

The Paul Ecke, Jr.
Floriculture Scholarship
(M.S. and Ph.D. Students)

**Application deadline: February 1 –** Please complete and submit to the Endowment office with all other necessary documents. (REVISED 01/2012)

Personal Information:

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Education:

Undergraduate College/University attended/Major/Degree/Date Awarded: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Graduate Studies At College/University/Major/Degree/Date Awarded: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Current Grade Point Average to Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Describe any financial assistance that you currently receive:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
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**List all awards, honors, certifications, or significant achievements obtained:**

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Describe floriculture activities in which you have provided leadership:

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### All Applicants Must Submit: (incomplete applications will not be considered).

### Personal Statement: Prepare a typewritten statement - not to exceed two single-spaced typed pages providing: (1) reasons for applying for Paul Ecke, Jr Scholarship, (2) personal involvement in floriculture activities, (3) a brief description of your proposed research project and how it will contribute directly or indirectly toward resolving a major floriculture issue, and (4) your anticipated future and goals in floriculture.

### Letters of Recommendation: Each application must be accompanied by at least three letters of recommendation, one of which must be from the applicant’s floriculture related advisor.

**Official College/University Transcript(s):** Please submit your most up to date transcript(s) directly from the Office of the Registrar.

**Video:** Please supply a short video (up to three minutes) of yourself. In this video, tell the selection committee why you are the best candidate for this scholarship, and describe your current or proposed research project. Videos can be submitted on a CD-ROM, along with your application and letters of recommendation, and photo.

**Photo:** Please submit a color photo, which may be used for publicity purposes.

### Applicant Agreements:

1. By signing below, the applicant certifies that the information provided on the application is accurate and complete, and understands that any misstatement, falsification, or omission of information shall be grounds for rejection of the application.
2. The applicant is not currently in default on loans used for academic study.
3. The applicant has not been convicted of a felony.
4. The applicant agrees to promote the Paul Ecke, Jr. Floriculture Scholarship through presentations and submission of research reports to professional and trade publications.
5. The applicant agrees, if awarded, to submit a detailed research project report and a full report on his/her floriculture activities at the conclusion of each academic year.
6. The applicant understands that if awarded, the funds will be disbursed directly to the University in the name of the applicant, and are to be used in partial support of their research project and applied against their existing university stipend.

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 Signature of Applicant Date

## Applicant Checklist

* Completed application, signed and dated
* Personal Statement
* All Official Transcripts from your Office of Registrar
* Three letters of recommendation
* Short Video and Color Photo

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