



Alumni Scholarships for Undergrads

Scholarships for undergraduates funded by the Phillip Yin & Friends American Dream Foundation, and from the graduating classes of 1954, 1957, 1962

PHILLIP YIN & FRIENDS AMERICAN DREAM FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

FOUNDED ON THE BELIEF THAT EVERY STUDENT SHOULD HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO FULFILL THEIR EDUCATIONAL GOALS, 5 SCHOLARSHIPS OF \$1,000 EACH WILL BE OFFERED THIS YEAR.

Eligibility:

- Currently enrolled undergraduate students at UW in spring 2017.
- Be able to demonstrate passion and purpose, civic engagement and leadership, strong communication skills, and
- Provide a compelling story told in both an essay and a video describing why the American dream is important to you.

Application Materials:

- A 500 word (maximum) Statement of Purpose describing why the American dream is important to you,
- A two-minute (maximum) video introduction describing what you plan to change in the world and what you need from a University education to help you achieve your plans for change.
- A completed [UW Personal Release Form](#) to allow the viewing and sharing of your video, if selected.
- Resume or CV, and
- Unofficial transcripts.

Deadline: April 19, 2017

Details, instructions, tips, and scholar bios:

<http://expd.uw.edu/expo/scholarships/pyfadv>

Online application:

<https://expo.uw.edu/expo/apply/465>.

CLASS OF 1954 ACHIEVEMENT SCHOLARSHIP

SUPPORTING JUNIORS & SENIORS WHO, BY THEIR ACHIEVEMENTS & GOALS, ENRICH SOCIETY & THEMSELVES.

Eligibility:

- Juniors and seniors as of autumn quarter 2016 (graduating seniors are eligible if enrolled full time in spring 2017),
- Have a 3.3 minimum grade point average,
- Financial need as indicated by the Financial Aid Office, and
- Able to demonstrate involvement in and relevance of extra-curricular activities to their academic, career and/or professional goals. Activities can be study abroad and study or work in communities of need including research, internships, leadership or other experiential activities. A plus factor will be for those students who have arranged such experiences with a partner agency sharing support.

Application Materials:

- A brief project statement (300 words max).
- A personal statement of 800 words or less further describing your extra-curricular activities and their relevance to your academic, career and/or professional goals.
- Two letters of recommendation: at least one from a faculty member who has taught you, and at least one that supports your extra-curricular or experiential learning activity.
- Resume or CV, and
- Unofficial transcripts.

Deadline: April 6, 2017

Details, instructions, tips, and scholar bios:

<http://expd.uw.edu/expo/scholarships/UWClassof1954>

Online application:

<https://expo.uw.edu/expo/apply/464>.

CLASS OF 1957 SCHOLAR AWARD

SUPPORTING SOPHOMORES, JUNIORS & SENIORS WHO DEMONSTRATE HIGH ACADEMIC MERIT AND FINANCIAL NEED.

Eligibility:

- Sophomores, juniors or seniors as of autumn quarter 2016; graduating seniors are not eligible unless they intend to enroll as a full-time student summer or fall quarter 2017;
- Have a 3.3 minimum grade point average;
- Financial need as indicated by the Financial Aid Office; and
- Able to demonstrate academic merit through involvement in experiential learning activities relevant to their academic, career and/or professional goals. Appropriate activities can be research, internships, study abroad or other experiential learning activities.

Application Materials:

- A personal statement of 800 words or less describing your academic merit as indicated by your involvement in activities relevant to your academic course work, career and/or professional goals.
- Two letters of recommendation: at least one from a faculty member who has taught you.
- Resume or CV, and
- Unofficial transcripts.

Deadline: April 6, 2017

Details, instructions, tips, and scholar bios:

<http://expd.uw.edu/expo/scholarships/Classof1957Award>

Online application:

<https://expo.uw.edu/expo/apply/461>.

CLASS OF 1962 ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP

SUPPORTING UNDERGRADUATES WITH DEMONSTRATED ACADEMIC MERIT, LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE WHO MAY NOT QUALIFY FOR FINANCIAL AID BUT FOR WHOM THE COST OF ATTENDING UW POSES SIGNIFICANT FINANCIAL CHALLENGES.

Eligibility:

- Freshmen, sophomores, juniors and non-graduating seniors (seniors are not eligible unless they intend to enroll as full-time students in at least summer or fall quarter 2017),
- Washington State residents,
- Have a 3.3 minimum GPA,
- Demonstrate academic merit, leadership and service, and
- Students who don't qualify for most (or any) forms of free financial aid, must take out student loans and work full- or part-time to support their education, and for whom the cost of attending the UW poses significant financial challenges.

Application Materials:

- Personal Statement (800 words) describing your academic interests, leadership and service experiences, and the relevance of those experiences to your future goals. Also discuss what your education will help you to accomplish for your community or communities within Washington State.
- A brief description (300 words) describing how you balance school, work, and other commitments.
- A copy of your FAFSA or WASFA Student Aid Report confirming your Expected Family Contribution (other forms of documentation confirming your loan debt or otherwise demonstrating your unmet financial need are accepted).
- Two letters of recommendation: at least one from a faculty member who has taught you, and at least one letter supporting your leadership and/or service.
- Resume or CV, and
- Unofficial transcripts.

Deadline: April 6, 2017

Details, instructions, tips, and scholar bios:

<http://expd.uw.edu/expo/scholarships/Classof1962>

Online application:

<https://expo.uw.edu/expo/apply/462>.