



Veterinary Technician National Examination Celebrating Diversity Award Application

Candidate Full Name: _____ Application Date: _____

School Attending: _____

Anticipated Graduation Date: _____

Please attach the following required documents to your application.

1. Academic letter of good standing on school letterhead completed by the Program Director or Registrar of the AVMA-CVTEA or CVMA accredited veterinary technology/nursing program.
2. One-page essay **OR** two-to-three-minute video on why you deserve the award. After a brief introduction of yourself, please address the following points in your essay/video.
 - a. Self-identification of demographic information.
 - b. Significance in starting your veterinary technician career and the impact your meritorious efforts to champion diversity brings to the profession.
 - c. Community involvement and/or volunteerism and the impact of those served.
 - d. Exemplified leadership of student-centered inclusion initiatives.
 - e. Strong commitment to actively promote and maintain diversity and inclusion in the veterinary profession to best serve the animals and public.
 - f. Demonstrated importance of cultural humility and cultural competence as a veterinary professional.
3. A photo including your head and shoulders. No group photos.

By applying for this scholarship, I understand if I am selected, my name, image, and video (if applicable), will be used in promotion of the scholarship.

Signature _____ Date _____

Please submit your application, additional documents, and video (if applicable) to vettech@aavsb.org, with the subject line: VTNE Diversity Award Application.