



2021 Aviation Education Scholarship Application

Awards totaling \$133,700

Tuition Awards

\$ 20,000 Averett University

\$ 20,000 Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University

\$ 20,000 Marywood University

\$ 20,000 Vaughn College of Aeronautics and Technology

\$ 16,000 Saint Francis University

\$ 5,000 Aviation Institute of Maintenance

\$ 1,500 Kent State University College of Aeronautics &
Engineering

\$ 1,500 Unmanned Safety Institute, Inc.

\$ 1,000 Pittsburgh Institute of Aeronautics

Monetary Awards for Tuition and Fees

Sixteen awards totaling \$19,200

Flight Training Awards

Five awards totaling \$9,500

Winners will be announced at the Aviation Education & Career Expo on October 29, 2021. You must be present to win! Email expo@projetaviation.com to register.

2021 Aviation Education and Career EXPO Scholarship Application

CONTEST RULES

1. Submit the application with your essay(s) by October 4, 2021, to: expo@projetaviation.com. See next page for submission instructions and guidelines.
2. Applicant age range: 16-22 yrs. You may check as many opportunities as you feel are a good fit for your future goals. Read about our scholarship sponsors and the available training and degree programs.
3. Winners will be announced at the Aviation Education & Career Expo on October 29, 2021.

YOU MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN – NO EXCEPTIONS!

4. Monetary Award winners must claim their prize and declare intent for using the award to further their aviation education through:
 - a. Aviation-related certification
 - b. Aviation degree program
 - c. Flight trainingAwards not claimed within 2 years will revert to the Scholarship Fund and be awarded to a future winner. Some exceptions may apply.

JUDGING CRITERIA

1. Comprehension: 25 points
How well does the essay respond to the question?
2. Organization: 25 points
Does the essay follow a logical and easily understood progression? Are the main points supported by evidence and examples?
3. Content & Creativity: 25 points
How compelling is your story?
4. Writing: 25 points
Is the grammar, spelling, and punctuation correct? How effective is the use of language? Are references sited?

MONETARY AND TUITION AWARDS ESSAY QUESTIONS

Select ONE of the following questions:

1) How do you use the changing world of technology, in aviation, to change the world and make it better? If money was not an issue, how would you do it? Be specific: aviation vehicles, places in the world, services provided – what is your intended outcome?

2) What will define the next 20 years in aviation? Which technologies, challenges, regions and innovations will shape the future of our industry? Consider: drones, robotics, space travel, etc... Tell us which of those changes excites you the most and how you could work that technology into your future career goals.

3) How can the travel/tourism industry regain consumer confidence as they are addressing COVID-19? How do they bring back the perception of luxury travel? Do airlines and private aircraft companies hire more people? Do they change the standards of disinfecting aircraft and airports? Do they design better filtration systems on aircraft? Do they change seating charts? What are your ideas?

FLIGHT SCHOOL AWARDS ESSAY QUESTION

1) Why do you want to learn to fly, and how will you use that opportunity to achieve your future goals?

2021 Aviation Education and Career EXPO Scholarships

Applicant Name: _____

Applicant's address: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

School name: _____ Year of graduation: _____

Name of supervising teacher or home school parent: _____

Teacher Contact Information: (email or phone) _____

All fields are REQUIRED.

I am applying for (select all that apply):

- | | |
|---|-------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tuition Awards | <i>Complete Essay 1</i> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Monetary Awards | <i>Complete Essay 1</i> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Flight Training Awards | <i>Complete Essay 2</i> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tuition and/or Monetary Awards AND Flight Training Awards | <i>Complete Essay 1 and Essay 2</i> |

Select the specific awards for which you are applying on the next page. There is no limit.

Applicant Name: _____

TUITION AWARDS

Averett University - \$20,000

Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University - \$20,000

Marywood University - \$20,000

Vaughn College of Aeronautics and Technology - \$20,000

St. Francis University - \$8,000 (2 awards)

Aviation Institute of Maintenance - \$2,500 (2 awards)

Kent State University College of Aeronautics & Engineering - \$1,500

Unmanned Safety Institute, Inc. - \$1,500

Pittsburgh Institute of Aeronautics - \$1,000

MONETARY AWARDS

Aviation Influence/Influential Drones - \$2,500

Greater Washington Business Aviation Association (GWBA) - \$2,500

Toth Financial - \$1,500

Air Line Pilots Association - \$1,000*

AOPA - \$1,000

Avemco Insurance Company - \$1,000

Aviation Connect - \$1,000

The Aviation Foundation - \$1,000

Goose Creek Aviation - \$1,000

The Hoxton Agency - \$1,000

Jet Linx Aviation - \$1,000

Paragon Aviation Detailing, LLC - \$1,000

Paragon Aviation Group - \$1,000

ProJet Aviation - \$1,000

Women in Aviation - \$1,000

Aviation Without Borders - \$700

FLIGHT TRAINING AWARDS

Bravo Flight Training - \$3,000

Frederick Flight Center/Advanced Helicopter Concepts - \$2,500 (2 awards)

Aero Elite Flight Training - \$1,000

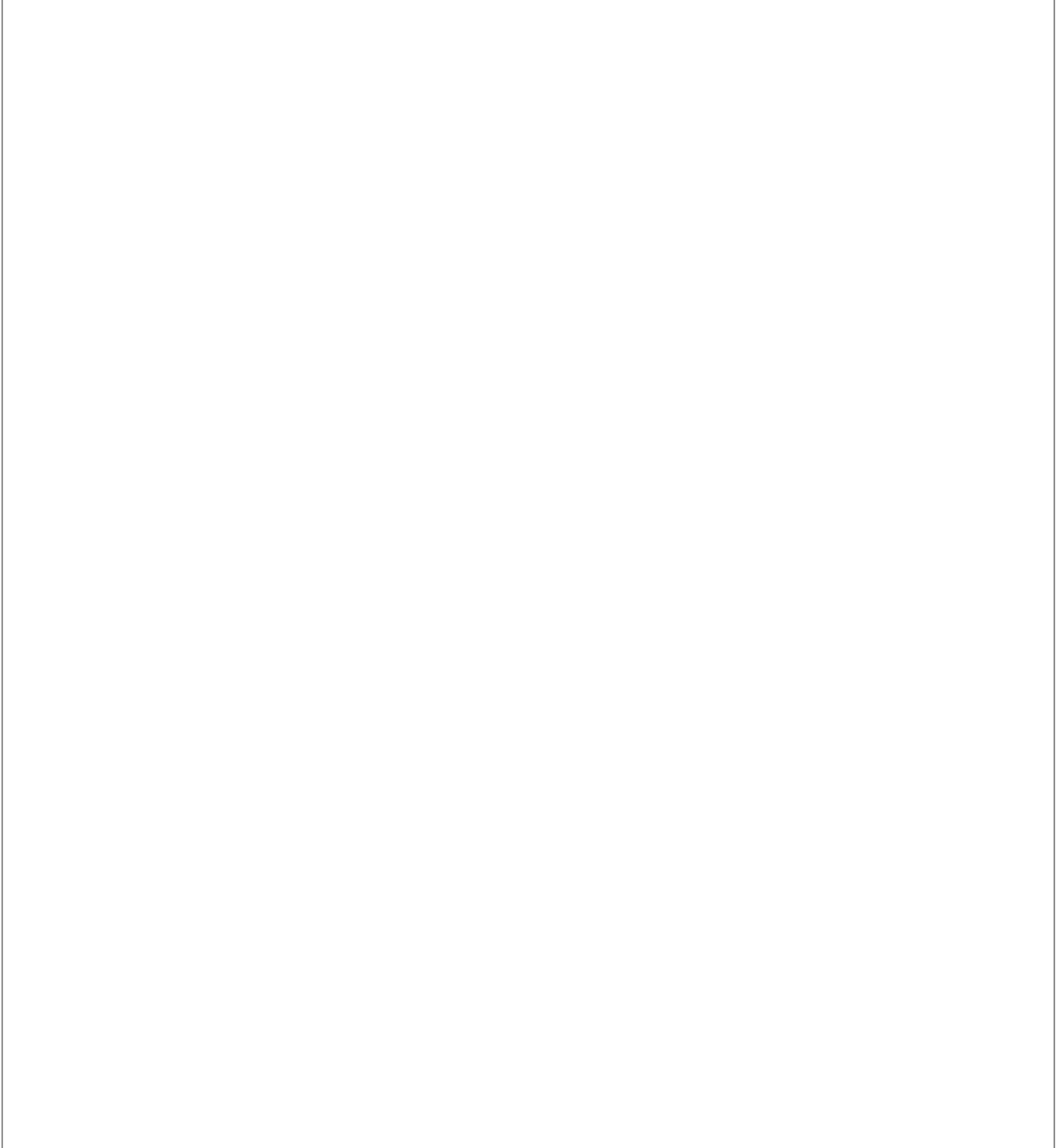
College of Missionary Aviation - \$500

Read about all the scholarship sponsors by clicking their name.

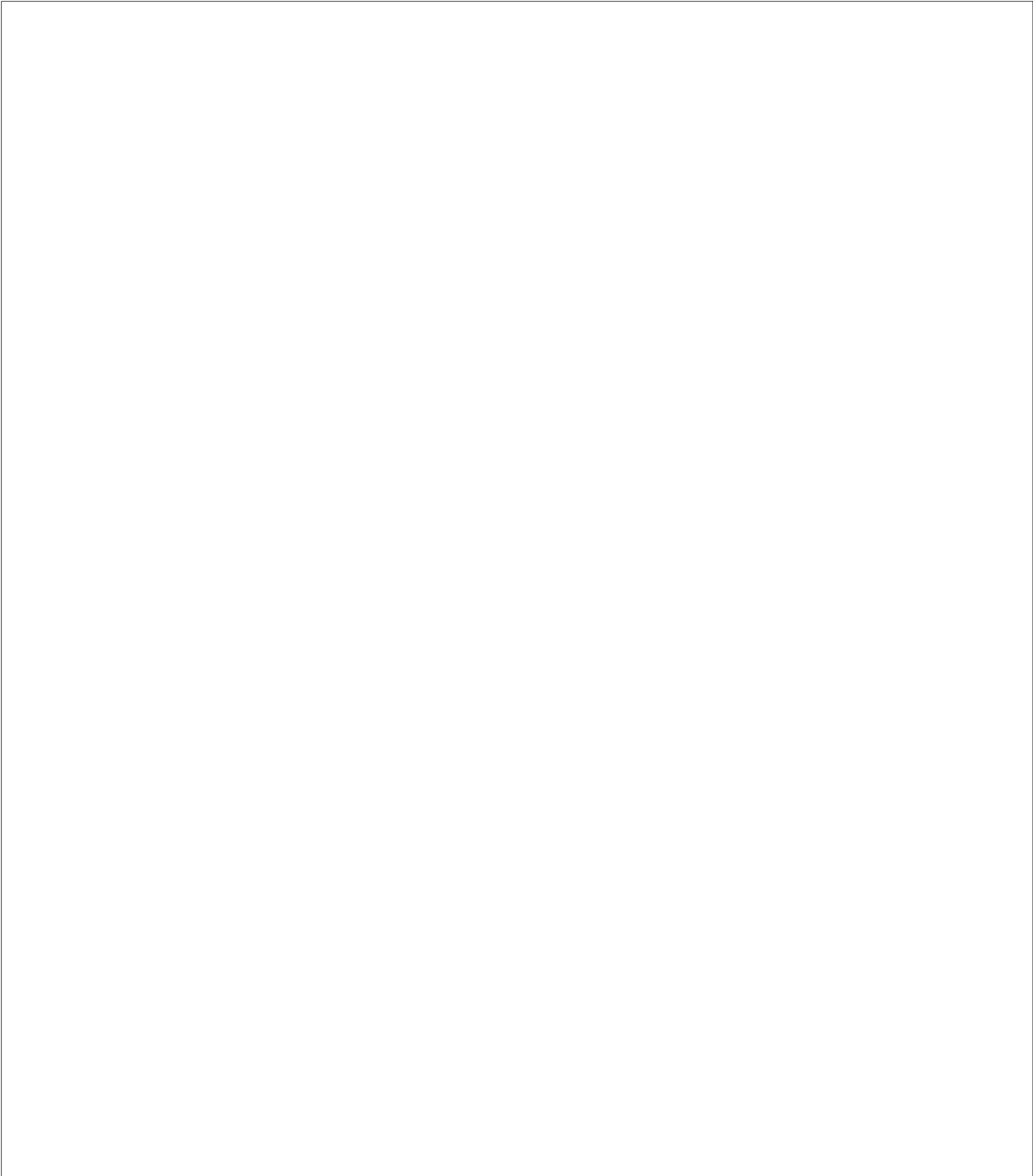
*Scholarship has additional eligibility requirements.

ESSAY 1

Choose one (1) question and respond in 1,000 words or less:



ESSAY 1 (CON'T)

A large, empty rectangular box with a thin black border, occupying most of the page. It is intended for the student to write their essay response.

ESSAY 2

Respond to the following question in 1,000 words or less:

Why do you want to learn to fly, and how will you use that opportunity to achieve your future goals?

ESSAY 2 (CON'T)

TUITION AWARD SPONSORS

Tuition awards are available to first-time students enrolling in a designated program with sponsoring organization.

Averett University

Averett.edu

Danville, VA

\$20,000 (\$5,000/year x4 years)



We offer a Bachelor of Science in Aerospace Management with concentration options:

- Aviation Business
- Private Pilot Certificate
- Flight Instructor Certificate
- Instrument Rating Certificate
- National Aerospace System
- Airport Management
- General Aviation Management
- Airline Management
- Flight Operations
- Commercial Pilot Certificate
- Flight Instructor Instrument Certificate
- Aerospace Safety
- Aerospace Transportation
- Aerospace Accident Investigation
- Aviation Security Operations
- Human Factors in the Aerospace Industry
- Airport Planning and Design
- Airline Business Strategy Simulation
- Joint Aerospace Management/Criminal Justice degree available for law enforcement-related aviation careers

Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University

erau.edu

Daytona Beach, FL

\$20,000 (\$5,000/year x4 years)



Scholarship can be used for any degree at the residential campuses.

- Space Operations
- Homeland Security
- Aviation Maintenance
- Aeronautical Science
- Aerospace Occupational Health
- Aerospace Physiology
- Scheduling/Dispatch
- UAS Drone Operations
- Aviation Safety
- Aviation Business Management
- Aeronautics
- Aerospace Engineering
- Air Traffic Control
- Meteorology

Marywood University

Marywood.edu

Scranton, PA

\$20,000 (\$5K/year for 4 year program)



- Certified Flight Instructor
- Aviation Management
- Flight Operations
- Airport/Airline Management
- Professional Pilot

Vaughn College of Aeronautics and Technology

vaughn.edu

Flushing, NY

\$20,000 (\$5K/year for 4 year program)



Must be used for the following degree programs: Aeronautical Sciences, Aviation Maintenance (AOS)

- Aviation Operations (Flight)
- Aviation Maintenance Management
- Aviation Maintenance
- Aircraft Dispatch Program
- Safety Management Systems
- Aviation Maintenance
- Aircraft Operations
- Air Traffic Control Program
- Flight Certificates
- Aviation Maintenance (Airframe and Powerplant)

Saint Francis University (2 awards)

Francis.edu

Loretto, PA

(2) \$8,000 (\$2,000/year x4 years)



Private/commercial pilot certification pairs creatively with the University's other programs:

- Corporate Pilot
- Powerline and Pipeline Patrol
- Air Charter
- Tourism and Sight Seeing Operations
- Law Enforcement
- Air Ambulance

Aviation Institute of Maintenance (2 awards)

aviationmaintenance.edu

Manassas, VA

(2) \$2,500



Aviation Institute of Maintenance (AIM) is part of a successful group of companies, which first began in Norfolk, Virginia, in 1969. We have maintained a tradition of excellence in education throughout our expansion of aviation career schools since 1994.

Our aviation career schools have been providing the aviation industry with qualified aircraft mechanics and aircraft maintenance technicians for two decades. We take great pride in the success of each and every graduate. As a result, our aviation career schools have produced thousands of professional aircraft mechanics who work in the aviation industry throughout the United States and abroad.

Kent State University College of Aeronautics & Engineering

Kent.edu/cae

Kent, OH

\$1,500



- UAS Drone Operations
- Aviation Management
- Aerospace Engineering
- Aeronautical Systems Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering
- Professional Pilot
- Aeronautics
- Air Traffic Control
- Cybersecurity Engineering

Unmanned Safety Institute, Inc.

unmanned-safety.org

Orlando, FL

\$1,500



**U N M A N N E D
S A F E T Y
I N S T I T U T E ®**

We care about the future of the aviation industry and the workforce that will supply the unmanned community. We take pride in educating, training, and certifying the elite in unmanned safety to go beyond proficiency and create industry leaders, innovators, visionaries, and aviators. Take pride in the credentials earned through USI as you are joining the future of unmanned aviation. Let's go there together.

Pittsburgh Institute of Aeronautics

pia.edu

Pittsburgh, PA / Hagerstown, MD / Myrtle Beach, SC / Youngstown, OH

\$1,000



PIA's main campus offers AST degree programs in Aviation Technology. The branch campuses also offer a diploma or certificate program in Aviation Maintenance Technology.

MONETARY AWARDS

The corporations that are making your monetary awards possible:

Aviation Influence/Influential Drones

Aviationinfluence.org/Influentialdrones.com

\$2,500



Aviation Influence provides aviation and STEM themed outreach services to all, including those who might not otherwise have access to the industry.

Influential Drones is headquartered out of the South Jersey Regional Airport (KVAJ) in Lumberton, New Jersey U.S.A. The company specializes in aerial services, training, consulting, and equipment sales. The company can supply drones, counter-UAS equipment, accessories, and software solutions to customers through authorized dealer and reseller relationships. Influential Drones works with over 90 different manufacturing brands.

Greater Washington Business Aviation Association

gwbaa.com

\$2,500



The Greater Washington (DC) Business Aviation Association is a regional affiliate of NBAA founded in 2005. GWBAA membership provides opportunities for ongoing learning and networking with the business aviation community.

Toth Financial Advisory Corp

tothfinancial.com

\$1,500



Toth Financial professionals have delivered world-class financial and investment advice for over 32 years to our client base of high net-worth individuals. With over 100 years of combined expertise developing and managing assets, the investment professionals at Toth Financial take pride in developing highly customized portfolios that take into consideration risk tolerance, market conditions, retirement goals, and much more.

Air Line Pilots Association

alpa.org



\$1,000

ALPA represents and advocates for over 59,000 pilots at 35 U.S. and Canadian airlines, making it the world’s largest airline pilot union. ALPA provides three critical services to its members: airline safety, security, and pilot assistance; representation; and advocacy.

***Scholarship for student pursuing career as a professional airline pilot.**

AOPA

aopa.org



\$1,000

The AOPA team, operating out of offices in Frederick, Maryland, and Washington, DC, exists to protect and to grow the incredible privilege that we call general aviation. Whether it is through educating the public about the fun and the utility that aircraft can provide, preparing resources and training material to enhance the skills of pilots everywhere, or advocating for aviation within government agencies—it is our job to maintain the strength and vitality of the flying community.

Avemco Insurance Company

avemco.com



\$1,000

Avemco Insurance Company is the only direct writer of aircraft insurance. That means we’re the only insurance company that connects you directly with an Aviation Insurance Specialist (underwriter) who is empowered to solve problems and approve coverage instantly instead of a middleman who simply passes your request on to somebody else. That’s why we can approve coverage based on your individual situation, not what some rulebook says.

Aviation Connect

aviationconnect.org

\$1,000



Sharing a passion for aviation, community and opportunity!

The Aviation Foundation

theaviationfoundation.org \$1,000



The Foundation aims to increase the population of minorities and women pilots, one student at a time, by providing grants and scholarships that will enable participants to learn to fly, become advocates in their communities for aviation, and become an inspiration to others by doing something that their peers may never have considered as a career or hobby.

Someone who has done something extraordinary has inspired us all. We hope to make the participants in our program inspirational symbols for others to do things they thought was out of reach– if that includes flying or pursuing a career in aviation all the better.

Goose Creek Aviation, LLC

GooseCreekAvn.com

\$1,000



Pilot Services, Aircraft Management, Flight Instruction, Consulting in:
Helicopters, Turboprops, and Jets

The Hoxton Agency

hoxton.com



\$1,000

We are committed to providing the highest quality of insurance service at the lowest possible cost. As an independent agency with access to both domestic and international insurers, we are able to tailor your coverage to precisely fit your needs. By keeping our overhead low, we can compete on price with the largest agencies, while retaining the level of personal service that is the Hoxton trademark.

Jet Linx Aviation

jetlinx.com



\$1,000

At Jet Linx we've taken a different approach to private jet travel. A more focused, personalized approach. To better serve you and your individual needs, we deliver our guaranteed private jet travel solutions through individual, city specific, local operations rather than a remote national operation with an 800 number and floating fleet. By doing so, we are able to provide you with a local team you know and trust, local planes, local pilots, and a local private terminal to serve you – all of which add up to a level of unparalleled personal service and value. No other private jet service in the industry compares.

Paragon Aviation Detailing

paragonaviationdetailing.com



\$1,000

Paragon Aviation Detailing provides high quality professional cleaning and detailing services to corporate and individual aircraft operators and owners, fractional ownership companies, maintenance facilities, flight departments and FBO's.

Paragon Aviation Group



The Paragon Network® is an elite group of carefully vetted FBOs and international handling agents that provide a five-star experience for general aviation travelers across the world. FBO Network Members enjoy increased business through group networking efforts, while providing extended benefits to based customers. Each fixed base operator joining The Paragon Network® goes through an extensive audit of their facility and FBO services to ensure the quality of the member base.

ProJet Aviation



Experience award winning hospitality and flight support at Leesburg Executive Airport (KJYO), the destination of choice for private air travel in the Metro-DC region.

Women in Aviation



At WAI, we strive to encourage, empower, and educate all those whose interests, lives, and work involve aviation and aerospace without regard to race, ethnicity, gender identity, age, sexual orientation, physical or mental abilities, or point of view. We know with certainty that our shared passion for aviation transcends any differences among us.

Aviation Without Borders



Everyone in AWB-USA, from our senior leadership to front-line volunteers, strives to be the best that they can be while at the same time act with honesty and adhere uncompromisingly to strong moral and ethical principles of humanitarian aid.

FLIGHT TRAINING AWARDS

Bravo Flight Training
bravoflighttraining.com
Frederick, MD / Martinsburg, WV / Gaithersburg, MD
\$3,000



Bravo Flight Training, located in Frederick, MD, was founded in 2016 with a simple goal in mind: to provide an unparalleled flight training experience to its students. Because it is operated by a full-time flight instructor, Bravo Flight Training can offer a level of personalized attention that is rare within the industry. We love to fly, and our singular passion is to share the fun and the excitement of aviation with all of those who have ever dreamed of taking to the sky.

Total training costs usually range between \$7K-\$10K for completion

Frederick Flight Center /Advanced Helicopter Concepts
frederickflightcenter.com / advancedhelicopter.com
Frederick, MD
\$2,500 (2 awards)



Fixed Wing and Rotorwing Training available. Private Pilot Certificate, Instrument Rating, Commercial Certificate, Multi Engine and Add on's: CFI, CFII, MEI, CRM training, Tailwheel Training. Both Part 61 and 141.

Approximate full training cost: \$10K

Aero Elite Flight Training
aeflight.com
Leesburg, VA
\$1,000



Specializes in Private Pilot, Instrument, Commercial, CFI, and Multi-Engine training. Total cost varies per training.

College of Missionary Aviation
Collegeofmissionaryaviation.com
Keystone Heights, FL
\$500



CMA exists to train men and women who are called to serve the Lord as missionary pilots and mechanics. Program takes approximately 30 months to complete. Private, Instrument, Commercial CFI and CFII are available, and Sea Plane training is additional.