

MN GIS/LIS Scholarship Committee

Calendar of Events and Deadlines

- 1) Solicitation announcement TO potential qualifying institutions - **February 1**. This solicitation asks for verification that program continues to meet the qualifying guidelines.
- 2) Deadline for solicitation responses FROM those educational institutions wishing to participate in the Scholarship Program – **March 1**
- 3) Scholarship Committee verifies qualifying institution – **April 1**
- 4) Scholarship Chair notifies qualifying institutions of their acceptance to Scholarship Program – **April 15**
- 5) Each qualifying institution must notify the Scholarship Chair of their winner by providing the information below – **the last Friday in April**
 - a. Student Name
 - b. School Affiliation
 - c. Student's Home Address
 - d. Phone
 - e. Email
 - f. Social Security Number
 - g. Short Biography
- 6) **Scholarship Winners** who plan to participate in the Conference Competition for monetary prizes MUST provide a **Title and Abstract** of their presentation / poster to the Scholarship Chair by **July 15** in order to meet publication deadlines for the *MnGIS/LIS News* and the Conference Program.
- 7) **Graduate Students** must submit Final paper **2 weeks prior to the Conference.**
- 8) Present student Certificate awards and Competition Awards – **October's** Fall Conference
- 9) Fundraising activities – **October's** Fall Conference