



NORTHERN RHODE ISLAND
BOARD OF REALTORS®

2026 Diversity Scholarship

Application Instructions:

Please complete all pages of the application and attach the exhibits as requested.

Applications will be reviewed on a monthly rolling basis until October 15, 2026.

Scholarships award up to \$1,500 per person annually, subject to selection by the Board, availability of funds and verification of all items listed under Requirements.

Please send the completed application package to: ssilva@nrirealtors.org or mail to the Northern Rhode Island Board of REALTORS®, 1169 Park Ave, Cranston, RI 02910

Requirements:

- Applicant must be a permanent resident of the State of Rhode Island.
- Applicant must show proof of high school or GED diploma.
- Applicant must provide 2 letters of recommendation.
- Applicant must submit complete application including typewritten statement.
- Payment on sales pre-licensing course registration fee will be made directly to the schools listed below. Reimbursements to scholarship recipients will be made upon successful completion of all the other requirements. Receipts, certificates, and documentation must be submitted.
 - **Enrollment, successful attendance, and completion of the RI 45-hour Sales pre-licensing class offered by the Rhode Island Association of REALTORS®.**
 - **Successful completion of the RI Department of Business Regulation Real Estate Sales-person License Examination.**
 - **Real Estate Application and license fees.**
 - **Affiliation letter for a REALTOR® company in Rhode Island.**
 - **Minimum Errors and Omissions Insurance as required by the RI Department of Business Regulation.**
 - **Prorated REALTOR® dues for one year.**

Questions? Please contact Suzanne Silva, RCE, Chief Executive Officer, at (401) 333-6343 or email ssilva@nrirealtors.org

About the Northern Rhode Island Board of REALTORS®: Established in 1921, NRIBR is one of 1,300 chartered member Boards of the National Association of REALTORS®, the Voice for Real Estate in the United States®. As a professional trade association, we serve real estate and appraisal licensees in Northern Rhode Island, including but not limited to the towns of Cumberland, Central Falls, Lincoln, North Smithfield, Pawtucket, and Woonsocket. Our mission is to promote the best interests of our members and our communities through advocacy, professional development, and partnerships. Visit us at www.nribr.realtor

NRIBR is strongly committed to a policy of equal opportunity for all individuals regardless of race, color, sex (including pregnancy and sexual harassment), disability, ancestral origin, religion, sexual orientation, gender identity/expression and age. The policy of equal opportunity applies to all aspects of the Association activities and programs including employment practices, membership policies and volunteer appointments.

NRIBR 2026 Diversity Scholarship Application

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Address: _____

Current occupation: _____

Best Phone Number: _____

Email address: _____

Education Information (from most recent)

School, College or University

Dates Attended

Degree or Diploma

Tell us about any of your civic achievements/community or volunteer work/interests:

Activity

Description

Statement: please attach a typewritten statement of approximately 250-500 words, explaining your background, community, and its need for representation in the real estate field.

Please provide the names, titles, and contact information for 2 references from non- relatives along with 2 typewritten letters of recommendation.

Reference # 1: _____ Title: _____

Contact information: _____

Reference # 2: _____ Title: _____

Contact information: _____

In signing below, your signature affirms that all information provided on this form is true as of the date specified, that you have read the rules, and that you agree by them. Thank you for your interest.

Sign here

Print your name

Date _____