Graduate Counseling Program

Scholarship Application Packet

Available Scholarships

To be considered for one of the following scholarships, an application for admissions to the graduate counseling program and all necessary paperwork for admission must be on file prior to the scholarship deadline.

Academic

Applicants planning to enroll as full-time students (9-12 credit hours) to the Graduate Counseling Program may qualify for \$1,000 each semester. Two new awards will be made yearly. This is a competitive requiring an undergraduate GPA of at least 3.50 on a 4.00 scale. Decisions will be based on evidence academic scholarship, a written statement of professional goals, evidence of research experience, a written statement of faith, and written recommendations. Graduate Record Exam quantitative and verbal scores will also be considered. A renewal application must be submitted each year in April. Continued eligibility is possible by maintaining a 3.50 remaining at a student status, and continuing as a student in good standing throughout their graduate program.

Servant-Leadership

Applicants planning to enroll as full-time students (9-12 credit hours) to the Graduate Counseling Program may qualify for \$1,000 each semester. Two new awarded will be made yearly. This is a competitive scholarship requiring an undergraduate GPA of at least 3.25 on a 4.00 scale. Applicants should be able to show evidence of exceptional skills and a passion for the field of counseling. Decisions will be based on evidence of experience in the field of counseling, a written statement of professional goals, a written statement of faith, and written recommendations. A renewal application must be submitted each year in April. Continued eligibility is possible by maintaining a 3.25 GPA, remaining at a full-time student status, and continuing as a student in good throughout their graduate program.

IWU-Graduate Counseling

An undergraduate student from Indiana Wesleyan University who has been accepted as a full-time student (9-12 hours) and begins coursework within one year after graduation from IWU will qualify for \$1,000 each year (\$500 per semester). This is a renewable scholarship requiring the applicants to maintain a 3.25 GPA, remain a full-time student and to continue as a student in good throughout their Graduate Counseling program. A renewal application must be submitted each year in April.

Clinic Assistantship

Applicants planning to enroll as full-time students (9-12 credit hours) to the Graduate Counseling Program may qualify for a one-half tuition grant to be awarded to one student per year at each campus. The assistantship requires 15 hours per week to be served in the Graduate Counseling clinic as an office and clinic assistant. This is a competitive scholarship requiring the applicant to have an undergraduate GPA of at least 3.25. Decisions will be based on computer and clerical skills, people skills, and an ability to manage multiple tasks. Applicant must also submit a written statement of faith and provide written recommendations.

Research Assistantship

Applicants planning to enroll as full-time students (9-12 credit hours) to the Graduate Counseling Program may qualify for a one-half tuition grant to be awarded to one student per year at each campus. The research assistantship requires 15 hours per week to be served in the Graduate Counseling clinic as a research assistant to the counseling faculty. This is a competitive scholarship requiring the applicant to have an undergraduate GPA of at least 3.25. Decisions will be based on writing and computer skills, and an understanding of research design and statistics. Applicant must also submit a written statement of faith and provide written recommendations.

Financial Aid

Low interest government sponsored educational loans may also be available for graduate students. For more information on student loans, please contact the Office of Graduate Admissions or Financial Aid.

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Directions: \underline{All} interested applicants must complete $\underline{Part\ A}$ of this application. Once $\underline{Part\ A}$ is completed, the applicant should then complete the portion of the application that correlates with the desired scholarship(s). Check the scholarship(s) for which you are applying. Only one scholarship will be awarded.

PART A (all applicants):				
Check all that apply:	□Academic (blue)		☐Servant Leadership (green)	
	□IWU gradu	(0)	□Clinic (pink)	
	□Renewal of	f Scholarship (De	egree Audit Required)	
Please print. Applicants for renewe Full Name (include maiden name				
Address:				
City, State, Zip:				
Home Phone:		Work Pho	ne:	
Email address:		SSN:		
Date of application:		Expected enrolln	nent date:	
Date you submitted application	on for admission:			
GRE scores:	(verbal)		_ (quantitative)	(total)
List in chronological order	all college level in	stitutions attended.	. Indicate degrees grantea	or to be granted.
Official name of institution	City, State	Major/Minor	Comprehensive GPA	Date Completed
List activities that you feel have directly related to the scholarsh			s in graduate school. Give	e preference to those
Awards & Honors:				
Organizational Involvement: _				
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List leadership _j	positions that you feel have better pr	epared you for the field of counseling.	
List any volunte	eer positions that you feel have better	r prepared you for the field of counselin	ng.
recommendation	es. Note which references are requirens to our office by April 15. ervant-Leadership, Clinic)	rd for each scholarship and have your re	eferences mail the
Name	Address	Phone	Email
Professor (Acad	lemic)		
 Name	Address	Phone	Email
Professor (Acad	lemic)		
Name	Address	Phone	Email
Personal/Chara	acter Reference (Servant-Leadership,	IWU, Clinic)	
Name	Address	Phone	Email

Please thoroughly address the following and return your typewritten responses with your completed application.

- **1.** Written Statement of Professional Goals (1-2 pages)
- **2.** Written Statement of Faith (1-2 pages)
- **3.** Reason you are applying for this scholarship. Include your life and/or academic experiences that make you the best candidate for this scholarship.

Completed scholarship application and written materials are due by February 1.

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SCHOLARSHIP RECOMMENDATION FORM

(please make copies as needed)

Address:	
Home Phone:	Work Phone:
Email Address:	
My signature indicates that I v	vaive my right to review this recommendation before submission to IWU.

To be completed by Referent:

The above-named student is making application for a scholarship from the Graduate Counseling Program at Indiana Wesleyan University. Please assist us in becoming better acquainted with the qualifications of the applicant by thoroughly completing their recommendation form. Feel free to make additional comments in the area provided. In order to insure confidentiality, please return this form directly to Indiana Wesleyan University at the address below. The application deadline is April 1.

PLEASE CHECK THE RESPONSE THAT BEST DESCRIBES THE APPLICANT BASED ON THE (#) OF STUDENTS/EMPLOYEES YOU HAVE SUPERVISED IN THE LAST THREE (3) YEARS.

	Bottom 10%	Middle	Top 10%	Top 1%	Unable to evaluate
Writing Skills					
Formal Speaking					
Self-Motivation					
Creativity					
Integrity					
Perseverance					
Ability to work with others					
Potential for graduate work					
Motivational					
Visionary					
Humble					
Passionate					
Kind					
Applies theory to practice					
Evidence of leadership abilities					
Willingness to serve others					
Appreciation of diversity					
Successful leader					

SCHOLARSHIP RECOMMENDATION FORM (page 2)

	Bottom 10%	Middle	Top 10%	Top 1%	Unable to evaluate
Able to receive instruction					
Delegates effectively					
Confident					
Thinks conceptually					
Research competence					
Ethical					
Insightful					
Intelligent					
Writes concisely					

You are welcome to write a letter of support to include with this candidate's application.

Please return this for to the attention of:

INDIANA WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY • Division of Graduate Counseling 1900 West 50th Street • Marion, IN 46953 Phone: 800-895-0036 • (765) 677-2995 • Fax: (765) 677-2504 • Email: grns.office@indwes.edu

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ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP FORM

Name:	Date:	SSN:	
GPA:	Undergraduate	Major:	
		the area of your academic pr vritten responses with your c	
Summary of Experience	es:		
1. Academic:			
2. Research:			
3. Publications:			
4. Presentations:			
5. Other:			
6: What words would you	use to describe yourself	?	
7. Describe a learning exp	perience that has influence	ed your desire to be a cour	nselor.
8. What factors have mad	e it possible for you to ac	complish your academic s	success, thus far?
9. How have you balance	d education, family, frien	ds, faith and fun in your li	ife?

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SERVANT-LEADERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP FORM

Name:	Date:	SSN:	
GPA:	Undergraduate	Major:	
		the area of your academic preportiten responses with your cor	
Summary of Experienc	es (Provide a brief job description	n and the beginning and ending date	es for each position):
1. Leadership			
• Leadership positi	ons:		
• Volunteer experience	ences:		
2. Work			
• Work related to c	ounseling:		
• Multicultural exp	eriences:		
• Other employme	nt:		
3. What does it mean to	oe a servant-leader?		
4. Give a specific examp	le of how your leadership	has changed your world.	
5. List your personal cha	racteristics that best equip	you for leadership.	
6: Describe your persona	al short term and long term	goals of service.'	
7. Explain how a master	s degree in counseling wil	ll equip you for servant-lead	dership.

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GRADUATE ASSISTANTSHIP FORM

Name:	Date:	SSN:	
GPA:	Undergraduate		
		the area of your academic pr vritten responses with your c	
Summary of Experiences	:		
1. ClericalComputer skills:			
Research experience	e:		
• Clerical skills:			
Work Related to counseli	ng:		
Other employment			
3. List characteristics that	describe you as an emplo	oyee.	
4. Without revealing speci to keep a confidence. How			
5. Describe a situation requanaged describe your lea		ner workers. How would t	hose who you
6: What experiences have (SES) groups different from		eople from ethnic and soci	o-economic status