**The Engler Scholarship:**

This scholarship is available due to the generosity of The Paul and Virginia Engler Foundation. Paul is a native Nebraskan who through vision, hard work, sweat equity and tenacity built an exceptional career as an entrepreneur, industry leader, and dedicated advocate for building bridges for the next generation to cross. It is our honor and privilege to administer the thoughtful and intentional process of selecting scholarship recipients. However, the scholarship is only a small component of the value available to you through engagement in the Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Program.

**Scholarship Process and Schedule:**

* The scholarship application process will open on October 8, 2020 with a deadline for all submissions of midnight (CST) on January 4, 2021.
* Semi-finalists will be notified on January 11, 2021.
* Phone interviews will be conducted from January 19-21, 2021.
* Finalists will be notified on or before January 29, and awards offered to those not advancing to the Finals.
* Finalist interviews will be conducted on campus February 17, 2021.
* Final awards will be offered by March 1, 2021.

**\*\*Participation in the Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Program:** You do **NOT** have to receive a scholarship to be involved in the Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Program.

Please fill out the following form and place your answers to the questions in the corresponding spaces or on an additional sheet.  **APPLICATIONS ARE DUE BY January 4, 2021 at 11:59 P.M.**

**Once you have submitted your application online or via email, please send an email to** **engler@unl.edu** **with your name and email address and 1 page resume to confirm your application.**

**(NOTE: Mac Users occasionally will have trouble with our system. Please contact us if you are having difficulty –** **engler@unl.edu** **or 402-472-9274.)**

**Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship Program Scholarship Application**

Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Address\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Town \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ State\_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ High School \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Month/Year of Graduation \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Year Admitted to UNL \_\_\_\_\_\_ Are You a Transfer Student? \_\_\_\_\_Yes \_\_\_\_\_\_\_No

If Yes, What Institution? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Are You Currently Enrolled at UNL? \_\_\_\_\_\_Yes \_\_\_\_\_\_No Major \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Have You Declared the Engler Minor? (current students only) \_\_\_\_\_Yes \_\_\_\_\_No

Have You Signed the Engler Letter of Intent? (current students only) \_\_\_\_\_Yes \_\_\_\_\_No

Reference #1 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Email Ref#1 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Reference #2 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Email Ref#2 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Ref#2 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**REQUIREMENTS:**

Recipients of the Engler Scholarship must have had FFA or 4-H experience. Have you participated in 4-H? (YES or NO) FFA? (YES or NO)

Recipients of the Engler Scholarship must have a declared major in the College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources.

Have you declared or do you plan to declare a CASNR major in the 2021-2022

 academic year? (YES NO)

**QUESTIONS:**

1. Are your parents or grandparents entrepreneurs? (Yes or No, If yes, provide brief details in 50 words or less)
2. What are some things that you are irrationally passionate about? (50 word limit)
3. What motivates you to work? (Be very specific – 100 word limit)
4. What skill/s have you taught yourself in the last 6 months? (50 word limit)
5. What have you started? (100 word limit, be specific)
6. What do you consider yourself to be really good at, but don’t want to do anymore? (100 word limit)
7. What is one critical piece of feedback you have received that was very difficult to hear? Why was it difficult and what did you do with that information? What did you learn about yourself? (250 word limit)
8. If you had to deliver a product ‘perfect and late’ or ‘good and on time’, which would you choose and why? (100 word limit)
9. What are 10 ways to make pizza delivery faster?
10. What do you believe you can achieve with the Engler Program personally or professionally that you cannot get anywhere else in the world? (250 word limit)

**OTHER REQUIREMENTS:** Submit a 1 page resume.

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