

Energy Auditor Training Scholarships

Purpose

Using funds from the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA), the State Energy Office is establishing a revolving loan fund for energy efficiency improvements in homes and small businesses. Access to these funds requires an energy audit be performed by an approved energy auditor. Auditors on the approved list must be certified by one of the approved training institutions.

The State Energy Office (SEO) is providing scholarships to Kansas residents who wish to receive training to become energy auditors. Scholarships will cover the full cost of training at one of the approved training institutions listed below. Lodging and other living expenses are not included. Scholarship recipients will be awarded a scholarship certificate to provide to an approved training institution upon enrolling. Training institutions will verify the scholarship with the SEO. Scholarships will be valid for 60 days, from the date the certificate was issued to the recipient.

The State Energy Office will also provide scholarships to attend supplemental training to those with existing certifications from RESNET or the Building Performance Institute (BPI). Applicants should include proof of current certification when filling out the Scholarship Application form.

The approved training institutions are listed below:

Kansas Building Science Institute

200 Zeandale Road, Manhattan, KS 66505
www.kansasbuildingscience.com

Metropolitan Energy Center

3808 Paseo, Kansas City, MO 64109
www.kcenergy.org

Neosho County Community College

800 West 14th Street, Chanute, KS 66720
www.neosho.edu

Eligibility

Scholarship recipients must meet the following criteria:

- Must be a resident of Kansas,
- Must be 18 years or older, and
- Must be knowledgeable in construction, remodeling, and/or HVAC

Other

Recipients of the scholarship may be asked to provide additional information (such as job status, income, and other pertinent information) to meet federal reporting requirements

associated with the ARRA following their training. A description of the ARRA reporting requirements can be found at <http://kcc.ks.gov/energy/arra.htm>.

To Apply

Applicants must fill out the scholarship application form and submit it to the State Energy Office (1300 SW Arrowhead Road, Suite 100, Topeka, KS 66604-4074). Scholarships will be awarded based on need, experience, and geographical distribution. Approximately 100 scholarships will be awarded.

Scholarship recipients will have 60 days (from the date on which the scholarship certificate is issued) to complete training at one of the approved training institutions. After 60 days, the scholarship will expire.

ENERGY AUDITOR TRAINING SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

ELIGIBILITY					
The scholarship is available to Kansas residents, aged 18 or older, with experience in residential construction, remodeling, and HVAC.					
OTHER					
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TO APPLY					
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APPLICANT INFORMATION					
Applicant's Name:					
Applicant's Mailing Address:					
City:		ZIP Code:		County:	
Phone:			E-Mail:		
Are you 18 or older? Yes No					
Are you a Kansas Resident? Yes No					
If Yes, please provide your Driver's License or Kansas ID number:					
EMPLOYMENT					
Are you employed? Yes No If yes, please state the name of the company:					
If employed, will you be doing energy audits through that company? Yes No					
Do you plan to work as an Energy Auditor full time? Yes No					
Will you be self-employed as an Energy Auditor? Yes No					
GEOGRAPHICAL DISTRIBUTION					
In what general area(s) will you serve? (See Map, Select All That Apply) 1 2 3 4 5 6					





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<p>EXPERIENCE: Applicants should have a broad range of experience related to building science fundamentals. This experience and/or training will help applicants to better understand the information in the training. Scholarships will be provided to those applicants who demonstrate a background in several of the following areas:</p>	SEO USE ONLY
<p>CONSTRUCTION EXPERIENCE: FRAMING; ROOFS; ATTICS Describe Below:</p>	1 2 3
<p>HVAC EXPERIENCE: MECHANICAL SYSTEMS (furnaces, air conditioning, heat pumps); SIZING OF EQUIPMENT; DUCTWORK SYSTEMS Describe Below:</p>	1 2 3
<p>BUILDING SCIENCES: HEAT GAIN/LOSS; HEAT TRANSFER Describe Below:</p>	1 2 3
<p>HEALTH & SAFETY: MOISTURE CONTROL; COMBUSTION & CARBON MONOXIDE TESTING Describe Below:</p>	1 2 3
<p>DATA ANALYSIS: COLLECTION OF DATA (structural information, floor plans, etc.); ENERGY SAVINGS CALCULATIONS (units of fuel saved, monthly dollar savings, etc.) Describe Below:</p>	1 2 3
<p>I acknowledge that the above is true and correct. I acknowledge that the Energy Auditor Scholarship is a limited offer and is subject to the availability of funds.</p> <p align="center">Send completed forms to:</p> <p align="right">Or Fax:</p> <p align="right">State Energy Office 785-271-3268 1300 SW Arrowhead Road Suite 100 Topeka, KS 66604</p> <p>_____ _____ SIGNATURE DATE</p>	