



Swedish Women's Educational Association International, Inc.
New Jersey Chapter

The SWEA New Jersey Academic Scholarship

SWEA, Swedish Women's Educational Association Inc., is a global non-profit organization for Swedish-speaking women who live or have lived abroad. SWEA's objective is to protect the Swedish language and support and inform about Swedish culture and traditions. SWEA supports education through scholarships and various projects with a Swedish connection.

Each year, **SWEA New Jersey** awards one or several scholarships, depending on the applicant pool, to an individual who wishes to pursue studies in Arts, Music, Handicrafts, Literature or Science. **The total academic scholarship is \$3,000.** The recipient or recipients will be selected at the discretion of the Board of SWEA New Jersey, by recommendation from the Scholarship Committee. After finishing their project, the recipient or recipients are expected to give a report to SWEA New Jersey.

The purpose of the scholarship is primarily to support a person or an organization in their studies or their efforts to advance/share knowledge of Swedish culture, traditions, language, history, or society.

Eligibility criteria:

To be considered for the academic scholarship, an applicant must:

- Pursue college or higher educational studies.
- Have concrete plans on how to use the scholarship.
- Use the scholarship for a project or studies relating to Sweden and the United States, preferably New Jersey.
- Commit to providing a report on how the scholarship was used, by writing an article and/or giving a presentation to SWEA New Jersey within two months of the completion of the project.
- Both women and men are encouraged to apply.

The Committee reserves the right to forego the selection of a winner, should the quality of the submissions so warrant.

Deadline to apply is May 1st.

For application, please visit SWEA New Jersey online:

http://www.swea.org/newjersey_3650.aspx

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