



## Gene Haas Scholarship

Founded by Gene Haas in 1999, the Gene Haas Foundation has awarded more than \$22 million to deserving charities and educational institutions. Formed to fund the needs of the local community and to support manufacturing education, the foundation provides scholarship funds to postsecondary and vocational schools for students entering technical training programs, especially machinist-based certificate and degree programs. It also supports programs which inspire young people to consider manufacturing careers. In 2014, the Foundation leveraged more than \$1.5M in grants for veterans' training.

One of the Foundation's goals is to introduce students to careers in machine technology and manufacturing by sponsoring educational events and competitions that provide these opportunities. The Foundation grants scholarships and other programs to help military veterans enroll in skilled machinist programs. The Foundation has provided charitable donations since 2001 including Hospice Foundation, Boy Scouts of America, Los Angeles Mission, YMCA Kids Camp, NAACP, Children's Hospital Los Angeles, MS Society, and others.

### 2016 - GENE HAAS SCHOLARSHIP

**Amount of Scholarship:** \$ 1,250  
**Number of Scholarships:** 8

#### Criteria:

- Scholarship is open to all full-time students who completed MET 117 and MET 127 courses with a grade of " B " or better; minimum of 3.0 GPA, (applicable to new/transfer students enrolled in the Mechanical Engineering Technology AAS, Mechanical Engineering Technology BS or Manufacturing Engineering Technology BS degrees
- One letter of recommendation
- Applications must be accompanied by a recent transcript (student copy acceptable)
- Signed application form
- Scholarship recipients are expected to attend three 2-hour HAAS Machinery training workshops during the award year at FSC.

#### Recommendations:

- Scholarship recipients enrolled in MET 410 – Senior Project course may utilize HAAS Machinery for their projects.
- Scholarship recipients may present their learning experience through the use of Haas machinery at FSC ASME and SME student chapter meetings.

*All scholarships awarded by Farmingdale State College are considered to be applied for qualified tuition, fees and educational expenses that are incurred as a result of the student's enrollment at the college. In making such awards, FSC does not take into consideration whether a student is a resident or a commuter. If the recipient is a resident student, the award is made for tuition, fees and educational expenses and not for room and board.*

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APPLICATION**

**Application Deadline: January 25, 2016**

Name of Student: \_\_\_\_\_ RAM ID #: \_\_\_\_\_ (required)  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete the following:

1. Career Objective: \_\_\_\_\_  
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2. Employment History (paid or unpaid): \_\_\_\_\_  
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3. Community Services/ Activities: \_\_\_\_\_  
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4. Why are you majoring in \_\_\_\_\_ (specify program) and how do you plan to use these educational tools in the future ? \_\_\_\_\_  
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Signature of Student

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Please return this application, along with a copy of your most recent transcript (student copy accepted) and ONE recommendation letter to:

*Prof. Dimitrios Maltezos  
email: maltezdg@farmingdale.edu  
Department of Mechanical Engineering Technology, Lupton 180,  
Farmingdale State College, 2350 Broadhollow Road, Farmingdale, NY 11735*