

Massachusetts Society of Radiologic Technologists  
&  
Quarter Century Club

Entry Level Scholarship Awards

Providing financial assistance to eligible members enrolled in an  
accredited Radiologic Technology Program



MSRT Scholarship Application

*All materials are to be submitted electronically to: [msrt-ma@comcast.net](mailto:msrt-ma@comcast.net)*



Dear Educator:

The MSRT is pleased to announce that three entry level scholarships and one professional level scholarship will be awarded at our Annual Conference:

1. The Oliver E. Merrill Scholarship (\$1,000) sponsored by the MSRT.
2. Quarter Century Club Scholarship \$1000
3. Quarter Century Club Scholarship \$750
4. Quarter Century Club Presidential Scholarship (\$500 professional scholarship awarded to eligible Radiology professionals) **Please refer to the Presidential Scholarship application package.**

The purpose of the entry level scholarships is to provide financial aid to those enrolled in an accredited Radiologic Technology Program. All awards will be considered by the committee based on:

- Academic/professional achievements
- Essay content
- Financial need
- Recommendation

Recipients will be selected by the Scholarship Review Committee & Chairman.

Enclosed please find a copy of the Rules & Regulations along with the application form. It is important that the applicant has full knowledge of these rules & regulations and that the applications are completed properly. Additional applications are available on our website.

Sincerely,

*Mary Frangiosa-Creesy*

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QCC President & Scholarship Chair

*MSRT Guidelines for the Olive E Merrill,  
Florence Wakefield &  
Quarter Century Club Scholarships*



**Entry Level Scholarships:**

In order to be considered eligible for MSRT/QCC Scholarships, the following conditions must be met:

1. The student must be a member in good standing of the MSRT.
2. The student must have completed at least one semester or quarter, of his or her educational program.
3. The student shall have maintained at least 3.0 GPA at the time of application.
4. The student shall be enrolled in a Radiologic Technology program within the Commonwealth of Massachusetts accredited by the Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology (JRCERT).
5. The student shall have applied in the method prescribed by the Executive Board of the MSRT.

**Method of Application:**

1. Complete the Scholarship application.
2. In typed essay form, the applicant shall submit a statement consisting of 250-500 words that discloses:
  - a. Why are you choosing to make medical imaging your career at this point in your life?
  - b. Explain the status of your financial need and how this scholarship will affect your current situation.
  - c. What is it about you that makes you the best candidate for this scholarship?
  - d. Explain your career goals and how your degree or certificate will help you to achieve them.
  - e. Describe your community service and volunteer experience.
  - f. Describe any academic or clinical awards or recognition you have received.
3. Scan and submit an electronic copy of your school transcript showing the most recent semester completed.
4. A letter of recommendation from the student's Clinical Instructor or Clinical Supervisor must be submitted electronically to the MSRT. The recommendation must describe the student's level of competency and professionalism to include their interactions with patients, staff and peers. Please give the MSRT Scholarship Recommendation Guidelines to the individual writing the recommendations.
5. All materials must be submitted electronically to the MSRT no later than 2/12/2012.



### **Distribution**

1. Each scholarship shall consist of a cash award. The amount of each scholarship will be determined by the Executive Board of the MSRT.
2. Selection shall be made without consideration of nationality, race, color, sex, or creed...
3. Scholarship awards will be presented to recipients by the Scholarship Chair at the Annual Conference.
4. Applicants are eligible to receive only one scholarship per year.
5. The presentation of all scholarships is subject to the availability of funds.

## ***MSRT Scholarship Recommendation Guidelines***

### **Instructions for the Recommender:**

The Massachusetts Society of Radiologic Technologists (MSRT) appreciates your candid appraisal on the merit of the individual applying for a scholarship. The scholarship committee desires an accurate assessment of each applicant. Please comment on the following and email your recommendation to [msrt-ma@comcast.net](mailto:msrt-ma@comcast.net) by February 12, 2012.

- Dates of enrollment in an educational program or employment in your facility.
- Perception of the applicant's academic, clinical or professional performance to include their interactions with patients, staff and peers.
- Knowledge of applicant's commitment/intentions to pursue education/accomplish goals.
- Generally, why you recommend the applicant to receive a scholarship.
- Any other information you feel is relevant for the committee's consideration.