ITPEU ANNUAL BENEFIT FUND

SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

We are proud to announce that the ITPEU Annual Benefit Fund Scholarship Program has been established by the Board of Trustees to provide post-high school educational opportunities to ABF participants, spouses, and their children up to age 26.

To be eligible, a candidate must be a high school graduate or have a GED equivalent to apply for an undergraduate scholarship(college). Qualifying ABF participants, spouses, and their children can apply for vocational/technical school scholarship in-lieu of undergraduate scholarships. A candidate must be a direct participant of the Annual Benefit Fund, or a spouse, son, daughter, step-son, step- daughter, or legally adopted child of the eligible participant. For the purposes of this program, an "eligible participant" is one who has passed their "probationary period" in the Annual Benefit Fund (approximately 90 days of participation/employment under covered contract with ABF provision.)

Pending continued eligibility and performance, each scholarship award will be in the amounts per year as follows:

- Five (5) vocational/technical school scholarships in the amount of $7,500.00 each.
- Two (2) multiyear "part- time" or undergraduate scholarships in the amount of $5,000.00/year for four years
- One (1) multiyear "full time" scholarship in the amount $10,000.00/yr for four years

To continue to qualify for renewals of annual awards, the student must maintain scholastic standards acceptable to the school officials and scholarship committee. All phases of the scholarship competition, including selection of winners, are managed by International Scholarship and Tuition Services (ISTS).

The Annual Benefit Fund Scholarship Program has been established in the confident expectation that the scholarships will be continued indefinitely. However, it is recognized that conditions conceivably may require changes or modifications. The right to modify or terminate the program, in whole or in part, is reserved to the Trustees of the ITPEU Annual Benefit Fund.

HOW TO APPLY

Visit https://aim.applyISTS.net/ABF for more information and directions on how to submit application. Applicants must create their ISTS account, click on “add new application” and enter “ABF” as the program key. Applications will be accepted beginning on January 6, 2027 through March 3, 2027.

Application for a scholarship does not constitute application for admission to a school. It is the responsibility of each winner to apply for admission to the school of their choice and to fulfill the admission requirements.