

MARGARET AMPS MEDIA SCHOLARSHIP

The Arkansas Association of Instructional Media is currently accepting applications for the Margaret Amps Media Scholarship to be awarded at the *Shine in 2009* spring conference. The scholarship, named in honor of the past Public School Program Advisor for Library Media at the Arkansas Department of Education, is awarded annually to assist persons employed in Arkansas schools in completing coursework leading toward a master's degree in library media education. Value of the scholarship is \$1000.00.

DEADLINE: January 30, 2009

Applicants must meet the following criteria:

1. Hold certification as a teacher, library/media specialist, or administrator in the state of Arkansas.
2. Be enrolled in or officially accepted for enrollment in a master's program leading to a degree in library media education.
3. Provide a transcript of college record with a 2.5 or higher grade point average (based on a 4.0 scale).
4. Provide a letter of recommendation from an administrator under whom the applicant is currently employed. If the applicant is not employed, then submit a letter of recommendation from an instructor under whom the applicant has studied.
5. Upon receiving the scholarship, complete within a period of one year, a minimum of six (6) semester hours in a program leading to a master's degree in library media education.
6. Submit to the AAIM Board of Directors a copy of transcript, indicating completion of the six (6) semester hours of instruction, within one year of receiving the scholarship.

MAIL APPLICATION TO:

Karen Wells, AAIM Scholarship Chair
335 21st Street
Batesville, AR 72501
karenwells@ymail.com

(PLEASE PRINT)

Applicant's Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Email: _____

Employer: _____

Place of Employment: _____

Employer's Address: _____

Employer's Phone: _____

Educational Institution: _____

Degree Pursued: _____

Instructor Referral: _____ Instructor's Name: _____

PLEASE WRITE A SHORT SUMMARY OF WHY YOU FEEL THAT YOU DESERVE THIS SCHOLARSHIP AND HOW YOU WILL PUT IT TO GOOD USE. (ATTACH AN ADDITIONAL PAGE IF NECESSARY)

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE: _____