



## All-New Scholarships from Badgerland Financial!

Badgerland Financial is proud to serve agriculture and rural Wisconsin, and we have been committed to doing so for more than 90 years. Enriching rural lives and communities is a vision we take seriously and strive to achieve in all we do.

We are pleased to support the agricultural and rural leaders of tomorrow by introducing an all-new scholarship program to support students as they work towards completing their education. We are proud to now offer up to **two, \$500 scholarships** to first or second year level students in the Farm and Industry Short-Course Program at the University of Wisconsin-Madison.

## Now Offering Scholarships for first or second year students!



### Eligibility Requirements

#### Applicant must be:

1. A first or second year student in good standing
2. A student pursuing studies in the Farm and Industry Short-Course Program
3. Have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.0

Badgerland Financial will review all applications and schedule on-campus interviews with the top candidates. Announcement of scholarship recipients will be no later than December 9, 2011.

### How to Apply

All applications should be directed to [hr@badgerlandfinancial.com](mailto:hr@badgerlandfinancial.com). Submissions must be received no later than **November 18, 2011**.

Submission requirements: Cover Letter, Resume, Current Transcripts, Essay

1. Prepare a cover letter which narrates your interest in and qualifications to be considered for this scholarship program.
2. Prepare an up-to-date resume which showcases your academic, professional and leadership experience.
3. Obtain a copy of your current transcript. Unofficial student copies are acceptable. If you are selected for one of the scholarships, your grade point will be confirmed with the registrar's office prior to payment.
4. Prepare an essay of no more than 1,000 words responding to one of the following topics:
  - Answer this statement and provide a supporting argument: "\_\_\_\_\_ is the single most important issue facing Wisconsin agriculture."
  - Describe the future of Wisconsin agriculture 10 years from now AND the role you would like to play in the future of Wisconsin agriculture.

### Questions?

Please contact Valerie Leake at Badgerland Financial: 608.356.4903 x8895