The Dixie Hudson Scholarship Award

The IES Vancouver Section is pleased to present The Dixie Hudson Scholarship Award, in honour of Dixie Hudson's starting the BCIT Interior Design Program and her support on the IES local Board. This scholarship of $2000 will be awarded to a current IES Emerging Professional (EP) member or a Student member in good standing.

Application Process

Qualified individuals must submit the following materials to the IES Vancouver Board to be considered.

1. A formal letter of request (no more than 2 pages, double spaced), which includes description of the applicant's interest in the lighting industry and how the scholarship will help the applicant achieve their current or future career goals.

2. Verification of IES Emerging Professional or Student membership.

3. Two letters of recommendation with at least one from either an IES professional member or a professional from the lighting industry.

4. Current Curriculum Vitae (CV)

5. Candidate may apply for Dixie Hudson Scholarship once within a period of 5 years. If the candidate is applying a second time, applicant must show an upward change in their education program. For example, previous bachelor's degree is elevated to master's or previous Diploma elevated to bachelor's degree.

Selection Criteria

The Vancouver Section of the IES will evaluate the applications according to the following criteria: Academic or Industry Performance, IES Community Involvement, Employment History, and Essay Content.