

**EASTERN PA CONFERENCE
SCHOLARSHIPS
GRADUATE:**

Longenecker
Garrett
Merit
UM Foundation

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

**Eastern PA Conference
The United Methodist Church
P.O. Box 820
Valley Forge, Pa. 19482-0820**

UNDERGRADUATE:

Garrett
Merit
Ruck
Albright College
BMCR/Black UM Preachers

- First-time Applicant
- Undergraduate
- Graduate

FOR EASTERN PENNSYLVANIA CONFERENCE SCHOLARSHIPS ONLY

NOTE:

- Please note all applicants **must** be a member of a United Methodist Church in the Eastern PA Conference for at least 2 years prior to application.
- Application packet **MUST be postmarked** no later than March 1 for Fall awards (Undergraduate & Graduate) and no later than November 1 for Spring awards (Graduate only).
- Emailed information will not be accepted.
- Confirmation letter will be mailed within two weeks of receipt of application.

(Please type or print clearly.)

If reapplying, only complete the financial statement and any other items that changed.

Social Security Number _____ Undergraduate _____ Graduate _____

Name in full _____ Male _____ Female _____

Permanent address _____
street/box # city state zip + 4

Mailing address while in school _____
street/box # city state zip + 4

Age _____ Married _____ Single _____ Telephone (_____) _____

Age(s) of dependents(s) _____

Are a citizen or permanent resident of the USA? _____
If permanent resident, list Alien Registration Receipt Card Number above

School you will attend during scholarship year _____

Academic classification (scholarship year) Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior

Graduate _____ First _____ Second _____ Third _____ Other _____

Will you be full-time? _____ If not, # of hours registered _____ How many hours are required for full-time? _____

When will you graduate? _____ Degree _____ Final education goal _____

For what career are you preparing? _____

I will qualify for a special ethnic scholarship. I am: Asian Black Hispanic Native American/American Indian Pacific Islander

Name of church you joined _____

City _____ State _____ How long have you been a member of The UMC? _____

Full name and mailing address of The United Methodist Church where you are currently an active member:
If different from above, when did you transfer? _____

_____ name _____ street/box # _____
_____ city _____ state _____ zip + 4 _____ Current Annual Conference _____

Current Pastor's name _____ Telephone (____) _____

Institutions of Higher Education Attended – list present school first:

Institution	Dates attended from-to	Degree Earned	Major	Grade Point Average

Have you had previous scholarship(s) administered by the Eastern PA Conference? _____

Have you applied at the UMC General Board of Higher Education and Ministry, the national United Methodist Foundation or the General Board of Global Ministries, or any UMC that provides scholarships? _____

What academic year(s)? (*Please list all years*) _____

List any academic honors, awards, etc., you have received _____

Describe your participation in projects and activities of church and/or community including any church activities at the Annual Conference, Jurisdictional, and/or National level.

State briefly any paid employment you have had or now have:

Title of position	Employed by	Type of work	Dates

Will you be working during the current academic year? Yes No

If yes, will you be working part-time or full time? _____

If 25 yrs. or younger and dependent upon parents, complete:

Father's name _____ Occupation _____

Mother's name _____ Occupation _____

If married give: Spouse's
Spouse's name _____ Occupation _____

Number and ages of persons dependent _____

Using a separate sheet of paper and in 200 words or less, describe the leadership responsibilities and activities in The United Methodist Church, Campus Ministry and/or community you have been involved in within the past two years; how achievement of your educational goals will provide leadership for The United Methodist Church and society; and how it will improve the quality of life of others.

To assure proper coordination of your application, submit the following in one envelope:

- Completed Application
- Essay
- Pastor's letters of recommendation (1 page only)
- 2 letters of recommendation from other sources (1 page each) (may include Campus Minister)
- Copy of transcript(s)

THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED EVERY YEAR.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

This statement must be completed before
your scholarship request can be reviewed.

FINANCIAL AID IS REQUESTED FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 2005

INCOME AVAILABLE to meet expenses for the academic year:

ESTIMATED EXPENSES for the academic year:

On Campus

Off Campus

Personal funds (cash, savings, etc.) \$ _____

(exclude retirement funds and accounts)

Total summer earnings \$ _____; amount
available for school _____

Expected earnings for academic year* _____

Parental support _____

Spouses income* _____

Assistantships _____

Grants/Scholarships (itemize with name, amount
and year) _____

Loans (itemize with name, amount and year) _____

Other Income (itemize) _____

TOTAL INCOME \$ _____

Tuition \$ _____

Fees _____

Books _____

Room and board _____

Other school related expenses _____

Housing _____

Food _____

Clothing and laundry _____

Medical care _____

Transportation (itemize) _____

Other expenses (itemize) _____

TOTAL EXPENSES \$ _____

Please note: On a separate sheet describe any unusually high expenses. (Additional itemized expenses may also be listed). Special circumstances that may affect your financial situation should be explained.

* After all taxes have been deducted.

I certify that to the best of my knowledge, the information contained in this statement is correct and complete. I understand it is my responsibility to ensure all supporting documentation (official transcripts, references, etc.) is received by the Eastern PA Conference no later than the appropriate deadline date.

(Signature of student in full)

(Date)

(Name of school where you plan to enroll)