

RHODES DUNLAP COLLEGIATE SCHOLARSHIP

Rhodes Dunlap Collegiate Scholarships of \$2,000 will be awarded to undergraduate students in the Colleges of Liberal Arts and Sciences, Business, Education, Engineering, and Nursing who have demonstrated outstanding academic performance and show promise of continued excellence. Recipients of the award will be selected by a faculty committee and recognized on Sunday, April 26, 2009 at the Honors Program Recognition Ceremony. **You may *not* apply for both the Rhodes Dunlap Collegiate award and either the first-year or the sophomore Rhodes Dunlap award.**

Please follow the checklist of application materials on page 2.

All materials, including the faculty letters, are due by 5:00 p.m. on or before Friday, January 30, 2009 at the University of Iowa Honors Program, 420 Blank Honors Center.

CHECKLIST OF APPLICATION MATERIALS

- **All application materials must be typed and include your name in the upper right-hand corner of each page.**
- **Please submit FOUR complete copies of your application (one original and three photocopies, collated in the order listed), each of which includes the following. Fasten sets with a paper clip or binder clip—do not staple.**

- A completed application form.

Be sure to include the following:

- Statement about your plans to graduate with/without honors
- List of honors courses you have taken
- Statement of future work you intend to do through the University of Iowa Honors Program.

- The essay described on the application form.

- A UI transcript that shows all UI course work, including Fall 2008 semester grades (ISIS printouts are acceptable; degree evaluations are not) and a transcript from any other college at which you completed 12 or more semester hours (photocopies are acceptable).

- A list of courses you will be taking during the Spring 2009 semester.

- A list of your extracurricular activities at The University of Iowa. Be sure to include:

- 1) special academic experiences (e.g., travel or study abroad, internships, independent research, research and teaching practicums, assistantships, etc.);
- 2) honors activities and other relevant activities in which you have participated;
- 3) work experience; and
- 4) awards you have received.

Be specific with your descriptions. If you are working on a research project, indicate how many hours a week and for whom you are working. If you have a job, indicate how many hours a week you are working and the nature of the job.

- Two letters of recommendation from university faculty members and the recommendation cover sheet for each letter. We suggest that you provide a copy of your application, essay, transcript, and activities list to the faculty members you are asking for letters. Please give your recommenders plenty of time to prepare the letter. We do not need multiple copies of the faculty letters.

Student Name: _____

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Letter of Recommendation

Name of Applicant _____
Last First Middle

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Recommendation Guidelines for Faculty

- In your letter, please indicate the name of the student and the full name of the scholarship for which the student is applying. Discuss the qualities the student has demonstrated that you feel make him/her competitive for this scholarship. In addition, please comment on his/her intellectual ability, commitment to education, and campus/community involvement.
- Please paper clip this form to an original letter printed on departmental letterhead.

Recommender's Name _____
Last First Middle

Department/Affiliation _____

Title _____

Address _____

Length of time you have known the student _____

In what capacities? _____

Please give your letter and this form to the student in a sealed envelope with your signature written across the seal. If you prefer, you can send it to arrive no later than **5:00 p.m., Friday, January 30, 2009.**

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Application for 2009–10 Scholarship

Please type. Use additional sheets as needed.

Name: _____

University ID# (all 8 digits): _____ Major: _____

Second major: _____ Minor/Certificate: _____

University of Iowa E-mail Address: _____

Local Mailing Address (include city/state/zip): _____

Number of college terms completed (excluding Spring 2009): _____

Semester hours completed (including Fall 2008): _____ Spring 2009 hrs: _____

University of Iowa GPA: _____ Cumulative GPA: _____

Intended Graduation Date: _____

On additional sheets, please provide the following:

1. Do you intend to graduate with honors? Yes or No (If no, please indicate why not.)
2. List any honors courses, sections, honors designation, and honors research practicums in which you have participated, including current courses. If you have taken courses for honors designation, please indicate what you did to receive the honors designation. If you have been an honors research scholar, for whom have you worked and what have you done?
3. What future work do you intend to do through the University of Iowa Honors Program?
4. An essay, which should be limited to two pages, double-spaced, typed in a 12-point font.

Write an essay. You may write on any topic.

Faculty asked to write letters of recommendation:

Name: _____ Department: _____

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