KATE KAISER SCHOLARSHIPS

The Society for Information Management (SIM) is the leading national professional network that connects senior-level Information Technology (IT) leaders with peers providing valuable opportunities for knowledge sharing, professional development, collaboration, and career advancement. The Wisconsin chapter of SIM has a long history of supporting the education of the next generation of IT leaders. To that end, we annually offer multiple $1000 scholarships to deserving local students in the information technology and computing fields. These scholarships are named in honor of one of the founding members of our chapter, Kate Kaiser, who was a strong advocate of this program.

Based on having faculty from the institutions listed below as members in the Wisconsin chapter, students from these institutions are eligible to apply:

- Alverno College
- Carthage College
- Herzig University
- Marquette University
- University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
- University of Wisconsin-Whitewater

To qualify for the Kate Kaiser Scholarship Competition, students must:

1) Be enrolled full-time as an undergraduate in an IT or other computing program at a university or college that has a SIM-Wisconsin faculty member
2) Have at least 1 semester left after the current semester
3) Submit a resume that includes the following:
   a) cumulative GPA and a list of IT-related courses taken,
   b) description of extra-curricular activities highlighting student IT organizations,
   c) description of work activities highlighting computing activities
4) Submit a 1-page double-spaced statement about why they deserve the scholarship
5) Submit a brief supporting statement from a current or former faculty member
6) Not have won the scholarship before

All required materials must be emailed to scholarships@simwisconsin.org by Monday, March 16, 12 noon. Please Put “Kate Kaiser Scholarships”, and your last name, in the Subject Line.

The scholarship will be presented at the Tuesday, April 11h, SIM chapter breakfast meeting at the University Club, downtown, Milwaukee. The recipient is invited to be present for the presentation and may bring a guest.

If you have any questions please contact Tom Kaczmarek, Academic Liaison, SIM Wisconsin Chapter, at thomas.kaczmarek@marquette.edu.