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Charles P. Lake Rain for Rent



Scholarship Program

Scholarships are available to undergraduate students majoring in Agricultural, Mechanical, Civil and/or Manufacturing Engineering or Construction Management. Students must be attending an accredited four-year college or university and interested in a fulfilling career at a nationwide company in agricultural irrigation, trenchless underground technology or fluid pumping systems.

Business major applications are accepted through designated Universities.



Charles P. Lake - Rain for Rent Scholarship Application

The **Charles P. Lake-Rain for Rent** Scholarship was established in the memory of the company's founder. Charles P. Lake started Western Oilfields Supply Company, the parent company of **Rain for Rent**, in 1934. He entered the agricultural irrigation equipment business in 1948 under the **Rain for Rent** name and pioneered the irrigation equipment rental industry.

Expanding into the tank rental business in 1990, Rain for Rent is now among the top fifteen industrial rental companies in the United States with over sixty branches nationwide and Canada. A leader in pump, tank, pipeline and filtration rentals, Rain for Rent has worked on projects as diverse as mine dewatering, bypass pumping, fire protection and environmental remediation.

Purpose

Rain for Rent offers up to twenty (20) scholarships in the amount of \$1,500 each annually to qualified college students to help them pursue a career in agriculture, irrigation technology, pumps or fluid dynamics. To support our employees' children, we will also award five (5) scholarships to qualified college students.

Eligibility

Applicants will be accepted within the following criteria:

1. Must have completed their freshman year at an approved college/university and be currently enrolled for the next school year.
2. Must have a 3.0 or higher overall grade point average.
3. Must be a U.S. citizen.
4. Emphasis of education must be primarily Agricultural or Engineering in nature, with a major in an accredited School of Agriculture, Engineering or Construction Management Program. Business majors are accepted through designated universities.

Requirements

Successful applicants are required to:

1. Attend a 2-3 hour orientation meeting at a Rain for Rent facility, and
2. Forward a photo to Rain for Rent so that we may generate a news release that may be published in local newspapers and the Rain for Rent newsletter.

Applications are accepted annually February 1 through April 30

Submittal Process

The scholarship program is administered through participating universities and farm bureaus.

Farm Bureaus

Arizona Farm Bureau Federation
Fresno County Farm Bureau
Imperial County Farm Bureau
Kern County Farm Bureau

Monterey County Farm Bureau
San Joaquin County Farm Bureau
Tulare County Farm Bureau

Universities

California State University, Chico
Cal Poly Pomona
Cal Poly San Luis Obispo
Gonzaga University
Brigham Young University
University of North Dakota
University of California, Santa Barbara
California State University, Bakersfield •

University of Arizona
Arizona State University
California State University, Fresno
Texas A&M University
University of California, Davis
University of Idaho
University of Wyoming

- *Business Majors Accepted*

- ▶ Applications must be electronically submitted to Rain for Rent at scholarshipcoordinator@rainforrent.com or by mail to the PO Box provided below.
- ▶ Official transcripts must be included with each application.

Deadline for Receipt of Applications at Rain for Rent: April 30

Selection Process

The Rain for Rent Scholarship Committee will select the finalists.

Some preference may be made to those students who are specializing in irrigation technology, pumps, trenchless technology and fluid dynamics.

In the event that the applicants are equal in their academic achievements and in their extracurricular activities, the scholarship will be awarded on the basis of need.

Awards

Each recipient will receive a check for \$1,500 mailed directly to his or her university. The award, which will be deposited into the recipients' student account, can be used for tuition or the purchase of books and class materials.



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CHARLES P. LAKE/RAIN FOR RENT 2017 SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM STUDENT LETTER

Rain for Rent is pleased to announce its 2017 Scholarship Program. Fifteen scholarships in the amount of \$1,500.00 each will be awarded to qualified students to help them pursue a career in agriculture, engineering or construction management.

Students may read about the Charles P. Lake/Rain for Rent Scholarship on the Rain for Rent website - <http://www.rainforrent.com/company/scholarship.htm>

Students must apply on the Charles P. Lake/Rain for Rent application form attached to this e-mail to scholarshipcoordinator@rainforrent.com
Deadline for application is April 30, 2017.

Scholarship applicants must be nearing completion of their freshman year at an approved college/university and must be currently enrolled for the next school year within the following criteria:

1. Applicants must have an overall grade point average of 3.0 or above.
2. Applicant's education emphasis must be in agriculture or engineering with a major in agricultural, mechanical, civil, manufacturing engineering or construction management.
3. Preference will be given to those students who are specializing in irrigation technology, pumps, fluid dynamics and trenchless technology.
4. Students must be a U.S. citizen.
5. In the event that the applicants are equal in their academic achievements and extracurricular activities, the scholarship will be awarded on the basis of need.
6. **Official transcripts must be submitted for each applicant but may be sent under separate cover.**
7. Successful applicants must attend a Rain for Rent orientation and provide us with a photo for promotional purposes.

You have received this letter as a student majoring in agriculture, engineering or construction management. You may forward your application along with your official transcripts directly to our Scholarship Coordinator, Carol Cunningham. All applications and official transcripts must arrive prior to the April 30th deadline. These applications will then be presented to our Scholarship Committee for final selection on or before May 31, 2017. Payment of the scholarship will be made upon completion of the requirements provided in the Scholarship Brochure.

Please direct any questions to our Scholarship Coordinator, Carol Cunningham at 661-399-9124, extension 185, e-mail ccunningham@rainforrent.com, or address 3404 State Road, P. O. Box 2248, Bakersfield, California 93303.

Sincerely yours,

Robert Lake
Chairman



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Activities:

List school curricular activities:

List community activities:

Previous Scholarships - List current or previous scholarships and awards.

Statement of interest in major field of study and career goals:

Why do you need this scholarship?

Name

Signature

Date



College Intern Program

Career Opportunities

Rain for Rent's College Internship Program is designed to give students valuable educational training through on-the-job experience.

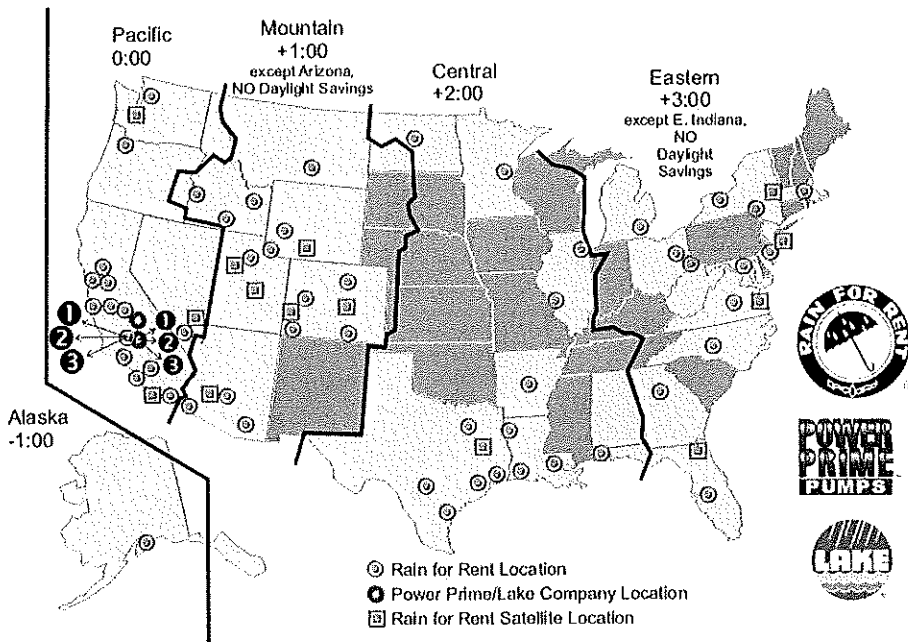
To be eligible, students must have completed at least one year of full-time undergraduate studies with a GPA of 3.0 or greater and be currently enrolled with a minimum of 12 units.

If you are interested in gaining real-world experience to supplement your classroom education, Rain for Rent offers summer internships in Engineering, Sales, Management, Information Technology, Human Resources, Safety, Accounting and Marketing. **Application deadline for summer internship is May 31.**

To apply, request an Intern Application from careers@rainforrent.com and send to Rain for Rent, P.O. Box 2248, Bakersfield, CA 93303. Inquiring minds can visit our webpage www.rainforrent.com to obtain additional information about Rain for Rent's locations, products and services.



Rain for Rent Scholarship Recipients



Scholarship Coordinator
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Rain for Rent

Post Office Box 2248
Bakersfield, California 93303-2248
661-399-9124

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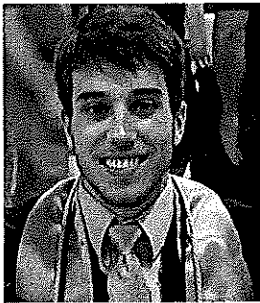
History of Scholarship

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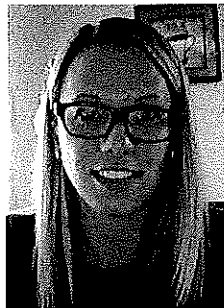
Mr. Lake started Western Oilfields Supply Company in 1934 to supply used equipment to the local oilfields. In 1948, Rain for Rent was created to pioneer the rental of irrigation equipment in the San Joaquin Valley. Mr. Lake's idea was to allow farmers to rent the irrigation equipment—in effect “try before you buy”. Mr. Lake received the Irrigation Association's Industry Achievement Award in 1977 for his efforts in developing the irrigation equipment rental industry. The company now operates over 60 branches providing pumps, pipe, tanks and accessories to petrochemical, industrial, agricultural, environmental, and construction businesses nationwide.

Mr. Lake was well-traveled, well-read and involved in community activities — president of the Kern County Board of Trade and Bakersfield Rotary. He believed in education and supported the construction of the Kern County Beale Library. In his memory, the Charles P. Lake/Rain for Rent Scholarship was established in 1988. Over the years the scholarship has grown to providing thirty-five scholarships in the amount of \$1,500.00 each annually.

2016 Scholarship Recipients



Noah Rivera
Petroleum Engineering
University of Wyoming



Timea Mezei
Engineering Sciences
Cal State Bakersfield



Christopher Thomas
Civil/Enviro Engineering
Cal Poly Pomona



Miguel Pugmire
Mining/Geo Engineering
University of Arizona



Ashley Osborne
Mechanical Engineering
UC Davis



Michael Love
Mechanical Engineering
University of Wyoming



Vanessa Yap
BioResource/AG Engineering
Cal Poly San Luis



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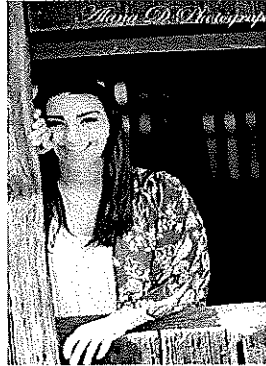
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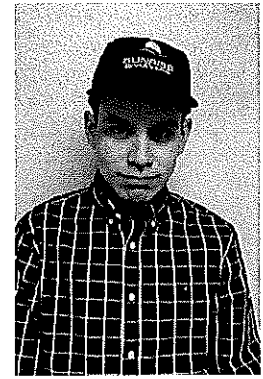


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2016 Scholarship Recipients (cont'd)



Shannon Muzio
AG Business/Comms Disorders
Cal State Univ. Fresno



Salvador Vargas
AG Engineering
Cal State Bakersfield

Nicholas Hembree
BioResource/AG Engineering
Cal Poly San Luis



Dillan Henslee
AG Systems Management
University of Idaho



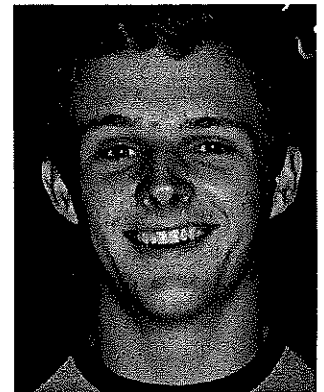
Trevor Masterson
Civil Engineering
Gonzaga University



Andrew Adams
Construction Management
Brigham Young University



Julie Meyers
Biological Systems Engineering
UC Davis



Career Opportunities

- Marketing
- Finance and Accounting
- Audit
- General Management
- Office Management
- Information Technology
- Business Operations
- Customer Service
- Engineering
- Human Resources

- Construction/Project Management
- Contracts
- Product Development
- Sales
- Field Operations
- Commercial Drivers
- Manufacturing
- Purchasing/Procurement
- Fleet Management