



Master of Social Work Scholarships

The George Warren Brown School of Social Work at Washington University in St. Louis attracts bright, talented, idealistic, and diverse students from around the country and around the world. We award more than 200 scholarships to top students who have demonstrated academic achievement, leadership, and commitment to social justice and social work practice. With your application for admission, you will be considered for one of these scholarships.

Application Procedure

To be considered for scholarships, please send in your admissions application for fall on or before **December 15** for early decision and on **March 1** for all other decisions. Scholarship deadlines are the same for both U.S. and International students. *To be considered for scholarships your application for admission must be completed and submitted to our office by the dates indicated.* This means that all required documents must be received by the deadline.

Selection Procedure

Selection will be made by the Dean on the recommendation of faculty and staff.

Selection Criteria

- Demonstrated critical and analytical thought (e.g., move beyond the descriptive in your essay answers)
- Commitment to the profession of social work
- Experience (paid and/or volunteer) in social services
- Demonstrated leadership
- Quality of writing
- Undergraduate academic record, including academic awards
- Other indications of merit, as demonstrated

For More Information:

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MSW Partial Scholarship Listing

Scholarship Name	Amount	Criteria
Danforth Scholarships (2)	<i>Full Tuition**</i>	Incoming full-time student; potential for creative professional leadership in social work
Gephardt Public Service Scholarship	<i>Full Tuition**</i>	Incoming students aspiring to a careers that exemplify the values, ideas, and leadership of Congressman Gephardt
Whitney M. Young, Jr. Scholarships (3)	<i>Full Tuition**</i>	Incoming full-time student; commitment to social work practice that will serve to improve race relations
Carpenter Scholarships (2)	<i>Partial Tuition based on number of credits registered</i>	Nursing background: possession of a RN, a BSN, a BA or BS +3 year nursing certificate and a commitment to the field of gerontology
Carpenter Scholarships (3)	<i>Partial Tuition based on number of credits registered</i>	Nursing background; possession of a RN, a BSN, a BA or BS +3 year nursing certificate. High-quality academic performance
Dean's Scholarship – Honoring Frank Bruno	<i>\$35,000 over 2 years*</i>	Incoming full-time student; potential for innovative leadership in social work
Dean's Scholarship – Honoring Dorothy Day	<i>\$35,000 over 2 years*</i>	Incoming full-time student; potential for innovative leadership in social work
Dean's Scholarship – Honoring Thurgood Marshall	<i>\$35,000 over 2 years*</i>	Incoming full-time student; potential for innovative leadership in social work
Dean's Scholarship – Honoring Mary Richmond	<i>\$35,000 over 2 years*</i>	Incoming full-time student; potential for innovative leadership in social work
Dean's Scholarship – Honoring Roy Wilkins	<i>\$35,000 over 2 years*</i>	Incoming full-time student; potential for innovative leadership in social work
Dean's Scholarship – Honoring Benjamin E. Youngdahl	<i>\$35,000 over 2 years*</i>	Incoming full-time student; potential for innovative leadership in social work
John F. Kennedy Scholarships (2)	<i>\$35,000 over 2 years*</i>	Incoming full-time student; given to students who are returning Peace Corps volunteers
Teach for America Scholarships (2)	<i>\$35,000 over 2 years*</i>	Incoming full-time student; given to Teach for America alumni
Danforth Foundation St. Louis Urban Scholarships (5)	<i>\$30,000 over 2 years*</i>	Incoming full-time student from the St. Louis area; commitment to work with inner-city population in the St. Louis area
Bettie Schroth Johnson Scholarships in Social Service Management (5)	<i>\$30,000 over 2 years*</i>	Incoming full-time female student; career commitment to social service administration and management
City Year Scholarship (2)	<i>\$25,000 over 2 years*</i>	Incoming City Year alumni committed to service and innovative leadership
Coro Fellows Scholarship	<i>\$20,000 over 2 years*</i>	Incoming Coro alumni committed to service and innovative leadership

In addition to these named scholarships, the Brown School offers more than 200 scholarships to students pursuing a Master in Social Work (MSW) degree at our school. Nearly \$3 million in scholarships are available each year, including special funding awards for members of service corps such as Teach for America. In general, we award scholarships on the basis of your academic record, commitment to social change, Critical thinking skills, leadership potential, and other specified criteria. We also assess your potential to develop and use your knowledge and skills to prevent and alleviate social problems.