



Scholarships Offered through the College of Arts and Sciences Georgia Southwestern State University

AGNES E. AGERTON SCHOLARSHIP

This endowed scholarship was created by Dr. Millard Ager-ton, former GSW Science Professor, to honor the memory of his sister Agnes, a Professor of English at GSW from 1966 to 1976. The recipient must be a full-time student majoring in English, Junior or Senior status, with a minimum GPA of 2.5.

DANIEL D. ARDEN, JR. SCIENCE SCHOLARSHIP

The science faculty established this scholarship to honor Daniel Arden, a former science professor at GSW. The scholarship is awarded to geo-science majors, either Freshmen or transfer students, who have a GPA of 3.0, with consideration given to SAT scores as well as curricula taken while in high school and/or college.

IRIS ARGO SCHOLARSHIP

This endowed scholarship is in memory of Dr. Iris Stewart Argo, an alumnus and Professor of English at GSW for more than thirty years. Dr. Argo was also an accomplished author. Recipients must be English majors with a minimum GPA of 3.0.

HUGH D. CARTER, JR. BIOLOGY SCHOLARSHIP

The Courts Foundation of Atlanta, Georgia, provided funds for a biology scholarship to be awarded to students who have completed 30 semester hours of biology course work.

DORMINY SCHOLARSHIP

The John Henry Dorminy Foundation provided funds for the this music scholarship. The award is offered to music majors with strong academic standards.

C.K. EWING SCHOLARSHIP

The C. K. Ewing Scholarship was established in honor of Charles "Chick" Ewing, a Professor of Biology at GSW for thirty-four years. This award is for students majoring in pre-medicine, biology or nursing at GSW. Criteria are academic excellence, financial need, and professional potential.

TAMMY LEE FORTNER SCHOLARSHIP

The family of Tammy Lee Fortner in Columbus, Georgia, established this endowed Scholarship in memory of their daughter. Applicants must be majors of either Fine Arts, Psychology or Sociology. Special consideration is given to students who demonstrate an interest or talent in the use of arts in human services such as art therapy, recreational therapy, occupational therapy, and music therapy.

ALBERT PETERSON SCHOLARSHIP

Former Professor of Chemistry at GSW, Dr. Dowe Carter, established an endowed scholarship to honor her brother, Major Albert Peterson. The Peterson Scholarship is available to students who have completed 15 semester hours in science and math at GSW. Criteria for determining recipients include overall GPA and the student's Science and Math GPA.

J. FRED POWER SCHOLARSHIP

The family and friends of J. Fred Power, a former Professor of English at GSW, established this endowment to honor his devotion to the students he taught for thirty-seven years. Awarded annually to a non-traditional GSW student who is in good academic standing.

BETTIE TOLSON RHYNE SCHOLARSHIP

Claude L. Rhyne, Ph.D. of Americus, GA, established this memorial scholarship to honor his wife. This scholarship is for a graduate student who is pursuing a master's degree in reading. If there is no graduate student who applies in this field of study, consideration will be given to a student or students in the Masters Degree Program in Computer Science.

BETTIE & CLAUDE L. RHYNE, JR. SCHOLARSHIP

The family of Bettie and Claude Rhyne, Jr. created this scholarship for upper-class or graduate students majoring in Biology who have a 3.0 GPA.

PAUL A. RHYNE SCHOLARSHIP

Claude A. Rhyne established this memorial scholarship as a tribute to his son Paul who demonstrated a love for the arts, especially instrumental ensembles. This scholarship is awarded to a student in good standing who is enrolled in a band and/or instrumental performance course at GSW.

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Non-Scholarship Funding Available

VIVIAN SCHILD SCHOLARSHIP

Established by alumnus Sandra Blaylock Gillis ('69) this scholarship award is offered to a female chemistry major, after completion of 12 semester hrs. of chemistry, based upon the highest sum of overall GPA, Science and Math GPA, and Chemistry GPA.

L. R. TOWSON SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship was established by alumnus Paul Pitts who credits Dr. L. R. Towson, Professor of Chemistry at GSW 1929-1942, for his successful career. Available to a junior or senior science major with a minimum 2.5 GPA, after completion of 10-18 semester hours respectively in Chemistry.



CHARLES STEPHEN COFER FUND FOR SUPPORT OF STUDENT RESEARCH

This restricted fund was established by Dr. and Mrs. Harland E. Cofer, Jr. and family in honor of their son Charles. The purpose of this fund is to support the research needs of students majoring in sciences and mathematics. A preference will be given to students researching environmental issues. Support could include, but is not limited to, funds for travel for research purposes, travel to professional meetings and research equipment

THE MATTIE MCNEIL MCKISSACK FUND FOR ART, MUSIC AND LITERATURE

This fund was created in 1990 through a bequest from the estate of Mrs. Ruth M. Johnson who taught English and Music at GSW. The funds are to be used to support the Arts at Georgia Southwestern State University. At the University President's discretion, these funds may be used to support and recognize student and faculty studies and achievements in Art, Music, and Literature. Submit requests to the University President. Available for the Fall of 2010.

***RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THESE SCHOLARSHIPS
ARE MADE BY THE
FACULTY OF THE APPROPRIATE SCHOOL.***

***THESE SCHOLARSHIPS ARE AWARDED
BY THE
DEAN OF ARTS & SCIENCES
UPON THE RECOMMENDATION OF
THE SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE.***

***APPLICATIONS ARE AVAILABLE
IN THE OFFICE OF
THE DEAN OF ARTS & SCIENCES***

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION IS FEB. 15TH

***ALL SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS
ARE BASED ON FUND AVAILABILITY.***