

## Scholarship Contribution Form

**Scholarships are made possible  
by generous contributions from  
our membership and  
the community.**

To contribute towards NSCA  
scholarships, please complete and  
submit this form to:

Norfolk Sister City Association  
P.O BOX 3074  
Norfolk, VA 23514

We are happy to contribute:

\$25  \$50  \$75  \$100 or  
\$\_\_\_\_ (Enter desired amount here)

Towards the:

**Regula Meier Scholarship**

**Dr. Hiroyuki Hamada Scholarship**

**General, no designation**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Thank you for your contribution to the Norfolk  
Sister City Association scholarship fund.

*"The Sister Cities Program is an important  
resource to the negotiations of governments in  
letting the people themselves give expression  
of their common desire for friendship, goodwill  
and cooperation for a better world for all."*

*-President Dwight D. Eisenhower*



*The purpose of the Norfolk Sister City Association,  
Inc. is to foster international understanding,  
friendship and cooperation through the forging of  
continuing relationships and the promotion of people  
-to-people exchanges between Norfolk and its sister  
cities. The purpose of the Association is exclusively  
educational and charitable.*

Membership applications available at

[www.norfolksistercities.org](http://www.norfolksistercities.org)

Or by contacting:

Norfolk Sister City Association  
P.O BOX 3074  
Norfolk, VA 23514

Phone: 757-627-0530

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E-mail: [staff@norfolksistercities.org](mailto:staff@norfolksistercities.org)

Norfolk Sister City  
Association

Scholarship  
Information &  
Contribution Form



"The world is a  
book, and those  
who do not travel  
read only one page."

-St. Augustine

*Norfolk Sister Cities is proud to offer two scholarships in honor of two influential members.*

**Regula Meier  
Student Scholarship Award**

This scholarship was established in 2006, in recognition of Mrs. Meier's many contributions to the organization over the past 30 years.

**Dr. Hiroyuki Hamada  
Student Scholarship Award**

This scholarship was established in 2009, in recognition of Dr. Hiroyuki Hamada's many contributions to the organization and particularly his devotion to Norfolk's sister city, Kitakyushu, Japan.

Committee will decide which of the scholarships will be awarded.

\*These scholarships are awarded to students who are participating in exchange programs sponsored by Norfolk Sister Cities and that have demonstrated outstanding academic achievements and show promise of continued excellence and who have financial need.

**Norfolk Sister City Association provides scholarship opportunities to enhance our mission of continued friendships and the promotion of people-to-people exchanges.**

**ELIGIBILITY**

To be eligible to receive an award, the student must be recommended by the chair of the destination city. For the Chairs contact information please visit [www.norfolkvasistercities.org](http://www.norfolkvasistercities.org).

\* Membership is required for participation in exchanges. Application available online.

**APPLICATION PROCESS**

Requirements from each applicant include the following:

1. An official high school transcript.
2. School officials' written evaluation of the applicant's personal achievements noting the applicant's personal achievements, including but not limited to honors, work experiences, community service, and extracurricular activities.
3. Letter of recommendation from a current former teacher, employer, etc.
4. Completed application with appropriate signatures.

**SELECTION**

A selection committee consisting of NSCA members will choose the recipients of the scholarship awards. The committee may, at its option, elect to interview finalists.

**THE AWARD**

The scholarship award sum may vary from year-to-year and applicant-to-applicant. The sum of the awards will be determined by contributions to the Association designated for this purpose. One larger scholarship will be awarded in honor of Dr. Hamada. Multiple partial scholarships will be awarded in honor of Mrs. Meier. While all applicants will be considered for both scholarships, it should be noted that the Hamada scholarship favors Norfolk residents.

**APPLICATIONS**

Scholarship applications are available on our website: [www.norfolksistercities.org](http://www.norfolksistercities.org)



**Norfolk's Sister Cities**

- Cagayan de Oro, Philippines (2008)
- Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada (2006)
- Kaliningrad, Russia (1992)
- Kitakyushu, Japan (1959)
- Kochi, India (2010)
- Ningbo-Beilun, China\* (2013)
- Norfolk County, England (1986)
- Tema Ghana, Africa (2010)
- Toulon, France (1989)
- Wilhelmshaven, Germany (1976)

\* Friendship City