STATE AMBASSADOR AWARD FACT SHEET

**Qualifying Requirements:**
- Current enrollment in an associate degree or technical diploma program at Milwaukee Area Technical College (MATC).
- 3.5 or higher cumulative grade point average maintained.
- 24 associate degree or 8 technical diploma credits of which 51% were completed at (MATC).
- Continuing academic study at MATC through the Fall semester (neither graduation nor transfer from MATC prior to December).
- Complete and submit the application process on or before the due date.
- If the college deems it necessary, participate in the interview process.
- If selected as the MATC State Ambassador, participate in the two-day State Ambassador Award’s activities and ceremony in Madison, Wisconsin.

**Application Procedures:**
- Complete the Biographical Questionnaire/Profile Form and Essay accessed via [http://www.matc.edu/student/studentlife/upload/StateAmbassadorApplication_2.pdf](http://www.matc.edu/student/studentlife/upload/StateAmbassadorApplication_2.pdf)
- Submit the completed application with essay and Faculty nomination together to Office of Student Life – Milwaukee Campus – Rm. S303 on or before due date.

**Benefits to the successful nominee include:**
- Honored guest at the State Ambassador Award Program in Madison, Wisconsin
- Interaction with other State Ambassadors from the Wisconsin Technical College System (WTCS) and a gift exchange
- Scholarship
- Souvenir gift and keepsake
- An invitation to the Lamp of Knowledge and Honors Recognition Banquet
- Recognition in the *MATC Times*
- Possible opportunities for networking with business and education leaders
  - Identify a faculty member from your program who is both familiar with your academic efforts and is willing to nominate you for this honor by writing a recommendation letter on your behalf, and give them the Faculty nomination procedure form. Submit the nomination letter with your application.

Please forward questions via [honors@matc.edu](mailto:honors@matc.edu)