Student Academic and Leadership Scholarship

Sponsored by
American Association for Women in Community Colleges (AAWCC)

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: Monday, March 17, 2008

The AAWCC encourages leadership programs for women in community colleges, supports women in leadership roles, and develops communications among women in community colleges. In an effort to support students in their educational, career, and leadership goals, the AAWCC provides scholarships at St. Louis Community College.

Scholarship Description
One or two $750 scholarships per campus may be awarded, depending on available funds, in the spring for educational expenses for the following summer or fall semester. The award will be deposited in the student’s HigherOne account, student account or by check after confirmation of registration.

Are You Eligible for this Scholarship?

- Both men and women are eligible.

- You should have completed a minimum of 12 total semester hours without completing a degree.

- You must be enrolled in the current spring semester.

- You should have a minimum cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.0.

- You must have a demonstrated potential for leadership. Leadership should be demonstrated with two letters of recommendation from St. Louis Community College faculty or staff members explaining applicant’s potential for leadership and academic success.

- You must demonstrate your community involvement through volunteer service or participation in service-learning at the College.

- You must be planning to enroll at SLCC in the summer or fall semester following the receipt of the award.
Application Process

1. **Complete the application form.** Download and complete the form from our website: [http://stlcc.edu/ccdocs/aawcc/index.html](http://stlcc.edu/ccdocs/aawcc/index.html). A draft of the application is provided.

2. We strongly suggest that you have someone else proofread your application for grammar, spelling and content. You should consider this application similar to an application for a professional job!

3. **Include a SLCC transcript.** You can provide either an official transcript or a copy from your Banner account.

4. Turn in the **complete** application packet (the application, transcript, and letters of recommendation) by **5 pm on Monday, March 17, 2008** to the appropriate campus contact listed below:

   Meramec: Angela Grupas (314-984-7833 or agrupas@stlcc.edu)

   Florissant Valley: Katherine Gordon (314-513-4438 or kgordon@stlcc.edu) or Anne Schalda (314-513-4349 or aschalda@stlcc.edu)

   Forest Park: Eloise Finney (314-644-9462 or efinney@stlcc.edu)

   South County: Jane Tucker (this is considered Meramec) (314-984-7210 or jftucker@stlcc.edu)

   Wildwood: Ellen Gough, Bookstore (636-422-2031 or egough@stlcc.edu)

Review and Decision Process

- The campus AAWCC committee will review applications and select candidates to be interviewed during the week of March 17.
- The campus AAWCC committee will contact and interview the selected candidates during the week of March 24.
- The campus AAWCC committee chair will notify the scholarship award recipient by phone at the end of the week of March 24, followed by a letter of congratulations from the AAWCC President.
- **The campus AAWCC committee chair will notify applicants of non-selection and interviewee candidates of non-selection by March 31.**
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How many credits have you completed thus far in your college career? _____  *You must have a minimum of 12.

What is your cumulative GPA at this time? _____  *You must have at least a 3.0 to qualify.

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Please describe your role in any campus clubs or activities.

Please describe your involvement in the community.

Please describe your leadership experiences in the community and/or on your campus.
Think about leadership and describe what you think are the qualities that make a person an effective leader.

Please tell us why you think you would be the best recipient of this award.