2011 WIRE Jenny Ballard Opportunity Scholarship for Women Returning to College

The WIRE Opportunity Scholarship is awarded to a woman who may not have been able to attend college when she graduated from high school, but now wants to further her education. The \$2,500 one-time scholarship will be presented to an electric cooperative member in South Carolina based on the applicant's information.



Applicants for the WIRE Opportunity Scholarship must:

- Be a member/customer of a South Carolina electric cooperative
- Have graduated from high school or earned your GED at least 10 years ago
- Obtain acceptance into an accredited South Carolina college or university
- Demonstrate financial need

Women who have previously obtained a four-year college degree are not eligible for this scholarship; however, applicants may have previously earned a two-year degree or some college credits.

Deadline for applications is June 1, 2011. The winner will receive the scholarship for the Fall 2011 or Spring 2012 Semester, which must be used during this specific time frame. The scholarship funds must be used in the Fall or Spring Semester within the same school year it is awarded. The scholarship will be paid jointly to the winner and the college of choice.

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT (please add additional sheets of paper as needed)

Your Name					
Your Electric Cooperative					
Your Electric Cooperative Men	nber ID Number				
Street Address					
City, State, Zip					
Day Phone()					
Email		Date of Bir	th		
High School			Graduation Ye	ear	
Place of Employment					
Job Title					
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Other sources of educational fin	nancial assistanc	e (scholarships, lo	oans, grants)		
Marital Status (circle one)	Single	Married	Divorced	Widowed	
Names and ages of children					

Page 2 of 3	Your name
Are you currently enrolled?	If requested, can you provide a transcript?
Name of College where you have been a	accepted or where you intend to apply
College address & phone number:	
Enrollment date:	Hours needed to graduate
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List the name and the amount of other fu	
Tuition:	r you to attend one semester of this college for the following: Books:
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What are your career goals?	

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Why do you want to return to college?	
Why should we award the scholarship to you?_	
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Anything else we should know about you?	
Please mail or fax your application by June 1, 2	011, to Scholarship Chair Christy Overstreet, Marlboro Electric
Cooperative, Inc., P.O. Drawer 1057, Bennettsv	<u> </u>
and verify the accuracy of information container and its representatives for seeking, gathering, are other persons or organizations for providing successful understand that any misrepresentation or m sufficient cause for cancellation of this application.	aterial omission made by me on this application will be ion or immediate termination of scholarship funds.
qualified individual with a disability because of I also understand that if I fail to attend school	tization not to refuse or otherwise discriminate against a that persons need. If or terminate my enrollment at any time during a semester, then appropriate WIRE representative and I am liable for the
appropriate refund of the scholarship. I represent and warrant that I have read and for scholarship opportunity under these conditions.	ully understand the foregoing, and that I am applying for a
Applicant signature:	Date: