

November 24, 2009

Dear Scholarship Applicant:

The Michigan Association of Insurance Agents (MAIA) is pleased to announce the availability of a scholarship for college students pursuing careers in the independent agency system. The Young Agents Council (YAC)/MI Future Shawn Brown Scholarship, for \$2,000, honors life-long young agent supporter and past MAIA President Shawn Brown, who passed away in 2002. Guidelines are as follows:

- Must be studying for a career in the independent agency system (does not have to be in an insurance specific curriculum)
- Scholarships will be granted for the 2009-10 academic year
- Recipients must be entering their sophomore, junior or senior year with at least one full year of undergraduate school remaining beginning with 2009-10 school year.

Criteria used to evaluate scholarship submissions include: grade point average, course work, career goals, extracurricular activities, references, sponsoring agency and cover letter.

The scholarship will be presented at MAIA's State Convention February 23, 2010, at the Amway Grand Plaza in Grand Rapids, Michigan. Recipients are expected to be present to receive their scholarships.

Please submit completed application and supporting materials to MAIA, attention Stephanie Zerba, PO Box 80620, Lansing, MI, 48908-0620 or fax to 517-323-1629. Entries must be postmarked by January 15, 2010, to qualify.

If you have any questions, please contact Stephanie Zerba at 517-323-9473, or at [szerba@michagent.org](mailto:szerba@michagent.org). We look forward to receiving your application.

Sincerely,



Holly Rossell  
Chair  
Young Agents Council

# 2010 YAC/MI Future Shawn Brown Scholarship

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|--|------|-------------------------------------|----------------|
| Name   |      | Date of Application                 |                |
| Street Address   | City | State                               | Zip            |
| Home Telephone   |      | School Telephone                    |                |
| University/College Attending                               |      | Years of College or Study Completed |                |
| Degree Pursuing (indicate 2 or 4 years)                    |      | Overall Grade Point Average         | Student Number |
| Past and current Insurance/Risk Management related courses |      | Grade Point Average in course       |                |
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| Extracurricular Activities/Involvement*:                   |      |                                     |                |
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| Anticipated occupation upon graduation:                    |      |                                     |                |
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| Please share any insurance related work experience*:       |      |                                     |                |
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| Sponsoring Agency  |      |                                     |                |

\*Attach additional paper if necessary.

**Please return completed application with resume, cover letter and references to Stephanie Zerba.**