

# Scholarship Awards

**DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION SUBMISSION is March 12, 2018.**

There is one application for all four scholarships, you will be considered for any which you are eligible. In addition to specific eligibility requirements for each scholarship, recipients must show promise of distinction in their chosen field and demonstrate service to the University or the community at large. Scholarship awards are between \$500 and \$1000. See below for scholarship descriptions.

## [Download Application for 2018-2019 Award](#)

The Women's Association is proud of its scholarship support to EMU's students. Four types of awards are presented annually:

1. EMU Women's Association Endowed Scholarship
  - The principal of the endowment is preserved in perpetuity and scholarships are provided from the interest income.
  - Eligibility Requirements: An undergraduate student must be a full-time junior or senior with an EMU G.P.A. of 3.0 or higher and demonstrate financial need.
2. EMU Women's Association Merit Award for Outstanding Scholarship
  - The funding for this award comes from a portion of membership dues, donations, and fundraisers.
  - Eligibility Requirements: An undergraduate student must be a full-time junior or senior with an EMU G.P.A. of 3.5 or higher.
3. EMU Wives & Associates Scholarship
  - The principal of this endowed scholarship is preserved in perpetuity and scholarships are provided from the interest income.
  - Eligibility Requirements: An undergraduate student may be a full-time or part-time sophomore, junior, or senior with an EMU G.P.A. of 2.5 or higher and demonstrate financial need.
4. EMU Women's Association Graduate Endowed Scholarship
  - The principal of this endowed scholarship is preserved in perpetuity and scholarships are provided from the interest income.
  - Eligibility Requirements: A graduate student, admitted to a graduate program, may be full-time or part-time with an EMU G.P.A. of 3.0 or higher.

Please Note:

- You can receive only one scholarship per year.
- Each of the scholarships can be received only once.
- **Double check all award requirements to be sure you are eligible to apply.**

For further information, contact the President of the EMU Women's Association, Brooke Boyst at 734.487.2566 or [bboyst@emich.edu](mailto:bboyst@emich.edu).



## **EMU Women's Association Scholarships**

### **Fall 2018/Winter 2019 Award**

#### **Women's Association Merit Award for Outstanding Scholarship**

Junior or senior, registered full-time, Fall 2018 and Winter 2019  
EMU G.P.A of 3.5 or higher

#### **Women's Association Endowed Scholarship**

Junior or senior, registered full-time, Fall 2018 and Winter 2019  
EMU G.P.A. of 3.0 or higher

#### **Wives and Associates Endowed Scholarship**

Sophomore, Junior or Senior, registered full-time or part-time, Fall 2018 and Winter 2019  
EMU G.P.A of 2.5 or higher

#### **Women's Association Graduate Scholarship**

Graduate student admitted to a program, registered full-time or part-time, Fall 2018 and Winter 2019  
EMU G.P.A of 3.0 or higher

#### **Applications are judged on:**

1. The quality and strength of the personal statement.
2. Two required references.

Submit all application materials by **5:00 p.m. Monday, March 12, 2018** to

Brooke Boyst  
EMU Women's Association Scholarship Committee  
200 Halle Library  
Eastern Michigan University  
Ypsilanti MI 48197

Or submit electronically to:  
bboyst@emich.edu

#### **Announcement and Receipt of the Awards**

- Applicants will be notified of the Scholarship Committee's decision after **Monday, April 9, 2018.**
- Federal regulations require that total aid be equally split between two semesters. The scholarship will be added to your Financial Aid account at the beginning of the Fall 2018 and Winter 2019 semesters.
- Recipients are invited to attend the Women's Association Fall Reception given in their honor. Invitations will be sent out in September 2018. Family and friends are invited.

Please include the following in your application:

\_\_\_\_\_ **APPLICATION FORM AND REFERENCES**

1. Complete the Application Form
2. Include the names and contact information for two references.
  - One from a faculty member within your major field.
  - One from another faculty or staff member
  - Confirm that each reference is aware that they are listed as your reference for this application
  - Reference letters not required.

\_\_\_\_\_ **AUTHORIZATION FORMS**

1. Financial Aid Form will allow the committee to review your student financial information in the Financial Aid Office.
2. EMU GPA Verification Form will allow the committee to verify actual grade point average.

\_\_\_\_\_ **PERSONAL STATEMENT (Limit 1000 words)**

Prepare a personal statement emphasizing:

1. Your economic situation (why you need money).
2. Your achievements (home life, university, church, etc.).
3. Academic, vocational and community service experiences. (Include extra-curricular activities and indicate how your activities have made a difference in your life or in the lives of others.
4. Goals and future aspirations after completing your EMU degree.

## EMU Women's Association Scholarships Application

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Student Number \_\_\_\_\_

Local Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address (Where you can be reached May through August)

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

College Hours Completed \_\_\_\_ Cumulative EMU G.P.A. \_\_\_\_ Current Course Load \_\_\_\_\_

Rank:      Freshman      Sophomore      Junior      Senior      Graduate Student

Degree(s) Sought \_\_\_\_\_

Major(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Minor(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Concentrations(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a transfer student? \_\_\_\_ If yes, when did you transfer to EMU? \_\_\_\_\_

Other institutions attended: \_\_\_\_\_

### **REFERENCES**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Department: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Department: \_\_\_\_\_

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

# AUTHORIZATION FORMS

## Financial Aid Verification

In order to process your application form, we need your permission to contact the Financial Aid Office and request verification of your financial need.

Please read the authorization statement and sign below, indicating that you agree to permit the Financial Aid Office to review your files and to share the information with the committee.

I hereby agree to allow the Financial Aid Office to review my files and to share the information with the EMU Women's Association Scholarship Committee.

Signature\_\_\_\_\_

Print Name\_\_\_\_\_

Student Number\_\_\_\_\_

Date\_\_\_\_\_

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## EMU GPA Verification

In order to process your application form, we need your permission to contact the Records and Registration Office and verify your EMU GPA.

Please read the authorization statement and sign below, indicating that you agree to permit the Records and Registration Office to review your files and to share the information with the committee.

I hereby agree to allow the Records and Registration Office to permit the Records and Registration Office to review your files and to share the information with the Women's Association Scholarship Committee.

Signature\_\_\_\_\_

Print Name\_\_\_\_\_

Student Number\_\_\_\_\_

Date\_\_\_\_\_