

EMIL VON BEHRING* STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS 2005 - 2006

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You could receive one of the \$2,500 scholarships awarded by Dade Behring if you are enrolled in your third or fourth and final clinical year of education in a Medical Technologist (MT/CLS) program.

Eligibility Requirements

To be eligible for a scholarship, you must meet the following criteria:

- Be enrolled in a NAACLS or CAAHEP accredited laboratory science program AND be in the third or fourth year of education.
- Have a minimum GPA of 2.5 out of 4.0
- Be a United States citizen OR a permanent United States resident.
- Submit a complete application packet.

Selection Criteria

- Academic achievement (cumulative GPA)
- Professional goals
- Leadership abilities
- Community activities

A. Applicant Information (type or print clearly)

Applicant's name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Daytime telephone () _____

Social security number _____

Are you related to any staff members, board members, or officers of Dade Behring? Yes No

*If Yes, list name(s) and relationship(s) _____

**Dr. Emil von Behring received the first Nobel Prize for Medicine and Physiology for the discovery of passive immunity. Von Behring has been called the founder of immunotherapy, because of his discovery of the biological principles behind the development of specific antibodies to fight disease. Behringwerke, which von Behring founded in 1904 in Marburg, Germany, in addition to many other clinical diagnostics companies, came together to form the company that is known today as Dade Behring.*

Application Instructions

1. You may photocopy this application form.
2. Please type or print neatly.
3. You must complete the entire application.
4. **Enclose official school transcripts** from each Institution attended.
 - You may fulfill the requirement for the submission of official transcripts by enclosing copies of official transcripts that have been verified (signed and dated) by your program director or by enclosing official transcripts from each institution attended.
 - If you have less than 30 semester hours of college credit, you must also send a high school transcript.
 - In lieu of a transcript from a foreign country, submit an approved evaluation from an agency accepted by the ASCP Board of Registry.
5. **Enclose three letters of recommendation** from individuals who are not members of your immediate family. The letters should be from faculty members, program directors or other persons who can address such areas as your academic achievement, leadership in school and community activities, and potential for success in the profession.

6. Enclose an essay (500 words or less) telling us about:

- Your professional goals
 - What makes you one of the best students in the nation
7. List your leadership and community activities, and any awards or honors that you have received, in a resume format with a description of your involvement.
 8. Enclose the completed application and all supporting documents in a single envelope.
 9. Please include two self-addressed stamped legal-sized envelopes for acknowledgment of receipt of your application materials and notification of the scholarship selection decision.
 10. **The postmark deadline is November 1, 2005. Mail to:** ASCP, Dade Behring Student Scholarships Program, 2100 West Harrison Street, Chicago, IL 60612-3798.
 11. Recipients of the ASCP Student Scholarships are notified by mail no later than January 31, 2006. The scholarship checks are mailed during February 2006.

All information provided is confidential and is used only to select scholarship recipients. However, winners are asked to release their names and photo for use in Dade Behring publications. The decision of the selection committee is final.

B. List previous and current education, including all schools attended, in the chart below.

*Please note: Calculated grade point average is mandatory. If more than 4 schools attended list on separate page.

School/Institution	Dates attended	Type of degree, diploma or certificate awarded (if any)	Completed hours		Grade point average*
			Semester Hours	Quarter Hours	

C. Program Information

Name of NAACLS or CAAHEP accredited institution _____

Program Director _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip code _____

Telephone () _____

Fax () _____

Email _____

D. Applicant Declaration and Verification

The application will not be reviewed without the proper signatures.

Applicant's Declaration

I am a United States citizen or a permanent resident and certify that the information given in this application is true to the best of my knowledge. I also understand that no materials submitted as part of the application can be returned.

Signature of applicant _____

Date _____

Verification by Program Official

I certify that the applicant is currently enrolled in a NAACLS or CAAHEP accredited program, in his/her 3rd or 4th year of education, and is in good academic standing.

Signature of program official _____

Date _____

Title _____

Name of program _____

E. Print your cumulative grade point average here:

Use the formulas below to determine your cumulative GPA.

Semester Hours (SH) Calculation Formula

SH per School x GPA = Quality Points (QP) per school

QP per School One + QP per School Two = Total QP

SH per School One + SH per School Two = Total SH

Total QP ÷ Total SH = Cumulative GPA

* Example: If a student attended College One for 60 SH and earned a GPA of 3.50 and transferred to College Two for 90 SH with a 4.0 GPA, the student's cumulative grade point totals 3.80 as follows:

60 SH x 3.50 GPA = 210 QP

90 SH x 4.0 GPA = 360 QP

210 QP + 360 QP = 570 Total QP

60 SH + 90 SH = 150 Total SH

570 Total QP ÷ 150 total SH = 3.80 cumulative GPA

Quarter Hours (QH) Calculation Formula

Convert QH to SH by dividing by 1.5, and use the SH calculation formula.

F. Mailing Instructions

Incomplete application packets will not be returned and are not reviewed. **STOP AND DOUBLE CHECK!** Did you enclose the following items in ONE envelope?

Signed Application

Official transcript(s) from school(s) attended

Three letters of recommendation

Essay and activities list

Two self-addressed, stamped legal-sized return envelopes

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Mail to:

ASCP

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