



University at Buffalo
The State University of New York

Announcement

MAUREEN R. L. MUSSENDEN SCHOLARSHIP

To honor the memory of Maureen R.L. Mussenden and the professional and personal values she espoused, *The Maureen R.L. Mussenden Scholarship* has been established to help support the education of students pursuing a graduate degree in one of the five UB Health Sciences Schools listed below. The Scholarship will provide one-third of the in-state tuition the year they apply for up to four years to two scholars.

- School of Dental Medicine
- School of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences
- School of Nursing
- School of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences
- School of Public Health and Health Professions

Eligibility

1. Applicants must be currently enrolled in or been accepted to a graduate program in one of the five UB health sciences schools as listed above. (Residents and Fellows are not eligible).
2. Applicants must be “first generation” students (defined as students whose parents did not receive a college degree) and priority will be given to women. The Foundation and the University may modify or disregard any selection criteria that are determined in whole or in part to be contrary to law or to then existing University policy.

Submit completed application with personal essay and letter of recommendation from a member of the faculty to the Office of the Vice President of Health Sciences, 155 Biomedical Education Building, South Campus, no later than **September 30, 2013**.

If employed, is your employer contributing toward your graduate education? _____

Parents

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

Highest level of education obtained by mother: _____

Highest level of education obtained by father: _____

Essay

Please attach an essay (500 words) describing why you should be selected to receive the MAUREEN R. L. MUSSENDEN SCHOLARSHIP.

Letter of Recommendation

Letter of recommendation must also be sent directly, via email, from faculty member to the Office of the Vice President of Health Sciences.

I certify that all of the information contained in this application is true and accurate and in the event I am awarded the Scholarship, all funds will be used to further my education.

Print Name

Sign Name

Date

Application Checklist

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Please direct any questions to Deborah Kelsch at the Office of Vice President of Health Sciences
(716) 829-2775 or email at dkelsch@buffalo.edu.

Successful applicants will be notified in writing on or before November 15, 2013.