



## **2018 OLIN E. TEAGUE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

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**The National Space Club and Foundation**, founded in 1957, is a non-profit organization composed of representatives of industry, government, academia, and private individuals, who seek to promote the United States' leadership in the fields of space, rocketry, astronautics, and related technologies. For more information about the National Space Club and Foundation, please visit our website at [www.spaceclub.org](http://www.spaceclub.org).

The Space Club offers a scholarship each year in memory of the Honorable Olin E. Teague, a Representative in Congress who aggressively supported our national space program, to encourage talented young people to pursue careers in aerospace fields.

### **2018 OLIN E. TEAGUE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP CONDITION OF ELIGIBILITY**

One \$4,000 scholarship is awarded annually to a high school senior, graduating from an accredited U.S. high school, who meets the following criteria:

- The applicant must be a U.S. Citizen.
- The applicant must be a senior year in an accredited U.S. high school with the intent of attending an accredited U.S. college or university in the Fall of 2018.
- The applicant must plan to pursue undergraduate or graduate studies in an aerospace field.

### **SCHOLARSHIP SELECTION PROCESS**

The award decision is made by the Club's Committee on Scholarships based on the following:

- Official transcript of high school record
- At least one letter of recommendation from a Science, Technology, Engineering or Math (STEM) faculty member or mentor
- A Statement of Intent that indicates academic plans that would lead to a career in some area of aerospace sciences and/or technology; 500 words minimum, no longer than two pages
- A research paper focusing on applications to aerospace, five pages minimum (see later sections for paper format)
- Important note: "Research" in this context refers to the applicant's participation in original research, including in an ongoing project. It does not mean the method of reporting previously collected information from various sources.



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### **CHECKLIST:**

- I meet the eligibility requirements.
- I have included an official high school transcript.
- I have included my Statement of Intent.
- I have included one letter of recommendation from a STEM teacher and/or mentor.
- I have included:
  - Applicant Data
  - Applicant Certification
  - High School Data
  - High School Extracurricular and Community Activities and/or Awards
  - Related Internships, Research Projects or Work Experience (full-time or part-time).
- I have included my original research paper.
- My name is on every page of my completed application.

### **COMPLETED APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY OCTOBER 13, 2017. MAIL TO:**

National Space Club and Foundation  
Attention: Scholarship Foundation  
204 E Street NE  
Washington, DC 20002

The scholarship check will be given to the applicant, made payable to the applicable college or university, no later than June 15, 2018. Non-recipients will not be notified. Applicants may check [www.spaceclub.org](http://www.spaceclub.org) for announcement of the scholarship winner.



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### APPLICANT INFORMATION

#### **Applicant Data:**

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ MI \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Home Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

**Applicant Certification:** I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, all responses are true and factual, and meet all eligibility requirements. I agree that if selected as the scholarship recipient, any and all information submitted with my application may be used for purposes of news and publicity by The National Space Club and Foundation, and the Olin E. Teague Memorial Scholarship.

**Signature of Applicant:** \_\_\_\_\_

**High School Data:** Numerical or letter grades must be converted to a cumulative, un-weighted GPA on a 4.0 basis. Please list the high school you attend and any additional schools or colleges that have given you academic credits.

School \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Major/Course of Study \_\_\_\_\_

Graduation Date: month/year \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

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**High School Extracurricular and Community Activities and/or Awards and/or Offices** held during the last three years. Include the dates for offices held - month/year to month/year. (Duplicate this page if more space is needed. Resumes or any other format will not be accepted.)

**Related Internships, Research Projects or Work Experience, (Full-time or Part-time)** participation during the last three years. Include the dates for offices held - month/year to month/year for each. (Duplicate this page if more space is needed. Resumes or any other format will not be accepted.)



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### RESEARCH PAPER FORMAT

**Special reminder:** “Research” refers to the applicant’s participation in original research, including in an ongoing project. It does not mean the method of reporting previously collected information from various sources.

The paper should include acknowledgements and appreciation to mentors, teachers and others who have helped you with your project.

Your final paper should clearly describe the information and technical experience you acquired while working on the project. You must indicate exactly what you did to contribute to the research. The quality of your paper is of primary importance. Quantity is secondary. Your paper should conform to the following format:

1. Cover Sheet/Title Page. Include the title of the research project, your name, your high school, the date(s) of the project
2. Abstract. A brief overview of the research project in approximately 50 words.
3. Introduction. **An explanation of the research with concrete examples of its applications or usefulness to aerospace.**
4. Body. Use subheadings as appropriate. The length should be at least 5 pages and no more than 10, not including appendices. Include experimental equipment used, procedures, and results including new discoveries and analyzed data.
5. Conclusions or Summary
6. Acknowledgements
7. Appendices. Supporting documents including laboratory data sheets, tables, illustrations, photographs, or other visuals that support your research. They may be at the end of the paper or embedded in the body.
8. Bibliography. References that were useful in your research, in a standard bibliographic form.

PLEASE RETURN THIS APPLICATION, YOUR STATEMENT OF INTENT, RESEARCH PAPER, OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT AND LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION TO:

NATIONAL SPACE CLUB AND FOUNDATION, ATTENTION SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION  
204 E STREET NE, WASHINGTON, DC 20002

**THE APPLICATION MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN October 13, 2017**

For more information of the Space Club Olin Teague Memorial Scholarship, please contact National Space Club and Foundation at 202-547-0060 or email [info@spaceclub.org](mailto:info@spaceclub.org).