

## **Our Mission**

The Tool, Die and Machining Association in Wisconsin, chartered in 1937, was organized for the purpose of providing a forum for the independent tool & die and machine shop owners of Wisconsin to discuss mutual problems and for the exchange of ideas in business management and the technical aspects of the industry. We are also committed to educating the community, parents and students about our industry through scholarships, seminars, and the like, on the life long rewards of a career in the precision metalworking industry.

## **Scholarships**

In keeping with our Mission Statement, the TDMAW is pleased to offer two scholarship options to assist students enrolled in a Machine Tool Operations Program or Tool & Die Program at any accredited Wisconsin technical college. These scholarships are sponsored by the following TDMAW Group Buying Partners - E. L. Simeth Company & MSC/J&L Metalworking.

## The Edward L. Simeth Scholarship

Awards up to \$500 per semester for students enrolled in a Machine Tool Operations Program or Tool & Die Program at any accredited Wisconsin technical college. To qualify, applicants must meet the following requirements:

- Applicant must be resident of Wisconsin
- Must be currently attending an accredited Wisconsin Technical college and enrolled in a Machine Tool
  Operations Program or Tool & Die Program
- Must complete the top portion of the Application
- Must complete an essay as directed on the application form

## **Tools to Succeed**

A program that awards six deserving students with Kennedy 11-drawer steel toolboxes. Toolboxes are given to SE Wisconsin area technical colleges Technical Education departments. Instructors at these colleges identify and award the toolboxes to their most deserving students on behalf of MSC Metalworking and the Tool, Die & Machining Association of WI.

Students interested in receiving these toolboxes should talk with the instructors at their school. If the technical college you attend does not offer this cooperative program, please contact the TDMAW headquarters at 262-532-2440 or via email at <a href="mailto:toolmaker@TDMAW.org">toolmaker@TDMAW.org</a>.