

Graduate Studies Academic Achievement Scholarship Application

Deadline: July 30th for Fall 2016 & November 30th for Spring 2017

Scholarships are awarded on a trimester basis (Fall, Spring, and Summer)

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants must have been admitted to a UNT Dallas master's degree program or have a completed application file. Applicants who will be first-time graduate students should, at a minimum, have a 2.80 or higher overall GPA or a 3.00 or higher GPA on the last 60 hours of coursework leading to the bachelor's degree.

Applicants who have completed UNT Dallas graduate-level coursework must have a 3.50 GPA on a minimum of 9 credit hours of UNT Dallas graduate-level work and must submit an approved degree plan.

All applicants should have a strong academic profile, including but not limited to GRE scores (if required by the program), work experience, application essay, professional resume, undergraduate GPA, and graduate GPA, if applicable.

Applicants must be pursuing their first graduate or professional degree program. UNT Dallas students who have exhausted the semester limit of a previous scholarship may not apply for another scholarship should they enroll in additional credit hours or pursue an additional certification or degree program.

SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS:

- A completed and signed Graduate Studies Academic Achievement Scholarship Application.
- A current resume/CV (3 pages or less) including name, address, email address, education (degrees or special certifications), professional experience, special recognitions, scholarship awards, articles or presentations, selected community activity, and other information pertinent to the desired degree.
- A statement of personal history and career goals.

Please tell the selection committee about your personal history as it relates to your motivation and opportunities for obtaining a graduate degree. Please provide a description of your career goals and aspirations and the role that a graduate degree will play in achieving your goals. Include your reason for choosing UNT Dallas to help you achieve these goals. Essay must be two pages in length, double spaced, with a cover page included. Essay must be written in APA format.

SCHOLARSHIP TERMS:

The Scholarship Committee will ensure students meet the following criteria to remain eligible for the award: be enrolled in a minimum of 6 credit hours per semester in UNT Dallas courses that fall within your approved degree plan and maintain a cumulative GPA of 3.500 or better.

DEADLINES:

To start the application process for this scholarship, minimally your Apply Texas application for admission into a master's degree program must first be on file with the Office of Graduate Admissions. To receive full consideration for the scholarship, your application file to the master's program must be complete; and you must have filled out a scholarship application and submitted all required supporting documents for the scholarship on or before **July 30th for the fall terms** and **November 30th for the spring terms**.

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UNT Dallas Graduate Program of Interest:

- MBA (Business Administration)
- M.Ed. in Clinical Mental Health Counseling
- M.Ed. in Counseling – School Counseling
- M.S. in Criminal Justice
- M.Ed. in Curriculum & Instruction
- M.Ed. in Educational Leadership
- M.S. in Public Leadership

DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ MI: _____

Student ID: _____ Date of Birth: ____/____/____ Phone Number: (____) _____ - _____

Address: _____

City	State	ZIP

Email Address: _____

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

Undergraduate Institution: _____ Undergraduate Degree: _____

Undergraduate Major: _____ Graduation Year: _____ Cumulative Undergraduate GPA: _____

Master’s Degree Institution: _____ Degree/Major: _____ Graduation Year: _____

Have you already been accepted? Yes No When is your first semester? _____

Anticipated Graduation Date: _____ Full Time Part Time

Have you applied for federal financial aid? Yes No

RETURNING STUDENTS ONLY

Returning students only please indicate your current cumulative graduate GPA: _____

When was your first semester of enrollment at UNT Dallas? _____



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EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Please list your employer: _____

Will you be working while you attend graduate school at UNT Dallas? Full time Part time Not working

Will you be receiving tuition reimbursement from your employer? Yes No

ACADEMIC HONORS/ACCOLADES *(List memberships, awards, honorary societies, prizes/awards, Dean’s List, scholarships, articles, presentations, special recognitions, etc.)*

OUTSIDE INTERESTS *(Community activities, mission work, volunteer opportunities)*
