

**THE COOPERATIVE EXTENSION PROGRAM AT
NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL AND TECHNICAL STATE UNIVERSITY
2015 SMALL FARMS WEEK FARMER SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

The Cooperative Extension Program at North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University will provide a limited number of scholarships for small farmers interested in attending the activities to be held on campus as part of **Small Farms Week, March 22-28, 2015**. Small Farms Week events are designed to provide educational opportunities and celebrate and recognize the contributions that small farmers make to this state. Scholarships for applicants who live more than two hours or 130 miles from campus, will cover registration fees, event materials, one night's lodging (double occupancy), and planned meals. Those who live within 130 miles or less than two hours from campus are eligible for scholarships that cover registration fees, event materials and meals.

To apply for a scholarship, please complete and submit this application. The complete application must be postmarked on or before **March 2, 2015**. Incomplete applications will not be considered. Individuals awarded scholarships will be notified by mail by **March 11, 2015**. Send completed applications to:

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Scholarship Eligibility Requirements

Scholarships will be given to a select number of North Carolina small farmers who meet the following criteria. Applicants must:

1. Attend all events on March 24-25, 2015.
2. Live in North Carolina.
3. Generate 50 percent or more of gross income from farming.
4. Operate a farm where they, or a family member, provide general management.

Name

Farm/Business Name

Cooperative Extension Agent/Technician Name

Address, City, State, Zip

Telephone

Email Address

Check the boxes that apply to you.

Small Farmer* Full Time Part Time (*less than 50 percent time*) Retired Farmer

1. What is your involvement with your county Cooperative Extension Center?

2. Why are you interested in attending Small Farms Week?

*Earns an annual gross farm income of less than \$100,000