YOUNG ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP
for Graduate Students
2008-09

The University of Utah Young Alumni Board, composed of alumni who graduated from the U less than 15 years ago, sponsors scholarships for University of Utah graduate students. The committee will consider the student’s academic record; his/her commitment to fellow students, the University, and/or the community; and any special circumstances that may apply. Multiple scholarships may be awarded in the amount of $1,500 each.

We encourage all students who meet the following criteria to apply. Students must:

1. Have received undergraduate degree from the University of Utah
2. Be currently enrolled in a University of Utah graduate program
3. Have a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or greater

To apply for the scholarship, graduate students must:

1. Complete the attached form
2. Include a current, official transcript
3. Provide a current résumé
4. Include a written statement on goals
5. Include a one-page essay

Return the completed form, official transcript, résumé, goals statement, and essay (all single-sided, with applicant’s name at the top of each page) to:

Young Alumni Award/Scholarship Committee
c/o Alumni House
155 S. Central Campus Drive
Salt Lake City, UT 84112

Applications must be received no later than 5 p.m., Friday, February 29, 2008. If you become one of the finalists, it is requested that you be available for a personal interview on March 28. Recipients will be the Alumni Association’s guests at the Spring Awards Banquet on April 17, when the scholarship recipients will be acknowledged. If you have any questions, please contact Linda Morgan at 585-9012 or linda.morgan@alumni.utah.edu
The Young Alumni Board provides scholarships to University of Utah graduate students who will be enrolled or accepted into a University graduate program for the 2008-2009 academic year. Students must demonstrate academic excellence and a commitment to the University of Utah, fellow students, and/or the community.

The application deadline is **5 p.m., Friday, February 29, 2008.** Please return the application to the **Alumni House, 155 S. Central Campus Drive, Salt Lake City, UT 84112.** If you become a finalist, we ask that you be available for a personal interview on March 28. Please call Linda Morgan at 585-9012 if you have any questions. Please note that *all information is confidential.*

**SECTION I – General Information**

Name______________________________________________________

Address ____________________________

Street ____________ City ____________ State ____________ Zip ____________

Home Phone ____________ Work Phone ____________ Cell Phone ____________

E-mail Address: ____________________________________________

Where did you learn about the Young Alumni Graduate Scholarship?

__________________________________________________________

**SECTION II – Education**

Year Graduated ____________________________ Major ____________________________

Graduate Degree sought ________________________________________________

Cumulative GPA _______________________________________________________

**SECTION III – Goals**

Please submit a 200-word or less written statement outlining specific educational goals and personal philosophy.

**SECTION IV – Essay**

The mission of the University of Utah Young Alumni Board is to: 1) Sponsor and participate in events that benefit the community, the University, and University students; and 2) Establish meaningful relationships with other young alumni and the University community.

In a one-page essay, please explain your most meaningful work, community, or volunteer experience as a student at the University of Utah. Describe how the elements of our mission statement have been a part of your University experience.
SECTION V – Employment/Financial

Are you currently employed? ______ Employer: _____________________________

(Optional) Annual Income: _______________ other sources of income: ___________
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List all past, current, and known future scholarships or tuition waivers:

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Explain any special circumstances that should be considered:

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I hereby acknowledge that the Alumni Association has my approval to verify any information pertaining to this application with the University of Utah Registrar’s Office.

__________________________________________  _________________________
Signature  Student ID No.

Checklist

_______ Résumé  _______ Official Transcript  _______ Goals statement  _______ Essay
_______ Awards and involvement supporting materials  _______ Available for an interview

I have followed formatting instructions: 1) single-sided sheets; 2) applicant’s name at the top of each page.

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1/14/2008