



WESCCON 2023

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Sponsored by Avalon Risk Management

The Pacific Coast Council of Customs Brokers & Freight Forwarders Associations (PCC) and Avalon Risk Management are offering five (5) scholarships to attend WESCCON 2023 October 26-29 at the Omni Rancho Las Palmas in Rancho Mirage, CA. This is the 15th year that the scholarship has been offered to promote education and industry involvement. The scholarship funds provided by Avalon will be used to cover the cost of coach airfare (if traveling by air) and 3 nights of accommodations at the Omni Rancho Las Palmas Resort. The PCC will waive the conference registration fee for scholarship recipients.

Each of the five PCC member associations (San Diego, Los Angeles, Northern California, Columbia River and Washington State) will select one qualified applicant for the scholarship award. If a member association is unable to select a qualified applicant another recipient will be chosen by the WESCCON General Chair and the PCC President from the pool of applicants received by the other four associations.

Candidates must have a minimum of 2 years of experience in the logistics industry. Applications must be completed and submitted to your local association president before COB **August 18, 2023** for consideration. All grant recipients must agree to submit a written summary by **November 3, 2023** summarizing their experience at WESCCON and explaining how their attendance will benefit them and further their career goals.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: August 18, 2023

A. APPLICANT INFORMATION			
Local Association:			
Applicant Name:			
Company:			
Address:			
Phone:		Fax:	
Email:			
B. PROFESSIONAL REFERENCES (PLEASE LIST THREE)			
1.	Name:		
	Company:		
	Phone:		
	Email:		
2.	Name:		
	Company:		
	Phone:		
	Email:		

3.	Name:	
	Company:	
	Phone:	
	Email:	

C. PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

Please summarize your professional career, including when you first started in the industry, what positions you have held and the companies for which you have worked to date.

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D. APPLICATION

1. Please provide three (3) reasons why you would like to receive this scholarship and how you feel your attendance at WESCCON will assist you in your career goals.

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2. Please describe what you believe to be the most important challenge or issue facing the CHB/FF/NVO industry. Items submitted by scholarship recipients will be included in the WESCCON program.

How to Submit

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Customs Brokers & International Freight Forwarders Association of Washington State – Email to cbiffaws@outlook.com and CC micheletaylor@odysseylogistics.com

Columbia River Customs Brokers and Forwarders Association - tina@double-river.com

Customs Brokers and Forwarders Association of Northern California - swlee@swlogisticsinc.com

Los Angeles Customs Brokers and Freight Forwarders Association – Email to deb@lacbffa.org

San Diego Customs Brokers Association – Email to President@sandiegobrokers.org