



TEXAS SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY
School of Communication

SCHOLARSHIPS

Texas Southern University is committed to providing scholarship opportunities so that talented students, no matter their economic circumstances, can achieve their college dream. TSU offers merit-based scholarship programs that recognize outstanding academic achievement that will help to fund your college education- making tuition, fees and housing much more affordable by reducing or even eliminating your out-of-pocket expense.

Each of the programs- The President's Leadership Scholarships, General University Scholarships, Honors Scholarships and The School of Communication Scholarships- will have specific requirements for determining eligibility. These requirements ultimately determine the award amount you receive, which can range from \$500 to as much as \$10,000 per year.

In the School of Communication (SOC), The Dean has made a commitment to offer merit-based and/or need-based scholarships to assist students. Criteria for these scholarships are listed below and students are welcome to apply during the spring semester.

The School of Communication Scholarship Criteria (merit):

- Student must be majoring in one of the communication tracks: Speech Communication, Journalism, Radio, Television and Film or the Entertainment Recording Industry;
- Student must have a minimum G.P.A. of 3.00 or higher and completed 59 credit hours;
- Student must complete the scholarship application and sign it;
- Student must attach an official transcript to the application;
- Student must provide proof of community service, involvement and/or outreach;
- Student must provide a 100 word essay explaining why they should receive a scholarship;
- Student needs two letters of recommendation from the School of Communication faculty.

The School of Communication Scholarship Criteria (need):

- Student must be majoring in one of the communication tracks: Speech Communication, Journalism, Radio, Television and Film or the Entertainment Recording Industry;
- Student must demonstrate a need which can be confirmed through our Financial Aid Department;
- Student must complete the scholarship application and sign it;
- Student must attach an official transcript to the application;
- Student must provide proof of community service, involvement and/or outreach;
- Student must provide a 100 word essay explaining why they should receive a scholarship;
- Student needs two letters of recommendation from the School of Communication faculty.

Once all completed information is submitted; the SOC Scholarship Committee will review the information and select qualified students for an interview. After the interview process is complete, the committee will vote on the applicants and submit the names to the Dean of the college for review. Students will be awarded during the fall semester.



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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

NAME _____ SEX _____ AGE _____

LOCAL ADDRESS (Street) _____

(City) _____ (State) _____ (Zip) _____

PERMANENT ADDRESS (Street) _____

(City) _____ (State) _____ (Zip) _____

HOME PHONE_(____)_____ WORK_(____)_____ CELL_(____)_____

RESIDENCE STATUS: Are you an Out-Of-State student? [] YES [] NO
United States Citizen? [] YES [] NO

ETHNIC ORIGIN: [] Black [] White [] Hispanic [] Native American [] Asian [] Other

SOCIAL SECURITY NO.: _____ STUDENT I.D. NO.: _____

CLASSIFICATION (Presently)

[] Freshmen [] Sophomore [] Junior [] Senior [] Graduate

NOTE: ATTACHMENT OF TRANSCRIPT MUST ACCOMPANY APPLICATION.

MAJOR _____ MINOR _____

CUMULATIVE G.P.A. _____ RANK IN CLASS (High School Senior) _____

SEMESTER AND YEAR APPLYING FALL [] SPRING [] SUMMER I [] SUMMER II []

I HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS TRUE AND CORRECT. I GIVE PERMISSION TO THE SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE TO HAVE ACCESS TO MY ADMISSIONS AND/OR ACADEMIC RECORDS.

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

MAIL APPLICATION TO:

TEXAS SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY
THE SCHOOL OF COMMUNICATION
ATTN: STUDENT SERVICES/SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE
3100 CLEBURNE STREET, MLK 216, HOUSTON, TEXAS 77004



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RECOMMENDATION FORM

APPLICANT'S NAME _____

ADDRESS_(Street) _____

(City) _____ (State) _____ (Zip) _____

NAME OF RECOMMENDER _____

TITE _____

WORK NUMBER _____ ALTERNATE NUMBER _____

HOW LONG HAVE YOU KNOWN THE APPLICANT? _____

CAPACITY? (ex. Student) _____

IS THE APPLICANT INDUSTRIOUS? YES NO

PLEASE EXPLAIN _____

SIGNATURE OF RECOMMENDER _____ DATE _____

RETURN TO:

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