Michael L. Tobias Brewing Arts Scholarship

Mike Tobias was a passionate and dedicated man. His home brew skills which derived from his literal and scientific knowledge of craft beer provided Liquid Garage the path to start and operate our brewery by applying today's technology of an ancient practice of recipe creations that has passed the test of time. Mike inspired many to study and work on craft beer creations that influenced many home and professional brewers to create and share home and commercially crafted beer that have won several local awards. His desire to share his passion and knowledge is why the Liquid Garage Co team chose to create this scholarship and honor him by being part of a wonderful and supportive craft beer community.

To honor Mike, Liquid Garage Co. is sponsoring a scholarship in the amount of \$3000 towards tuition cost for the USFSP Brewing Arts Program. The chosen recipient will demonstrate community service and a passion for the brewing community. Please note that the recipient will need to pay the remaining cost for enrollment in the program. Applications will be accepted November 3, 2023 through January 5th, 2024 and can be used for either the February or August of 2024 classes.

Eligibility:

- 1. U.S. citizen or U.S. permanent resident
- 2. Accepted into the Brewing Arts certificate program (Apply Here).
- 3. At least 21 years old

Evaluation:

Each applicant will be evaluated in terms of first having a complete package, which consists of the following:

- 1. Acceptance letter to the USF St. Petersburg campus Brewing Arts Certificate Program.
- 2. A personal essay which includes discussion on:
 - 1. Financial need
 - 2. History/experience in brewing that led to your passion.
 - 3. Future goals in the brewing industry
 - 4. Importance and commitment to community service (can be in the form of volunteer or professional work or fund raising as examples)
- 3. Resume

Please email application packets to <u>brewingarts@usf.edu</u> with the subject heading "Michael Tobias scholarship".