



P. Wayne Hale

# AESF Scholarship Recipients

## 1998-99

### Academic Year



K. Prem Kumar



Rebecca Lienhop



S. Loganathan



I. S. Priya



P. Apparao Tamirisa

**F**or the 1998-99 school year, AESF Scholarship Committee Chairman Robert Goulet, CEF, announced that seven applicants were selected to receive \$1,500 surface finishing scholarships. The scholarships are administered by the AESF and are sponsored by the AESF Scholarship Fund and the Ezra Blount Scholarship Fund of the Metal Finishing Suppliers Association (MFSA).

To be eligible, an applicant must demonstrate that his or her course of study or research is related to plating and surface finishing technologies.

This year's recipients are: Karin A. Carlsson (funded by AESF International Branch), P. Wayne Hale II (funded by MFSA), K. Prem Kumar (funded by MFSA), Rebecca R. Lienhop (in honor of Herbie Tilton), Sadhasivam Loganathan, I. Srithala Priya and Prabhakar Apparao Tamirisa (funded by AESF International Branch).

#### Students Express Appreciation

*I was extremely happy to see my name among the AESF scholarship receivers for the year 1998. It's really a boost to my morale and I'm confident that this scholarship will help me to complete my project without any compromises. Above all, I thank you once again for considering me for the AESF scholarship, which is widely respected worldwide.*

—Prem Kumar Karthan  
CECRI, Tamil Nadu, India

*What a surprise when I received your letter advising me of the \$1500 scholarship! This is most appreciated and will help defer the cost of my tuition. I am very anxious to finish my chemical engineering degree and start working in industry. As one of my electives, I am hoping to take an introductory course in electroplating. I also appreciate the opportunity to become a student member of the AESF. I*

*am looking forward to learning more about and becoming a part of the electroplating industry. Thank you for your support.*

—Rebecca R. Lienhop  
Washington University, St. Louis, MO

*I am extremely happy to receive this prestigious scholarship from the AESF Scholarship Committee. This is really gratifying, because my hard work and academic efforts are recognized. It gives me further encouragement to continue my studies in the field of electroplating and surface finishing. I am looking forward to becoming an active member of AESF. I would like to thank all the members of the committee and the contributors to the Scholarship Endowment Fund for making this possible.*

—S. Loganathan  
CECRI, Tamil Nadu, India

*I was pleased to learn that I had been awarded the surface finishing scholarship. I would like to thank everyone on the scholarship committee and AESF for making it possible for me to achieve this. I am also very happy to become a student member of the AESF. This would provide me a wonderful opportunity to learn about AESF and the surface finishing industry.*

—Prabhakar Apparao Tamirisa  
CECRI, Tamil Nadu, India

### Who May Apply

Applicants for AESF scholarships must demonstrate that their course of study or research is related to plating and surface finishing technologies. An undergraduate may apply each year for a minimum award of \$1,500, and is eligible to receive the scholarship for a maximum of two years. Students awarded AESF scholarships are also entitled to become Society members and receive *Plating and Surface Finishing*, at no charge, during the year(s) their scholarships are in force.

### Undergraduate Candidates

He or she must be at least a junior in good standing in chemistry, chemical engineering, environmental engineering, metallurgy or a materials science program, with a curriculum focused on surface science. Criteria for the award are career interest in surface finishing, scholarship, achievement, motivation and potential, but not necessarily financial need.

### Graduate Candidates

A graduate student may apply for two years of \$1,500-per-year assistance from AESF. Eligibility is based on completion of an accredited undergraduate course leading to a master's or PhD. Other award criteria are the same for graduates and for undergraduates.

### 1998 Tax Year Planning Suggestion

The Scholarship Committee suggests that making generous contributions to the scholarship program is not only needed and appreciated, it could have some important tax benefits for you. Many Society members have considered this important program in their wills as well. Now that 1998 has come to a close, the Committee suggests that you consult your tax advisor concerning these opportunities, and asks that you give generously to help promote the technical future of the industry ... *your industry*. P&SF

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