Indiana Wesleyan University
Diversity Leadership Award Fact Sheet

This scholarship is intended to attract college-bound students from underrepresented ethnic backgrounds to IWU in order to more closely reflect the Kingdom of God. Scholarship recipients should have proven leadership through their church, school, and/or community involvement. They should desire to use their college education to discover/strengthen their life calling, thus becoming a more effective leader, difference-maker, and world-changer.

SCHOLARSHIP AMOUNT
$4,000 - $20,000 total ($1,000 - $5,000 per year for four years)

ELIGIBILITY
To be eligible for consideration, the following criteria must be met:

- Be admitted (as a first time freshman) to Indiana Wesleyan University with a minimum GPA of 2.75
- Complete and submit the Diversity Leadership Application
- Demonstrate a record of leadership or active participation in church, community service, or extracurricular activities
- Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) by March 10, 2014
- Demonstrate financial need according to the FAFSA
- Be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident
- Possess a commitment to working with people from diverse ethnic backgrounds
  (Preference will be given to students from underrepresented minority populations)

RENEWAL
Scholarships are renewed (up to three years) as long as students fulfill the following:

- Maintain a minimum GPA of 2.75 per semester
- Remain in good standing with IWU's student conduct policy
- Become an active member of at least one student organization, preferably one which promotes cultural/ethnic diversity

DEADLINE
Candidates must submit their scholarship application by **February 15, 2014** in order to be considered for the scholarship.

NOTIFICATION
Scholarship award letters will be sent to selectees by mid-April.

SELECTION PROCESS
A Multicultural Scholarship Committee will review and award recipients. Awards are contingent upon availability of funds and strength of applicants. Selection will be determined by a combination of the following:

- Academic strength of applicant (GPA, test scores, etc.)
- Demonstrated leadership ability (as shown by school, church, or community involvement)
- Christian background/mission fit
- Financial need of student
- Timeliness of material submission