



OABA Scholarship Tuition Certificates for the 2027 AIMS Safety Seminar

The OABA continues to sponsor and lend financial support to national safety seminars and certification programs such as AIMS and NAARSO, the Northwestern Showmen's Club, and others.

OABA will once again be offering **four (4) FREE** individual scholarships to attend the **2027 AIMS Virtual Safety Seminar**, valued at **\$695** each. **One (1)** of these OABA/AIMS Scholarships has been dedicated in **Memory of June Hardin, owner of Wapello Fabrications**, who strived for quality, safety and ASTM standards throughout her career.

These scholarship certificates cover only the cost of tuition for educational courses. As those of you who have attended this seminar in the past know, this seminar program is designed to provide educational information to all show owners, operators and maintenance personnel, and can lead to becoming AIMS certified in Operations and/or Maintenance. This tuition certificate does not include the testing/certification fees, travel or lodging expenses.

AIMS International is fully focused on planning their 2027 event in Orlando at the Rosen Centre Orlando from Jan. 10 to 15.

The seminar will include over 20-hours of inspection and maintenance education delivered entirely in Spanish. Attendees will build their own schedule, choosing from over 200 hours of content to best suit their needs and desired outcome. Actionable safety information is carried home to share with colleagues and co-workers. Long-lasting friendships with instructors and peers from around the world lead to an exchange of information and excellence that connects safety professionals across the globe.

Scholarship qualifications are as follows:

- 1) The carnival or business must be a current member of the OABA.
- 2) The individual must be a first-time attendee to the AIMS Safety Seminar.

Attached is an application form to apply for an AIMS 2027 Safety Seminar Tuition Certificate. This application should be mailed or emailed to the OABA **by December 8, 2026**.



OABA Scholarship Application

AIMS Safety Seminar
Rosen Centre Orlando
January 10 – 15, 2027

Name _____ Phone _____

Business or Show Name _____ Email _____

Job Function: Ride Operations _____ Electrician _____ Maintenance _____ Other _____

Years of experience in the Mobile Amusement business _____

Other Job Skills or Experience _____

Other Safety Seminars attended, or technical training received _____

Please give a brief description of why you would like to attend this seminar or how you will apply what you learn for your future in the mobile amusement industry _____

Referred By: _____

The OABA will award a total of FOUR scholarship recipients with pre-paid tuition. To qualify, you must be an OABA member and a first-time attendee to this safety certification program.

Please email your form to TimK@oaba.org by December 8, 2026