



Scholarships Offered through the School of Nursing Georgia Southwestern State University

SHANNON PEAVY KNOPE SCHOLARSHIP

This Memorial Scholarship was created by Shannon's parents as a lasting tribute to their daughter who was tragically killed in an automobile accident. The awards are in the amount of \$500 per year and are available to second year nursing majors who are in good academic standing at GSW. Preference is given to Houston County, Georgia, residents.

LOVEDA POWELL MCNAIR MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Brenda Hunter Browning, ASN, an alumna of GSW's School of Nursing ('64), established this scholarship in memory of her friend and former classmate. The recipient must be enrolled in the School of Nursing and a resident of the State of Georgia.

FRANCES PATRICK SCHOLARSHIP

The Frances Wynn Patrick Scholarship was established in honor of Mrs. Patrick, Class of 1942, by her husband Carl, founder of Carmike Cinemas in Columbus, Georgia. It is available to nursing students of good standing and covers tuition and fees for nursing supplies. Recipients must re-apply each year.

J. EMORY RYLANDER SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship was established by the family of J. Emory Rylander, founder of The Tog Shop in Americus, Ga. Recipients must be enrolled full-time in the School of Nursing, possess high academic standards, and demonstrate commitment and good moral character at GSW and in the community. The award covers a year of tuition and \$500 for nursing supplies.

HERSCHEL A. SMITH SCHOLARSHIP

The Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia honored Dr. Herschel Smith, GSW's first campus infirmary physician, by naming the GSW infirmary "The Herschel A. Smith Health Center." Dr. Smith was instrumental in creating the nursing program at Georgia Southwestern. The award is offered to non-traditional nursing students of good academic standing with a GPA of 3.0.

JOAN SMITH SCHOLARSHIP

This award was established by Dr. Joan Smith, a former Professor of Nursing at GSW, to encourage career development in nursing. This is a one year scholarship offered to undergraduate nursing students in need who possess a GPA of 3.0 and are enrolled in 6 hours per semester. Activities, and leadership qualities are also considered.

ARD WATSON SCHOLARSHIP

The Ard Watson Scholarship Fund was created by his family to honor Mr. Watson, former Director of Clinical Labs at Sumter Regional Hospital, to encourage career development in nursing or other healthcare fields. Consideration is given to residents of Sumter County, Georgia, with a minimum GPA of 2.85.

WHEELER/PARKER SCHOLARSHIP

The Wheeler/Parker Scholarship was established by Jean and Wes Wheeler as an endowment to honor the Parker and Wheeler families. The criterion gives consideration to students who have financial need and meet GSW admission standards. This scholarship will be awarded by the School of Business in odd years and the School of Nursing in even years.

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

*THESE SCHOLARSHIPS ARE AWARDED
BY THE
DEAN OF THE SCHOOL OF NURSING
UPON THE RECOMMENDATION OF
THE SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE.*

*APPLICATIONS ARE AVAILABLE
IN THE OFFICE OF
THE SCHOOL OF NURSING*

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION IS FEB. 15TH

*ALL SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS
ARE BASED ON FUND AVAILABILITY.*

ROSALYNN CARTER INSTITUTE FOR CAREGIVING

The Rosalynn Carter Institute for Caregiving (RCI) awards fellowships and scholarships for undergraduate and graduate students. These are available through a generous endowment to the RCI from John and Betty Pope. Awards are given to GSW students who are studying in caregiving-related areas or are working on caregiving projects that address the mission of the RCI.

**Contact the RCI at 229-928-1234
or visit their website www.rosalynncarter.org
for more information or to obtain an application.
Awarded by RCI Scholarship Committee.**



SCHOOL OF NURSING SCHOLARSHIPS

Applications for these scholarships can be obtained from the Student Services Coordinator in the School of Nursing via phone or email at 229-931-2239 or son@canes.gsw.edu. Nursing scholarships applications will become available in January of each year and reviewed during April. The funds will be allocated for the next academic year after the review is conducted.

1. FRANCES PATRICK SCHOLARSHIP

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2. SHANNON PEAVY KNOPE SCHOLARSHIP

Memorial scholarships in the amount of \$500 per year available to second year nursing majors who are in good academic standing at Georgia Southwestern, with preference given to Houston County, Georgia residents.

3. LOVEDA POWELL MCNAIR MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Brenda Hunter Browning, ASN, an alumna of GSW's School of Nursing ('64), established this scholarship in memory of her friend and former classmate, Loveda Powell McNair. The recipient must be enrolled in the School of Nursing and be a resident of the State of Georgia. Selection will be made by the Faculty Scholarship Selection Committee of the School of Nursing.

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