



**Al Pratt Memorial
Scholarship**
Application Information

New England School of
Metalwork

Scholarship Information

How to apply for scholarship:

1. Complete the Al Pratt Memorial Scholarship Application Form.
2. Write a 1-2 page personal statement (using the questions of the application) describing your reasons for applying to the program. Please include the following information.
 - ❖ Why you want this scholarship.
 - ❖ Background experience in metalworking (work, school, etc.) which relates to your interests in pursuing this scholarship.
 - ❖ What you hope to gain from your time at the New England School of Metalwork; any other information that you feel would be pertinent to our consideration of you for this scholarship.
3. Submit a complete list of the classes that you are applying for scholarship for.
4. Enclose a check (or other form of payment) of \$35.00 *non-refundable* application fee payable to the New England School of Metalwork.

Important Dates

Scholarship applications must be received by **February 1, 2008**. Applications will be available after the first of the year.

Applications will be reviewed and selection will be complete by **March 1, 2008** and the selected applicants will be notified.

The New England School of Metalwork awards two scholarships annually, which are available through competitive application to those who are 18 years of age or older. One is awarded in welding (generally our full length evening classes) and one in blacksmithing (for Summer Session). Applicants may seek scholarship support in more than one category. Applicants are encouraged to be selective in their choice of workshops, indicating first and second and third choices. Based on the structure of the school's class schedule; the blacksmithing scholarship includes a \$500.00 stipend towards travel and accommodations and

the welding scholarship will include an auto change welding helmet and good leather welding jacket and gloves. Please keep in mind that answers to the questions on the application form are an important part of the review process. Focused applications tend to be more favorably received.