



## Application

# 2023 Young Leader Scholarship Program

### **Specific Requirements:**

- Must plan to have completed at least 60 credit hours by December 2022 with an educational focus on agriculture.
- Must plan to have a summer internship (2023) within agriculture, *preferably within the crop protection industry.*

### **General Program Requirements:**

- **GPA** – Must have a 3.0 minimum cumulative GPA while enrolled in college.
  - **Supply a completed application and updated resume November 19, 2022 to MACA.**
  - **MACA Annual Meeting** – Scholarship recipient **must** be available to attend the MACA Annual Meeting, September 5-7, 2023 in Indianapolis, IN (Travel and lodging expenses reimbursed by MACA.)
  - **Attend online presentations** from MACA members to learn about MACA and for career and professional development. One virtual presentation per month from April – August.
  - **Presentations** – Give two presentations on campus to be completed once you have attended the MACA Annual Meeting and before January 1, 2024. PowerPoint presentations, video clips, and handouts will be provided to you for the presentations. These presentations are meant to get more exposure for MACA, the Young Leaders Scholarship Program, and the overall Agricultural Industry.
  - **Application** – preferred typed, if not, handwriting must be neat and legible.
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**Name:**(Last, First MI) \_\_\_\_\_ **Sex:** \_\_\_ Male \_\_\_ Female

**Student Number:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Campus e-mail address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Non-campus email address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Local Address:**

Street: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Permanent Address:**

Street: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Planned number of college credit hours completed by December 31, 2022:**

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Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Minor: \_\_\_\_\_ Expected graduation date \_\_\_\_\_

## **Essay Questions**

**Why do you wish to participate in the MACA Young Leader Scholarship Program (YLSP)?** (500 words or less.)

**What are your top three unique qualifications you have for the MACA Young Leader Scholarship Program (YLSP)?** (Be specific and provide examples)

**Please indicate your immediate career goals following graduation. How do you expect the Young Leader Scholarship Program participation to impact your goals?**

**Please share any campus or community service.**

**Who is your 2023 summer internship program with?** (Be specific – company name, location for work, and details of what you will be doing.) If summer internship isn't secured by November 19th, please provide information about which internships you have applied for with details and date expected to accept.

**Is there anything else you would like to share regarding your interest and/or experiences in the MACA Young Leader Scholarship Program?**



**Please include your resume and “Unofficial” Transcript with your application.**

*I agree, if selected, to participate fully and to attend the meetings as outlined above.  
Also, I will provide a photo as a jpeg file and agree that my name and information in the  
application may be used in news releases for distribution.*

Student Signature\_\_\_\_\_Date\_\_\_\_\_

**Return this completed form, your resume and unofficial transcript to  
[michelle@maca.org](mailto:michelle@maca.org) by November 19, 2022.**