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Dear Guidance Counselor/Scholarship Administrator:

The Marine Trades Association of New Jersey (MTA/NJ) is pleased to announce the availability of two Education Scholarships for the 2012-2013 school year. The scholarships are open to any student that is interested in pursuing a career in the recreational boating industry and meets the criteria outlined. The following is an overview of the scholarships:

- **MTA/NJ Education Scholarship:** This scholarship has a value of \$3,000 that can be applied towards any recreational boating/marine trades program or marine technical program at any school.
- **Automotive Training Center:** This is a half scholarship (\$9,000) for the Marine Service Technology Program at the Automotive Training Center in Pennsylvania.

Information about the scholarships including an overview of the application process, the two applications, and recommendation forms for the guidance counselor and other faculty are available online at www.mtanj.org. **Click on Scholarships on the home page. Scholarship application due date is April 2, 2012.** Please forward these applications to any student that is interested in pursuing a successful and rewarding career in the boating industry. Also, please take a moment to review and pass along the information included in the brochure that we have enclosed. I am confident that you will find that there are many exciting opportunities available in the recreational boating industry.

If you have any further questions about the scholarship or the application process, feel free to email: mdanko@mtanj.org or call (732) 292-1051. Thank you for the time and opportunity to provide one of your graduating students with this scholarship opportunity.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Melissa Danko'.

Melissa Danko
Executive Director

EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

MTA/NJ Education Scholarship

The MTA/NJ Foundation offers scholarships to students interested in pursuing a career in the marine industry. The MTA/NJ Foundation has awarded over \$15,000 in scholarships over the last six years to students interested in furthering their education and pursuing a career in the marine trades industry. Scholarships are funded through contributions to the MTA/NJ Foundation, fundraising events and a matching grant award from the Marine Retailers Association of America (MRAAA) Education Foundation.

Automotive Training Center Scholarship

The Automotive Training Center located in Warminster, Pennsylvania offers scholarships to students interested in attending their Marine Technician Program and/or Marine Service Technology Program.

Contact the MTA/NJ office at 732-292-1051 for a scholarship application package or obtain the package online at mtanji.org and Click on Education Scholarships on the home page.



Plan for your future in the Marine Industry today! There are many exciting opportunities available:

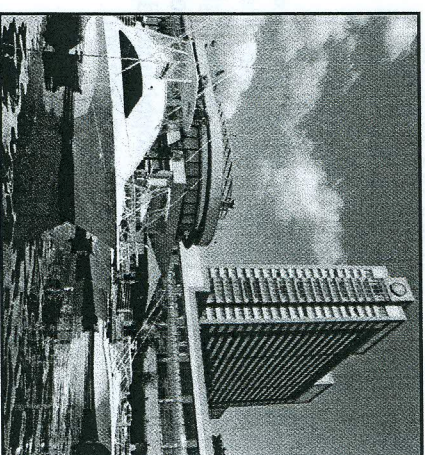
- ⇒ **Technician**
 - Engine
 - Electronics
 - Air Conditioning / Refrigeration
 - Generators
- ⇒ **Mechanics**
 - Mechanics Helper
 - Inboard
 - Outboard
 - Sterndrive
 - Diesel
- ⇒ **Painter**
- ⇒ **Yard Help**
 - Entry-level
 - Bottom Painting
 - General Duties
- ⇒ **Rigger** – Familiar with hand tools, prep new boats, install radios
- ⇒ **Equipment Operator**
 - Forklift/Travel Lift/ Trailers
- ⇒ **Sales**
 - Powerboats/Sailboats
 - Motors
 - Trailers
 - Electronics
- ⇒ **Parts**
- ⇒ **Fiberglass Repair**
- ⇒ **Office Administration/Accounting**

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