

## **BACCALAUREATE ACADEMIC MERIT SCHOLARSHIP GUIDELINES**

The Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing offers a limited number of Academic Merit Scholarships covering half-tuition costs to qualified accepted students. The awards are made to those accepted applicants who, in the judgment of the faculty of the School of Nursing, have demonstrated academic excellence, leadership capabilities and extracurricular involvement. The Scholarship is renewable for each of the four semesters provided you remain in good academic standing at the School of Nursing and depending on availability of funds.

For BS to MSN applicants, the half-tuition award will cover the tuition for the Baccalaureate Program. Accepted students who elect to continue into the graduate portion of the program will have the opportunity to apply for merit based awards prior to enrolling in the Master's Program.

*To be **eligible** for the Academic Merit Scholarship, you must:*

- Apply for admission to the Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing Baccalaureate Program
- Have an outstanding academic record
- Have demonstrated leadership capabilities and extracurricular involvement

*To be **considered** for the Academic Merit Scholarship you must:*

- Complete the application for Merit Scholarship
- Submit a typed personal statement (maximum two double spaced pages) addressing the following:

*Describe how your leadership and extracurricular experiences have contributed to your career goals and how receiving an Academic Merit Scholarship from the Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing will assist in the continued pursuit of those goals.*

- Return both documents no later than **February 1**

*The **recipients** of the Academic Merit Scholarship will:*

- Remain in good academic standing
- Provide stewardship to the donor as requested by the Development Office. Stewardship may include activities such as thank you letters and attending a scholar/donor luncheon.

*The Academic Merit Scholarship Committee will notify the recipients of the Awards in March.*

## ACADEMIC MERIT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

- Please check one:
- Accelerated
  - Traditional
  - RN to BS
  - BS to MSN – Accelerated
  - BS to MSN – Traditional
  - BS to MSN – RN to BS

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

I have read the requirements and terms of the Academic Merit Scholarship and if awarded I agree to the conditions.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return **completed Application** along with your **essay**, no later than **February 1**, to one of the following:

Mail: The Academic Merit Scholarship Committee  
Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing  
Office of Admissions and Student Services  
Attn: Kasey Lambert  
525 North Wolfe Street, Suite 113  
Baltimore, Maryland 21205

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