

WPS 2009 Scholarship First Year Students

Essay Question:

“Describe how the perfusionist’s role has changed through the years beyond the operation of the heart lung machine. Explain how the additional roles compare and/or contrast with the operation of the heart lung machine. Do you believe the additional roles have benefited or hindered the profession of perfusion? What do you foresee as the description of a “Perfusionist’s Scope of Practice” to be in five years?”

The amount of the scholarship is \$500.00 and in the past we have awarded more than one scholarship.

REQUIREMENTS:

- Essay must contain more than 250 words but no more than 800 words.**
- Essays must be typed with a format of the applicants’ choice.**
- Applicants may but are not required to use references. If references are not cited, the essay must be the original work of the applicant.**
- Applicants must be a current student in his/her first year of an accredited perfusion program. A letter verifying your status from the program director must be submitted with your essay and application form.**
- Deadline for submission of the essay is March 13, 2009.**
- Essay, applicant form, and a letter from the program director should be sent to: Nicole Michaud, 431 Delwiche Road, Green Bay, WI 54302 or e-mailed to nmichaud@new.rr.com (e-mail is preferred).**
- Winning applicants will be notified by mail or e-mail by March 21, 2009.**
- Winning applicants will be recognized at the WPS Annual Spring Meeting to be held in Wisconsin Dells, Wisconsin at the Kalahari Waterpark and Hotel (1-877-kalahari) on April 3-5, 2009.**
- Winning applicants are encouraged to attend the WPS Meeting, but this is not a required.**

Applicant's Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Perfusion School: _____

*** Do not forget to have your program director send a verification letter of your status in an accredited program via e-mail or conventional mail.**