

## Merit Based Scholarship

Scholarships are awarded primarily on the basis of students' cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) from their last completed quarter with City University of Seattle (CityU), with some consideration to the written essay and academic potential. Scholarship applications are kept confidential. Contents will be shared only with appropriate CityU personnel. U.S., Canadian and International Student Office (ISO) students are eligible to apply for Merit Based Scholarships. All award amounts are applied to tuition only.

Applications are reviewed and awarded for each of the four quarters of the Academic Year from July 1<sup>st</sup> through June 30<sup>th</sup>. Merit awards are not available to U.S. candidates for the Summer quarter. Complete applications must be received by the Financial Aid Office by the following deadline dates:

- Summer Quarter Attendance (July): June 1
- Fall Quarter Attendance (October): September 1
- Winter Quarter Attendance (January): December 1
- Spring Quarter Attendance (April): March 1

Incomplete or late applications cannot be considered.

Applicants will be notified of awards via CityU email by:

- Summer Quarter Application: July 1
- Fall Quarter Application: October 1
- Winter Quarter Application: January 1
- Spring Quarter Application: April 1

### Application Requirements:

- CityU Scholarship Application Form
- Earned at least 40 undergraduate credits at CityU with a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 or at least 12 graduate credits at CityU with a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.75
- A word-processed personal statement (handwritten essays will not be accepted) of no more than (2) pages addressing the following **three** questions:
  1. Describe your most meaningful achievement and how it relates to your program and your future goals.
  2. How has your education contributed to who you are today?
  3. Why are you a good candidate to receive this award?
- Professional resume
- Unofficial copy of your current CityU transcript (available from the my.cityu.edu Student Portal)

## MERIT BASED SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

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FINANCIAL AID OFFICE

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID #: \_\_\_\_\_

Program of Study: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Choose which term this application is applying to:

Summer Quarter       Fall Quarter       Winter Quarter       Spring Quarter

Please note: a student must submit a new scholarship application for each term of consideration

Be sure to complete the entire application. Applications cannot be considered unless all blanks and requirements are completed. Please insert "N/A" in each blank that does not apply to you. Scholarship applications are kept confidential. Contents will be shared only with appropriate City University of Seattle personnel. City University of Seattle has the right to verify the accuracy of the information provided within this scholarship application. Tuition-specific educational assistance from other sources will be considered before scholarship funds are disbursed to an awarded student. ISO students are only eligible to apply for Merit Based awards.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Please note: a typed signature will not be accepted.**

City University of Seattle Scholarship Application and all required documents should be returned as a completed packet via postal mail, email, or fax to:

### POSTAL MAIL

City University of Seattle  
Financial Aid Office  
Attn: Scholarship Committee  
521 Wall St., Ste 100  
Seattle, WA 98121

### EMAIL

[Scholarships@cityu.edu](mailto:scholarships@cityu.edu)

### FAX

206.239.4544