

**Southwestern College
United Methodist Ministry Scholarship**



The SC United Methodist Ministry Scholarship Program offers students who are members of the United Methodist Church and are pursuing ministry as a career to receive a \$1000/year scholarship in addition to participating in the United Methodist Ministry Scholars Program.

Requirements:

- Membership in a United Methodist Church
- 3.0 GPA
- Intention to enter some form of vocational ministry (local church, missions, youth ministry, music ministry, etc.)
- Taking either the Discipleship Southwestern or Worship Outreach activity grant

In addition to the scholarship, members of the SC United Methodist Ministry Scholarship Program will participate in the following opportunities:

- Attendance at the SC United Methodist Ministry Scholarship dinner.
- Meet with a “Ministry Coach” 6 times a year in person or via Skype for ministry discernment purposes.
- Interaction with Philosophy and Religion department lecturers during the three annual lectures.
- A scholarship to attend Church of the Resurrection Leadership Institute (or comparable event) one year.
- Guidance in selection of a summer or school ministry internship.
- Paying the application fee for 1 seminary of your choice.

This scholarship is renewable for up to 3 years (for a total of 4 years) contingent upon maintaining a GPA of 3.0, retaining membership in a United Methodist Church, affiliation with a local UMC, and maintaining a major or minor in a ministry-related discipline.

The application is due on February 1, 2014 and should be sent to:

Rev. Ashlee Alley
100 College St
Winfield, KS 67156

Any questions should be submitted to Rev. Alley, Ashlee.Alley@sckans.edu, or 620-229-6362.

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Full Name _____

Social Security # _____ Date of birth ___/___/___ () Male () Female

Permanent Mailing Address _____
Street Address/PO Box *City* *State* *Zip*

Are you a U.S. citizen or Permanent Resident () Yes () No

Email Address _____

() Married () Single Clergy Dependant () Yes () No Current cumulative GPA _____

Classification during scholarship year: () Freshman () Sophomore () Junior () Senior

Enrolled or enrolling full time for the fall? () Yes () No Degree working toward (e.g.) BA, BS) _____

Major course of study: _____ Expected Grad. Date _____

Ethnic Group: () African American () Asian () Caucasian () Hispanic
() Native American () Pacific Islander () Biracial () Other

Please indicate the ethnic community with which you most closely identify _____

Please complete the following information on your United Methodist Church Membership

Date of confirmation/membership vows with The United Methodist Church _____/_____
Month *Year*

Name of the United Methodist Church where you are a member

Complete mailing address for your church

Annual Conference in which the church is located: _____

Brief Essay: In an attached essay, please make a general statement that details your philosophy of life, religious development, and what influenced you in selecting your career goal. Give any additional information that might be helpful.

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