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**AMERICAN GALVANIZERS ASSOCIATION ANNOUNCES
NEW \$5,000 “GALVANIZE THE FUTURE” SCHOLARSHIP***

CENTENNIAL, CO - The American Galvanizers Association (AGA) is pleased to announce its new \$5,000 “Galvanize the Future Scholarship” essay contest, for which three scholarships—\$2,500, \$1,500, and \$1,000—will be awarded this November for the best student compositions received.

Open to any college student majoring in architecture, engineering, or materials science, the “Galvanize the Future Scholarship” contest is available to full- or part-time, undergraduate or graduate students of any age enrolled at an accredited four-year college or university in North America during the 2005-2006 school year. Judging will be based on essay relevance, accuracy, conciseness, and ingenuity in response to one of two possible topics/questions posed. Submissions must be received by October 1st, 2005. For information, rules, and submission guidelines, please visit the AGA’s scholarship webpage, at <http://www.galvanizeit.org/ref/scholarship> (please no phone calls).

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Serving the needs of specifiers, architects, engineers, contractors, and fabricators throughout North America since 1935, the American Galvanizers Association (AGA) provides information on the most innovative applications and state-of-the-art technological developments in hot-dip galvanizing for corrosion protection. Created to educate and train in the specification and use of hot-dip galvanized steel, the AGA maintains a large technical library, distributes numerous industry publications, offers free educational seminars, and provides toll-free technical support to the specifying community.

(NOTE: With years of technical experience and expertise, the AGA staff is able to provide informative, custom articles for your publication, upon request. Please contact the AGA for more information.)