**NATIONAL FEDERATION OF THE BLIND (NFB)**

**2019 SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM APPLICATION FORM (Print Edition)**

**Submission deadline: March 31, 2019, midnight (E.S.T.)**

If possible, complete the online version of this application form at https://nfb.org/scholarships, even if you do not use the upload feature. *Note the HumanWare/NFB STEM internship opportunity on page 3.*

**Date Submitted**: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Middle Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

I prefer to be called: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY): \_\_\_\_ /\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**ELIGIBILITY: *Students must meet all four criteria* *below to be eligible*; check each item to confirm.**

\_\_\_\_ I am legally blind in both eyes.

\_\_\_\_ I live in the United States or Puerto Rico.

\_\_\_\_ I will be attending a college in the United States or Puerto Rico in the fall of 2019.

\_\_\_\_ If chosen, I will attend the full week of the NFB convention July 7-12, 2019.

**Have you won a *national-level* NFB scholarship before? \_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_\_\_ YEAR**

**HOME ADDRESS**

Address \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**CONTACT NUMBERS:** One phone number is required; additional numbers are appreciated. Please specify if numbers are cell or home or work.

Primary \_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Type: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Alternate \_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Type: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**EDUCATION: What school do you currently attend? Write NA if not applicable.**

Current school or college, city, and state \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Current GPA \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ What scale is it based on? (i.e. out of 4.0 or 5.0) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Is this an online school? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Traditional school? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Application Form – Print Edition, page 2 of 3** **Your name**: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS ONLY: If available, send copies of reports showing standardized test percentiles for ACT and/or SAT scores.**

**FALL SEMESTER: Which college will you attend in the fall of 2019?**

School name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ City/State\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Is this an online school? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Traditional school? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Or, if undecided at present, list those under consideration with name, city, and state, and inform us of the school you choose before the March 31, 2019, deadline. Under consideration are:**

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**Classification** in fall semester 2019 (freshman, sophomore, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Major(s**) you are pursuing: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Degree(s)** you are pursuing: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Profession or field** **of employment** you wish to enter with your college degree: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Anticipated year of college graduation**: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**List any other postsecondary institutions you have attended (please signify if former college was an online school or a traditional school):**

Name of former college 1: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Years: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Name of former college 2: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Years: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**How did you hear about the NFB scholarship program?** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Please check if you would like to be added to the NFB’s National Association of Blind Students listserv.

**Upload, email, or mail one application form with all required scholarship documents to:**

Scholarship Program, National Federation of the Blind,

200 East Wells Street, Baltimore, MD 21230

 (410) 659-9314, ext. 2415; Email: [scholarships@nfb.org](mailto:scholarships@nfb.org); Website: [www.nfb.org/scholarships](http://www.nfb.org/scholarships)

The chairperson of the NFB Scholarship Committee is Cayte Mendez.

**Application Form – Print Edition, page 3 of 3** **Your name**: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**HumanWare/NFB STEM Development Internship Opportunity**

The National Federation of the Blind and HumanWare have collaborated to offer a HumanWare/NFB STEM development internship opportunity. If you are a technically-minded student with aspirations of a career in project management or software testing, we invite you to indicate your reply below. If you answer “yes,” this will authorize HumanWare to have access to all of the information you provide on this scholarship application for purposes of selecting a STEM intern. If you answer “no,” please do not answer the below questions.

\_\_\_\_  I am willing and able to relocate to Longueuil, Quebec, Canada  to work as an intern [from June 4 to August 17, 201](x-apple-data-detectors://3)9.  Dates are slightly flexible based on situation.

If you indicated that you are interested in the internship, please answer the following questions:

List the programming languages you have experience with and your level of proficiency in each.

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List the operating systems you have experience with and your level of proficiency with each.

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Which HumanWare products have you used? ­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Describe any technical/development projects you have completed and why you feel it is relevant experience for such an internship opportunity. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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I am a Braille reader: Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

Why do you want to intern with HumanWare? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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