

# University Scholarship Application



For Continuing/Currently Enrolled  
Undergraduate Students  
(pursuing first bachelor degree)

**Deadline: March 15, 2018**

(by 5pm EST)

*Return this completed application and supporting documents to*

*In-Person: Service EMU (McKenny Hall or Student Center)*

*Email: [fa\\_scholarships@emich.edu](mailto:fa_scholarships@emich.edu) or Fax: 734.487.4281*

# Application Requirements

Only **complete** applications will be considered. Complete applications include a ONE PAGE essay and letter of recommendation which must be submitted together. Applications must be submitted prior to close of business on the application deadline. Late or incomplete applications will not be considered for an award.

Applications will be evaluated for all the scholarship programs listed below. Recipients will be awarded the scholarship that is most financially advantageous. **Meeting the minimum requirements as listed below does not guarantee an award.** Awards are dependent on the availability of funding and will be made in competitive rank order. **All applicants will be notified by email by the end of June 2018.**

## The following scholarships are for current undergraduate students completing their first degree

- **TRUEMU Scholarship**, \$1,000-\$2,500 annual award - A minimum EMU cumulative GPA of 3.5 is required for consideration. Recipients must enroll in a minimum 12 credit hours each semester. Recipients of other renewable University scholarships (see list below) are NOT eligible for this scholarship in addition to their current EMU scholarship. **If your current renewable university scholarship is \$2500+ you do not need to submit this application as it is unlikely you would be awarded any additional funding.**
- **Leader Award**, \$1,000 annual award - A minimum EMU cumulative GPA of 2.5 and significant, outstanding leadership involvement in clubs or organizations at EMU required. Recipients must enroll full time. This is a one-year award, students may re-apply each year.
- **Endowed Scholarships**, Award amounts will vary - In general, a minimum EMU cumulative GPA of 3.0 is required for consideration. Endowed scholarships do not renew, students must re-apply each year.

**Special Note! Students may receive only one award from the following scholarship programs:**

*Presidential, Regents Gold, Academic Team, Wade McCree, International Partnership\*, Regents, Recognition of Excellence, TRUEMU, Emerald, or EFOS Scholarships.*

\*Students in an International Partnership Agreement are not eligible for additional University scholarships per the terms of the Agreement(s).

## Limitations for Renewable Scholarships

To determine your semesters of scholarship eligibility:

<u>EMU + transfer earned credits as of Winter 2018</u>	<u>Semesters of Eligibility</u>
0-55 earned credit hours	6 semesters
56-83 earned credit hours	4 semesters
84+ earned credit hours	2 semesters

\*\*Current scholarship recipients are not eligible for university scholarships after 4 years/124 credit hours.\*\*

**If you have reached your maximum semesters of eligibility as a previous scholarship recipient, your eligibility period will not be extended. You may be considered for endowed funding only in special circumstances. Please detail these circumstances in your essay.**

## Need-Based Aid (FAFSA) and other Scholarship Opportunities

- Although all of the above scholarships are not directly based on financial need, financial need will be considered when making awards. Though not required, you are strongly encouraged to complete the 2018-19 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). The 2018-19 FAFSA became available at [www.fafsa.gov](http://www.fafsa.gov) on October 1, 2017.
- You should also review the website for the college and/or department of your major and/or minor to inquire about their endowed scholarship funding and application processes. [www.emich.edu/finaid/scholarships.php](http://www.emich.edu/finaid/scholarships.php)

**\*\*Please keep this information sheet for your records.\*\***



