



## 2025–2026 Undergraduate Scholarship Application

The Colorado Association of Stormwater and Floodplain Managers (CASFM) has a **\$5,000** scholarship available for the 2023–2024 academic year. Finished application packages must be received by **November 1, 2025**.

Email combined application and  
essay in PDF by **November 1, 2025**  
to Ben Liu,  
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### Purpose

Promote interest in the CASFM organization and their goals among students and the engineering community. Applicants must be enrolled in an undergraduate program closely related to CASFM's goals at a college or university in Colorado at the sophomore, junior, or senior level and be registered to take at least 10 credit hours of coursework per semester. Eligible programs of study include, but are not limited to: civil engineering, environmental engineering, hydrology, hydraulics, watershed management, floodplain management, stormwater management, stormwater quality, emergency response, meteorology, and climatology. The scholarship recipient will also have the option to attend the 2026 CASFM Conference to be held September 15-18 in Steamboat Springs. Registration and three nights' lodging at the conference is included if the recipient commits to accepting the award at the CASFM annual lunch meeting at the conference. Visit [www.casfm.org](http://www.casfm.org) for more information.

### Selection Process

Three applicants will be shortlisted based on this application, one-page resume, and a short essay describing their personal and career goals and how they relate to the goals of CASFM. Preference will be given to local applicants. Short-listed applicants will be notified by **November 12, 2025**. A panel will hold a short (approximately 20 minute) interview with short-listed applicants in mid-November. The successful candidate will be notified by **December 1, 2025**. Funds will be disbursed by check directly to the student. Previous recipients of a CASFM scholarship are not eligible.

### Permission to Release Information

By signing this application, I certify that the information contained in this application is true and correct, and I authorize CASFM and its delegates to confirm and/or release any information included on this application. Signature is required to be considered for this scholarship.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### General Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
School Address: \_\_\_\_\_

### Academic History

Current College/University (at which scholarship would be applied)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Major/Minor: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date Admitted: \_\_\_\_\_  
Advisor: \_\_\_\_\_  
Credits, Fall 2023: \_\_\_\_\_  
Credits, Spring 2024: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anticipated Degree and Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

### Previous College/University

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Major/Minor: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date Admitted: \_\_\_\_\_  
Advisor: \_\_\_\_\_  
Degree and Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

### High School

Name, City & State: \_\_\_\_\_  
Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### References

Please provide three references, either academic, professional, or personal.

#### Reference 1

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer/Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Type: (Academic / Professional / Personal)

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Dates Known: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Reference 2

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer/Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Type: (Academic / Professional / Personal)

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Dates Known: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Reference 3

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer/Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Type: (Academic / Professional / Personal)

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Dates Known: \_\_\_\_\_

### CASFM Internship

Would you like to express interest in an internship with an employer affiliated with CASFM?

- Yes
- No

### Resume/Relevant Work Experience

Please submit a one-page resume separately. Make sure to include:

- Previous employers;
  - Dates of employment;
  - Employer locations;
  - Positions held.
- I have attached my resume to this application

### Short Essay

Please submit a short essay (500 words or less) describing your personal and career goals and how they relate to the goals of CASFM. Preference will be given to local applicants, so please also describe your connection to Colorado.

- I have attached my essay to this application