



2014 AMGA SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

[DUE BY JAN 6TH, 2014 – NO EXCEPTIONS]

**IF YOU ARE APPLYING FOR THE CHAD VANDER HAM MEMORIAL FUND (SKI DISCIPLINE ONLY), PLEASE FOLLOW THE SEPARATE DIRECTIONS ON THE AMGA SITE.

[PERSONAL INFORMATION]

NAME _____ EMAIL _____
ADDRESS _____ PHONE _____
DATE OF BIRTH (DD/MM/YYYY) _____
CURRENT EMPLOYER(S) _____
YEAR YOU BEGAN GUIDING _____ DAYS PER YEAR YOU GUIDE PROFESSIONALLY _____

ARE YOU CURRENTLY UNDER CONTRACT FOR A COMPANY AS A SPONSORED ATHLETE/AMBASSADOR OR DO YOU WORK CLOSELY WITH A COMPANY PROVIDING A SCHOLARSHIP? ☐YES ☐NO

IF YES, WHICH COMPANY(IES) DO YOU WORK WITH? _____

WHAT ARE YOUR SIZES FOR: JACKET: _____ PANT: _____ GLOVE: _____ HARNESS: _____

[MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION]

****In order to apply for a scholarship with the AMGA you must be a current member.**

YEAR JOINED THE AMGA: _____

MEMBERSHIP LEVEL ☐CERTIFIED GUIDE ☐INDIVIDUAL ☐ASSOCIATE

[PROGRAM INFORMATION]

LIST ALL AMGA CERTIFICATIONS YOU HOLD AND YEAR:

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

LIST ALL AMGA COURSES YOU'VE COMPLETED AND YEAR:

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

TOP THREE (3) PROGRAM(S) YOU'D LIKE TO APPLY THE SCHOLARSHIP TOWARDS FOR 2014:

*** APPLICANT *MUST* MEET ALL OF THE PRE-REQUISITES FOR THE COURSE THAT THE SCHOLARSHIP WILL BE APPLIED TOWARDS; IF YOU DO NOT, YOUR SCHOLARSHIP WILL BE REVOKED.**

SKI GUIDE

- ☐ S1:SGC
- ☐ S2:SGC
- ☐ S3:SGC
- ☐ S5:SMGE
- ☐ S4:SGC
- ☐ S6:SMGC/AE
- ☐ S7:SMGE
- ☐ S8:SMGC/AE

ROCK GUIDE

- ☐ R3:RGE
- ☐ R4:RGC/AE
- ☐ R11:RGC/AE
- ☐ R12:RGE
- ☐ R13:RGC/AE

- ☐ R14:RGE

ROCK INSTRUCTOR

- ☐ R1:RIC
- ☐ R2:RIE
- ☐ R5:RIC
- ☐ R6:RIC
- ☐ R7:RIC
- ☐ R8:RIC
- ☐ R15:RIC
- ☐ R16:RIC
- ☐ R17:RIE
- ☐ R18:RIC
- ☐ R9:RIE
- ☐ R10:RIC

ICE

- ☐ I1:IIC
- ☐ I2:IIC
- ☐ I3:IIC

ALPINE GUIDE

- ☐ A1:AGC
- ☐ A2:AGC
- ☐ A4:AGE
- ☐ A5:AAGC/AE
- ☐ A6:AGE
- ☐ A3:AGC
- ☐ A7:AAGC/AE

HAVE YOU EVER RECEIVED A SCHOLARSHIP? If SO, LIST ALL SCHOLARSHIPS AND PROGRAM:

[QUESTIONS]

PLEASE RESPOND TO THE FOLLOWING ON A SEPARATE DOCUMENT (2 PAGE MINIMUM/3 PAGE MAXIMUM) AND SUBMIT APPLICATION AND QUESTIONS AT THE SAME TIME TO VALERIE@AMGA.COM-

EXPLAIN WHAT MAKES YOU A GREAT CANDIDATE FOR A SCHOLARSHIP. (i.e. Explain what being a professional guide means to you and how the AMGA will get you where you want to be. Why do you want to take programs with the AMGA? How will this program help, or how have previous programs helped you grow as a professional guide? Describe your guiding experiences and how it has shaped your life and profession as a guide, etc.)

[REFERENCES]

Please name two individuals who can speak specifically and knowledgeably of your current climbing/skiing skills and your future plan as a guide.

Name _____
Employer _____
Title _____
How many years you've known them _____
Work Phone _____
Email _____

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[AGREEMENT]

I hereby attest that all of the information provided is accurate and within three months of completing the program, I will provide the AMGA office with material requested upon notification of receiving the scholarship. This will include, but not limited to, a written report of the course (500 word minimum), a 3-5 minute video, and a minimum of 10 photographs. Once these materials have been submitted, the scholarship funds will be reimbursed.

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

NAME PRINTED _____

Thank you to all of our partners and memorials who make these scholarships available to our members:

Full-Tuition Scholarships:

- Arc'Teryx Scholarship (Ski Discipline)
- Black Diamond Scholarship (Any Discipline)
- Brooks Range Mountaineering (Any Discipline)
- Chad Vander Ham Memorial Fund (Ski Discipline)
- Eddie Bauer/First Ascent Scholarship (Any Discipline)
- GORE-TEX® Scholarship (Any Discipline)
- Mammut Scholarship (Any Discipline)
- Marmot Scholarship (Any Discipline)
- Mountain Hardwear Scholarship (Any Discipline)
- Outdoor Research Scholarship (Any Discipline)
- Patagonia Scholarship (Women's Scholarship)
- Petzl Scholarship (Any Discipline)
- The North Face Scholarship (Alpine Discipline)
- The Walker Family Foundation Scholarship (Any Discipline)

Partial-Tuition Scholarships

- Doug Parker and Roger Baxter-Jones Memorial (Alpine, Rock, or Ski Exam)
- Five Ten Randall Grandstaff Memorial Scholarship
- Five Ten Scholarship
- Jim Ratz Memorial Scholarship (IFMGA Certification)
- Julie Cheney Culberson Educational Fund (Women's scholarship)
- Mike Hattrup Scholarship (Ski Mountaineering Guide Exam)
- Millet Scholarships Women's (Rock or Alpine Discipline)
- Millet Scholarships Men's (Rock or Alpine Discipline)