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SCHOLARSHIPS ANNOUNCED!

We are very pleased to announce that there are three confirmed opportunities for scholarships already for the 2010-2011 school year!



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The Independent Electrical Contractors of Washington Educational Training Fund (IEC of WA) is a nonprofit organization dedicated to promoting and supporting electrical apprenticeship. IEC of WA educates, trains and develops workers in the electrical construction industry; promoting and fostering safe working practices and encouraging equal opportunity in the electrical construction field. By partnering with industry professionals we strive to provide state-of-the-art electrical training to the diverse population of Washington State.

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Arcadia Electric, Inc

Deadline: May 15, 2010

Home Depot

Deadline: April 30, 2010

Puget Sound Washington IEC

Deadline: April 24, 2010

When completing the application, pay close attention to the directions, requirements, and deadline for submission for each scholarship. Sometimes, it is in these details that your application is selected or excluded. A few years back, one selection committee told us that they were torn between two applicants and could not decide who to award it to. They decided based on the direction that the form be typed. The one who had typed the application form won. Don't let a simple detail knock you out of receiving a scholarship.

The scholarship application forms we receive or have received will be available online for your convenience. Also, Home Depot requires online submission of your application. The link to that application is available on the IEC of Washington website as well.


Good luck!

FEBRUARY 2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10 OJT Reports due today	11 A&T Committee 5:00 pm	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
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MARCH 2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10 OJT Reports due today	11 A&T Committee 5:00 pm	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	----- Deadline for Online Students to ----- ----- Schedule 3rd Quarter Exam -----					
21	22 Tacoma 3rd Quarter Exams 6 pm	23 Everett 3rd Quarter Exams 6 pm	24 Tri-Cities 3rd Quarter Exams 6 pm	25 Spokane 3rd Quarter Exams 6 pm	26	27
28	29	30	31			

 No School

**2010 Graduation and Awards Banquet, Bellingham,
and Annual Wire-Off competition (at the Everett school) will be June 26, 2010.**

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EXPIRING TRAINEE CARDS

It is *IMPERATIVE* that apprentices do not allow their cards to lapse. All contractors are required to send home any person who does not have a valid license to work, trainee or journeyman. Remember, your apprentice card is *NOT* your Trainee Card.

Expiring in February 2010

Head, Cholly A 2/13/2010
Halme, Aaron 2/25/2010
Koval, Edward V 2/25/2010

Expiring in March 2010

Katsel, Derek C 3/23/2010
Knutson, Kyle L 3/7/2010
Meissner, Ryan 3/28/2010
Taylor, Benjamin L 3/22/2010
Wilson, Cameron L 3/4/2010

Expiring in April 2010

Bonneux, Shawn 04/14/2010
Booth, Brooks 04/25/2010
Case, Daniel 04/17/2010
Dorsey, James 04/09/2010
Herrin, Joshua 04/17/2010
Kennedy, Matthew 04/15/2010
Pope, Raymond 04/28/2010

Trantham, Randy 04/22/2010

Expiring in May 2010

Cavanaugh, Tyler 05/27/2010
Gomez, Richard 05/15/2010
Hanson, Kevin 05/05/2010
Isaman, Brian L 05/23/2010
Olim, Brett P 05/20/2010

Expired

Thompson, Richard C 1/6/2010
Jelsing, Eric K 1/20/2010
Carlson, Ronald A 1/25/2010

Never Certified

Bennett, Robert
Chaffen, Ryley John
Sargeant, Andrew D
The Department of Labor and Industries will

fine any apprentice who is found on a job site without a valid training card. To prevent this and to assist the apprentice in renewing his or her trainee card on time, IEC is preparing affidavits for the above listed apprentices. Affidavits will be mailed to the apprentice's home.

CONTRACTORS employing an apprentice listed as NOT or NEVER licensed, PLEASE REMOVE THEM FROM THE JOB SITE IMMEDIATELY.



COMMENTS FROM THE CHAIR...

by Terry Du Beau

Hello!

I just got back from the IEC Leadership Conference. At that meeting I got the opportunity to talk to other IEC professionals from all over the country. We shared some great ideas to keep making the program better. I am bringing some of those ideas back to the Board of Directors and the Apprenticeship and Training Committee and you may see some of them in our program over the next several months.

One of the exciting things I found out at the meeting was that Home Depot is offering a million dollars in scholarships for people learning the trade. I had Jolie email out information on that scholarship and link it up on our website (www.IECofWA.org). We have also gotten word that Arcadia Electric, Inc. and Puget Sound Washington IEC are going to have scholarships available again this year. You'll want to make sure you apply for those.

Talk to you soon! **TERRY**

MAJOR ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS

2010 GRADUATION & AWARDS UPDATE:

OUR JUNE 26, 2010 VENUE WILL BE

BEST WESTERN LAKEWAY INN, BELLINGHAM, WA

APPRENTICESHIP AND TRAINING COMMITTEE:

FEBRUARY 11, 2010

MARCH 11, 2010

APRIL 15, 2010

MAY 13, 2010

JUNE 10, 2010

JULY 8, 2010

AUGUST 12, 2010

SEPTEMBER 9, 2010

OCTOBER 14, 2010

NOVEMBER 11, 2010

DECEMBER 9, 2010

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*Independent Electrical Contractors
of Washington
supports our troops.*

Thank you for your service.

The Independent Electrical Contractors of Washington Educational Training Fund (IEC of WA) is dedicated to promoting and supporting electrical apprenticeship training in conjunction with the Washington State Apprenticeship Act, RCW Chapter 49.04, the Federal Labor Standards, 29CFR 29 and the policies and procedures established by the ETF for merit-shop contractors. IEC of WA is an equal opportunity program. The recruitment, selection, employment and training of apprentices during their apprenticeship shall be without discrimination because of race, religion, national origin, or sex.