

Avfuel AVTRIP scholarship winners announced!



Congratulations to AVTRIP pilots George Hoyt and Sage Santangelo.

The Avfuel AVTRIP scholarship exists to help would-be aviation scholars continue their educations and further their careers in general and business aviation pursuits. Each year we choose one or two winners from a stellar group of applicants.

Texas resident George G Hoyt took first prize in the Avfuel AVTRIP Scholarship. A supervisor of aviation operations, a pilot and a devotee of the general aviation industry at large, Hoyt has been awarded \$2,000 and a \$500 US Savings Bond. With a family tradition of working in aviation, Hoyt wishes to continue his work in airport management and attain a leadership role.

Hoyt serves on the Board of Directors of the Texas Aviation Association, an organization dedicated to promoting and protecting general aviation in the state of Texas. He is also a mission pilot for the Civil Air Patrol in Texas, and flies fire watch, hurricane relief, humanitarian and photographic missions.

Maine-based pilot Sage Santangelo took the second prize of the Avfuel AVTRIP Scholarship. Her award is a \$1,000 US Savings Bond. Santangelo is a private pilot who comes from a family of enthusiastic aviators. With her scholarship winnings she wishes to continue flying and to some day give back to the industry through teaching and mentorship.

Will you be next? Stay tuned for the announcement of the next round.
Avfuel will release the next scholarship application in 2011.