



Nordson Corporation Foundation
Nordson BUILDS Scholarship Program

Nordson Corporation provides three different college scholarship programs to help students with unmet financial need access and complete postsecondary education by lessening the financial burden on students and their families.

The mission of Nordson BUILDS is to attract and develop a diverse, highly-skilled talent pool for careers in the manufacturing industry. Scholarship recipients will be considered for available internship opportunities with Nordson Corporation. These scholarships are targeted at individuals whose permanent residence or postsecondary institution is near a Nordson facility and/or attend a college targeted by Nordson for employment. To be considered, applicants must be pursuing a major in manufacturing, STEM (science, technology, engineering, and mathematics), or business disciplines, and demonstrate how their area of study prepares them for a career in manufacturing. Scholarships ranging from \$2,000 to \$10,000 will be awarded to students planning to enroll or already enrolled in an accredited public or private not-for-profit postsecondary institution.

SCHOLARSHIPS AND ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

CAREER & TECHNICAL SCHOLARSHIP (CTS)

In support of the manufacturing industry, the Career & Technology Scholarship (CTS) recognizes individuals pursuing credit-based certificate or associate degrees at an accredited community college or technical school. Preferred programs of study include Engineering, including Electrical, Mechanical, Industrial and Software, Engineering Technology, Information Technology, Machining, and Manufacturing Operations. Applicants must be a high-school senior or current college student with a minimum 2.7 g.p.a., and demonstrate unmet financial need.

UNIVERSITY SCHOLARS SCHOLARSHIP (USS)

In support of character, leadership, academic goals, and the need to prepare an educated citizenry, the University Scholars Scholarship (USS) will be awarded to individuals aspiring to careers in manufacturing, engineering, STEM, and business leading to a career in manufacturing and Corporate America. Preferred programs of study include Engineering, Engineering-related disciplines, Manufacturing Operations, Supply Chain Management, Marketing, Accounting, Finance, Industrial Management, Information Technology, and STEM majors leading to a career in industry. Applicants must be a high-school senior or current college student with a minimum 3.0 g.p.a., and demonstrate unmet financial need.

CREATING EQUITY IN INDUSTRY SCHOLARSHIP (CEIS)

In response to a strategic imperative to promote racial and gender equity and support a diverse, well-represented workforce in manufacturing and Corporate America, scholarships will be awarded to talented Black/African-American, Hispanic, American Indian, Pacific Islander, and female students. Preferred programs of study include Engineering, Engineering-related disciplines, Manufacturing Operations, Supply Chain Management, Marketing, Accounting, Finance, Industrial Management, Information Technology, and STEM majors leading to a career in industry. Applicants must be a high-school senior or college student from one of the underrepresented groups mentioned, have a minimum 3.0 g.p.a., and demonstrate unmet financial need.

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NORDSON CORPORATION U.S. LOCATIONS

Nordson BUILDS scholarships are targeted at individuals whose permanent residence or post-secondary institution is near one of the Nordson locations below:

California

Carlsbad
Concord

Colorado

Ft. Collins

Georgia

Duluth
Roswell
Swainsboro

Michigan

Plymouth

Minnesota

Eagan

New Jersey

Robbinsville

North Carolina

Hickory

Ohio

Amherst
Westlake
Youngstown

Pennsylvania

New Castle

Rhode Island

East Providence

Virginia

Pulaski

Wisconsin

Chippewa Falls

HOW TO APPLY

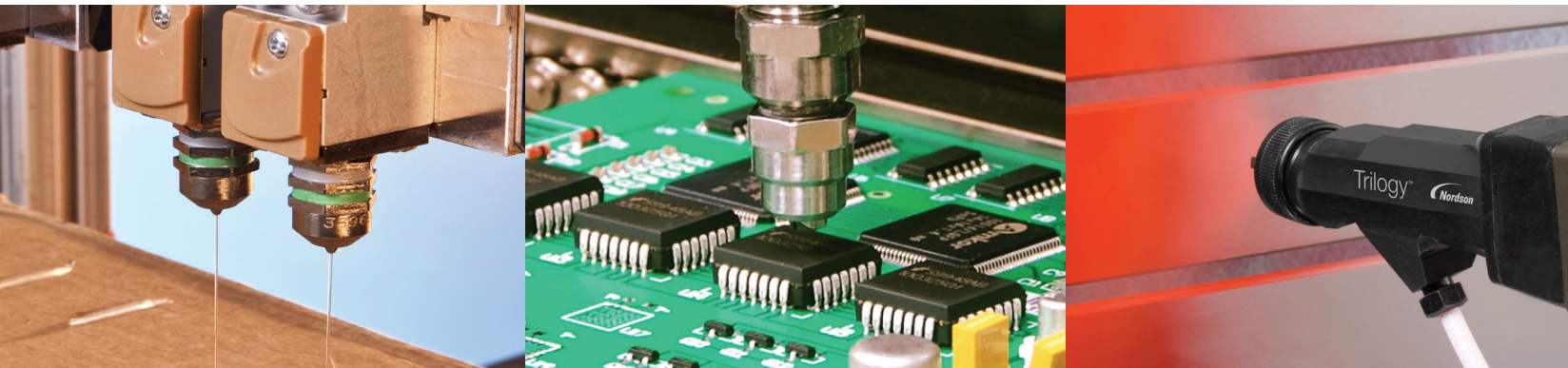
Go to the application online at:

www.nordson.com/BUILDS

Applications can be accessed online after January 15 and are due by May 15.

Any questions may be forwarded to:

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ABOUT NORDSON CORPORATION

Nordson engineers, manufactures and markets differentiated products and systems used for dispensing and processing adhesives, coatings, polymers, sealants and biomaterials; and for managing fluids, testing and inspecting for quality, treating surfaces and curing. These products are supported with extensive application expertise and direct global sales and service. We serve a wide variety of consumer non-durable, consumer durable and technology end markets including packaging, nonwovens, electronics, medical, appliances, energy, transportation, building and construction, and general product assembly and finishing. Founded in 1954 and headquartered in Westlake, Ohio, the company has operations and support offices in more than 30 countries. Visit Nordson on the web at www.nordson.com, www.twitter.com/Nordson_Corp or www.facebook.com/nordson.

ABOUT THE NORDSON CORPORATION FOUNDATION

Since our founding, Nordson has held the belief that business, as a corporate citizen, has a social responsibility to share its success with the communities in which it operates and its employees work. Nordson is committed to contributing approximately five percent of domestic pre-tax earnings to support charitable activities, with a focus on education and communities where the company has significant operations. Our employees also show their support by volunteering thousands of hours through Nordson's Time 'n Talent program. The Nordson Corporation Foundation is the successor to the Nordson Foundation, which was created in 1952 by Walter G. Nord, founder of Nordson Corporation. In 1988, the original foundation was reorganized to create the Nord Family Foundation and the Nordson Corporation Foundation. Since 1989, the Nordson Corporation Foundation has awarded tens of millions of dollars in grants in four broad categories: arts and culture, civic affairs, education and human welfare. More information on applying for grants is available at www.nordson.com/givingback.

Nordson BUILDS is administered by OFIC, a third-party scholarship management resource provider.

