Please help us promote the Oklahoma State Board of Architecture Path to Licensure Scholarship by forwarding or sharing this email with students who are sophomores, juniors or seniors who have been/will be accepted into a professional degree program in Architecture, Landscape Architecture or Interior Design. Applications must be submitted by **February 15, 2016**. This is an excellent opportunity for students seeking licensure. Detailed information about the scholarship is below along with the link to this specific application page. Students may also receive detailed instructions about our online application process by going to the scholarship page on our website at www.occf.org/scholarships.

Please know that applicants must complete a General Application before applying to specific scholarship opportunities. Think of the General Application as setting up a Student Profile. Submitting a General Application does not mean that an applicant has applied for any scholarships.

For answers to some of our most frequently asked scholarship questions, check out our Scholarship FAQ Guide.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us at scholarships@occf.org.

Oklahoma State Board of Architecture Path to Licensure Scholarship

Eligibility:

- Must be enrolled in a college/university in the state of Oklahoma.
- Must be accepted into a professional degree program in Architecture, Landscape Architecture or Interior Design by the time of the award distribution (available to rising third, fourth and fifth year students).
- Applicants must be seeking their first professional degree.
- Must have a collegiate GPA ≥ 2.5.
- Financial need is considered.
- Preference for students who have graduated from an Oklahoma high school.

This scholarship is a one-time award. Applicants may reapply. Funds may be used for tuition, fees and book expenses at any accredited institution of higher education for degree or programs in Architecture, Landscape Architecture or Interior Design in the state of Oklahoma. Payments are made directly to the school. Scholarship awards may be used for Study Abroad, if the Study Abroad program/coursework has been approved within the student's plan of study in their professional degree program. Students are not required to live on-campus.

The Oklahoma State Board of Architecture Path to Licensure Scholarship was established to encourage and support students seeking a first professional degree in the field of Architecture, Landscape Architecture or Interior Design to pursue professional licensure in the state of Oklahoma, so long as it remains under the control of the Board of Governors of the Licensed Architects, Landscape Architects and Registered Interior Designers of Oklahoma. This scholarship is an endowed fund

Award: \$3,000

Deadline: 02/15/2016

After completing the General Application/Student Profile, applicants must submit the <u>Supplemental Questions</u> (below) to complete the application for the Oklahoma State Board of Architecture Path to Licensure Scholarship:

- 1. Please provide a written statement in response to the following questions: (a) Why do you think it is important for your profession to include licensure, and (b) what have you already done to pursue licensure in the state of Oklahoma (may include IDP, summer internships, preparation for NCIDQ, etc.)? (500 word maximum.)
- 2. Provide a brief written reflection statement describing why you decided to pursue this field, as well as your immediate and long-term goals. (500 word maximum.)

- 3. Please submit a project in Architecture, Landscape Architecture or Interior Design related to your degree. Your project may be created for the scholarship competition or may be a project submitted for academic coursework. The submitted project does need to be produced within the last 12 months. No group project will be accepted. Photo/graphic presentations must be submitted by pdf, jpg, or png format.
- 4. Submit your household 1040 or FAFSA.