

Barbara Cassin Scholarship Application

Barbara Cassin was the Associate Professor of Ophthalmology at the University of Florida. She was a major contributor to ophthalmic education through many endeavors, including her books, "Fundamentals for Ophthalmic Medical Personnel" and "The Dictionary of Eye Terminology". This scholarship is to honor her legacy and the impact she had on her students.

The recipient of this scholarship must be enrolled in a COMT training program and the prize is up to \$1,000.00. The payment will be a voucher for \$340.00 for the COMT certification exam and a check for up to \$660.00 for tuition.

The application includes; (1) the completed application form, (2) a recommendation from their program director, (3) a case study or case review. A case study or review should be a documented study of a specific medical case or condition that is a real-life situation. The case should include an analysis, review of the literature, and present interpretations or conclusion, supported by the line of reasoning.

Applications must be submitted electronically in PDF format no later than April 30.

All applicants will be informed of the status of their application and paper by May 15.

Application Checklist:

- Completed Application
- Case Study (see guidelines)
- Recommendation by Program Director
- Signed Release of Information and Copyright Form

Eligibility:

Only one (1) entry per candidate is permitted in any year.

Recipients may receive the Barbara Cassin Scholarship once in their lifetime. They remain eligible for all other Foundation grants.

A recommendation from the Program Director is required to be considered for the scholarship.

Submit Online or Print and Mail with attachments to:

JCAHPO Education and Research Foundation
2025 Woodlane Drive
St. Paul, MN 55125-2998
e-mail: foundation@jcahpo.org

Guidelines for Paper:

Typed, double-spaced

In addition to the case study or case review, please include a cover page, references/bibliography, and diagrams. Though there is no page limit, papers will be evaluated on content not length of the submission.

The paper must be based on Research, Scientific Content, Originality, and written with APA Style Guide guidelines.

<https://owl.english.purdue.edu/owl/resource/560/01/>

Preferred format: PDF

Selection Criteria:

Presentation will be selected based on research of topic, study content, and originality.

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The applicant's age, sex, religion, or race shall not be considered.

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