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Applications Now Available for Iberdrola USA Foundation 2016/2017 Energy & Environment Scholarships

Opportunity to do sustainable energy, environmental, cyber security and data science research at prestigious universities

New Gloucester, Maine – The Iberdrola USA Foundation is now accepting scholarship applications for master's studies in energy and/or the environment at Binghamton University, Oregon State University, the Rochester Institute of Technology, the University of Connecticut, the University of Maine, and the University of Rochester for the 2016/2017 academic year.

The Iberdrola USA Foundation coordinates and performs social responsibility activities for Iberdrola USA, a subsidiary of global energy leader Iberdrola, S.A.

The Iberdrola Scholarship is open to U.S. nationality students wishing to pursue master's level work with an emphasis on sustainable energy, energy efficiency and climate-related areas of study in addition to more specific business areas. The grants cover full tuition, fees and health insurance, and provide a \$25,200 annual stipend for other expenses.

"We're pleased to provide these opportunities to a new generation of energy leaders," said Bob Kump, chief corporate officer for Iberdrola USA. "We'll need their enthusiasm and innovative ideas, especially in light of the recent American Business Act on Climate Pledge and the United Nations Climate Change Conference of the Parties 21 in Paris. These students will make our planet more environmentally sustainable and energy efficient."

The Scholarships for the fall semester of the 2016-2017academic year are for post-graduate studies at U.S. universities in the following areas of knowledge:

- Renewable energy
- Sustainable energy system
- Environment and biodiversity
- Clean combustion technologies and emissions management
- Energy efficiency
- Energy storage
- Electric vehicle
- Information and Communications technology (ICT)
- Cyber Security and Data Science
- Wind Power Technology
- Meteorology

For More Information or to Apply – Visit the Iberdrola USA Foundation's <u>website</u>. The Scholarship application deadline is 8 a.m. (EST) February 26, 2016.

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