Academic Excellence Scholarship Application
for Fall 2013

Postmark Deadline: April 15, 2013
The University of Kentucky Academic Scholarship Program offers funds to outstanding students who demonstrate the potential for superior academic performance. Scholarship awards are made without regard to race, creed, religious preferences, gender, or financial status.

The Academic Excellence Scholarship Program for currently enrolled UK students is open to all currently enrolled, full-time UK undergraduate students on the main campus with a 3.50 or greater cumulative grade point average by the end of the spring 2013 semester and who have completed at least 12 semester hours at UK.

Undergraduate students who will be receiving other academic scholarships from the Office of Academic Scholarships for 2013-2014 are not eligible to be considered for these awards.

Factors which are considered in the evaluation of scholarship applications include an essay, leadership experience, grades, extracurricular activities, work experience, awards and recognition, and community service.

Unfortunately, the University of Kentucky cannot offer scholarships to all of the excellent students who apply. However, we can assure each applicant that he or she will receive consideration and fair treatment in what is a very competitive situation.

Applicants for an Academic Excellence Scholarship are required to submit the following to the Office of Academic Scholarships no later than APRIL 15, 2013:

- Completed Scholarship Application (this form) bearing the student’s signature and date of application.
- Essay of approximately 500 words on the following topic:

  If given the opportunity to develop a new national marketing campaign for UK, what would be your slogan and what aspects of the University would you highlight as a reference for that slogan?

The Office of Academic Scholarships will obtain a transcript from the Registrar’s Office after the spring 2013 semester grades are reported. The GPA listed on your transcript is your official GPA.

LATE OR INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

Scholarship Application Process Timeline
April 15, 2013 – All students must have submitted applications.
June 15, 2013 – All students will be notified of their status by mail.
July 1, 2013 – All students must have accepted awards.

Academic Excellence Scholarship Applications are available in January 2013 and the deadline to apply is April 15, 2013 for the Fall 2013 semester. Applications can also be obtained from the Academic Scholarship Office website at go.uky.edu/Scholarships.

NOTE: Several departments and colleges within the University administer their own scholarship program. Students who have chosen a major are encouraged to contact the department or college in their major area of study regarding scholarship opportunities.

Students currently applying to or enrolled on the Medical Center Campus (Colleges of Health Sciences, Nursing, Pharmacy, Dentistry, and Public Health) are not eligible for these scholarships and should contact their respective departments for scholarship information.

Renewal for the spring semester of all academic scholarships is contingent upon full-time UK enrollment on the main campus with a cumulative grade point average of 3.30 or better at UK. Failure to meet these stipulations in the first semester voids the remainder of the offer. Students who drop a course may be liable for the expenses incurred. Scholarship money credited to the payment of dropped courses may be removed and the student may be billed for any costs incurred if the course is dropped after the deadline for receiving a full refund.

This application and the information contained herein is for the guidance of students and University personnel and does not constitute a contract or legal document. Scholarship offerings are subject to change.
PLEASE NOTE: This application and your essay must be received in the Office of Academic Scholarships or postmarked by April 15, 2013. Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.

STUDENT INFORMATION

Name ____________________________ UKID#: ___________

   Last   First   Middle

Social Security Number ________-________-________

Telephone Number (_______) _________-________

Local Address

   Street/Route   City

   State   Zip

Permanent Address**

   Street/Route   City

   State   Zip

   County

**Notification of awards will be mailed to this address in mid-June.

Permanent Telephone (_______) _________-_______

Email Address ____________________________________________________________

UK INFORMATION

Date Entered: ___________________________ Expected Graduation Date: ______________

UK Hours Completed as of January 2013: ________________

College: ____________________________

Major: ____________________________

PREVIOUS COLLEGE INFORMATION

(Please list all institutions attended prior to UK. List most recent first and attach additional sheets if necessary.)

Institution __________________________________________________________________________

Name       City    State

Dates Attended: ___________________________

Cumulative Grade Point Average: ______________

Degrees Earned/Hours Completed: ______________________________________________________

Institution __________________________________________________________________________

Name       City    State

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Name       City    State

Dates Attended: ___________________________

Cumulative Grade Point Average: ______________

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### EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES
(Include college, community, and other organizations. Do not include high school activities.)

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### HOBBIES OR OTHER SPECIAL INTERESTS

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### PARENTAL/SPOUSE INFORMATION

Name and address of parents, guardian, or spouse:

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Relationship: ______________________________________

### MAIL OR DELIVER TO:

Office of Academic Scholarships  
University of Kentucky  
100H Funkhouser Building  
Lexington, Kentucky 40506-0054

We cannot guarantee receipt of scholarship applications mailed to any other address.  
For verification of receipt of scholarship application, include a self-addressed postcard.

I understand that the application is incomplete and void unless the following documents are **attached and received in the Office of Academic Scholarships or postmarked by April 15, 2013.**  
(Please verify with a check mark by each item.)

- [ ] Completed Academic Excellence Scholarship Application
- [ ] Your essay of approximately 500 words on the following topic:
  
  If given the opportunity to develop a new national marketing campaign for UK, what would be your slogan and what aspects of the University would you highlight as a reference for that slogan?

I certify that to the best of my knowledge all of the information provided on the Academic Excellence Scholarship application form is true. I am prepared to document this information if requested. I certify that I will not be receiving another award from the Office of Academic Scholarships during the 2013-2014 academic year. **The Office of Academic Scholarships will obtain a transcript from the Registrar’s Office after spring 2013 semester grades are reported. The GPA listed on your transcript is your official GPA.**

__________________________________________________  
Signature  Date

*Students may receive only one scholarship from the Office of Academic Scholarships.*