



2019-2020 Scholarship Recipient

AGC Northern District Scholarship



Gursahib Patara

Senior, University of Washington

My name is Gursahib Patara and I am a senior pursuing a degree in construction management at the University of Washington. I have been interested in construction since the age of 15. I was inspired by my father as his first job in America was in the construction industry. I began taking classes at Whatcom Community College and transferred to the University of Washington to pursue a degree in construction management. This fall, I will be entering my final year.

I previously worked at Khun, LLC as a carpenter. I currently work at Dawson Construction as an assistant project engineer. My tasks include scheduling, estimating, and reviewing drawings and specifications. I am also the supervisor for Patara Properties and my role is to manage a rental property and residential subdivision.

My goal after graduation is to work at a general contractor and gain experience to become a project manager. After this experience I would like to pursue my life-long dream of opening my own construction company. I aspire to build my company to be one of the top construction companies in North America.

In my spare time, I enjoy playing soccer, reading, traveling, and spending time with family and friends.
