award letter. Previous award recipients and employees of the Office of Energy and Environment are not eligible to apply.

### APPLICATION

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As part of the selection process, selectors may consider the student's creativity, academic performance and potential, major and minor courses of study, academic and career goals, as well as collegiate, civic and community engagement.

In order to be considered to receive funding, students must submit the following:

- A completed application form
- Unofficial academic advising report
- A one (1) page resume or curriculum vitae
- A two (2) page personal statement describing the student's; (a) interest in energy, environment, and sustainability; (b) academic background, goals and expected graduation date; (c) career plans, including how this scholarship would help the student achieve those objectives; and (d) plans or contributions to creating awareness of or lasting changes in energy, environment, and sustainability.

### DEADLINES

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Applications must be submitted by email at [OEEStudentPrograms@osu.edu](mailto:OEEStudentPrograms@osu.edu) no later than **12:00 PM Sunday, November 15**. Awards will be announced no later than **December 9**. Funds will be posted to awardees bursar accounts **January 3**.

Questions about this funding opportunity may be sent to [OEEStudentPrograms@osu.edu](mailto:OEEStudentPrograms@osu.edu).

**OEE COMMITMENT TO SUSTAINABILITY SCHOLARSHIP  
Application**

**STUDENT INFORMATION**

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Name			Email Address
Street Address			OSU Student/Employee ID
City	State	Zip	Major
Phone Number			Student Status:
			Full-time    Part-time    Other

**APPLICATION CHECKLIST**

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Completed application form

Unofficial academic advising

One (1) page resume or curriculum vitae

One (1) page recommendation letter from academic advisor or faculty member

Two (2) page personal statement describing the student's: (a) interest in energy, environment, and sustainability; (b) academic background, goals and expected graduation date; (c) career plans, including how this scholarship would help the student achieve those objectives; and (d) plans or contributions to creating awareness of or lasting changes in energy, environment, and sustainability.

**CERTIFICATION**

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I give the Office of Energy and Environment permission to use my name in publicity materials in the event that I am selected to receive the Commitment to Sustainability Scholarship. The Office of Energy and Environment may contact me upon award of the scholarship and at middle and end of the academic year in order to conduct an interview.

I affirm that the information which I have provided on this application form and any additional material that I submit related to the financial aid process is complete, accurate and true to the best of my knowledge. I also understand that furnishing false information may result in revocation of this funding or may result in disciplinary action pursuant to The Ohio State University Code of Student Conduct.

Applicant Signature

Date

Student Name:

**RESUME/CURRICULUM VITAE**

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Please include relevant academic, employment, and a civic and/or community involvement experience in the space below.

Student Name:

**PERSONAL STATEMENT**

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Please use the space below to tell us about yourself; be sure to discuss (a) your interest in energy, environment, and sustainability; (b) your academic background, goals and expected graduation date; (c) your career plans, including how this scholarship would help you achieve those objectives; and (d) your plans or contributions to creating awareness of or lasting changes in energy, environment, and sustainability.

Student Name:

**PERSONAL STATEMENT, CONT.**

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