

Belmont University School of Pharmacy Leadership/Service Scholarships

The Belmont University School of Pharmacy offers competitive scholarship awards to recognize extraordinary commitments to service and examples of leadership among the members of the Class of 2013. This award reflects key values that help to define Belmont University and the School of Pharmacy.

One scholarship of \$6,000 (\$1,500.00 per year for 4 years) will be awarded to a matriculated member of the Class of 2013 from among those who apply for consideration, and who meet all requirements.

Scholarship Criteria

- The individual selected to receive the scholarship must have demonstrated sustained and atypical activity in leadership or service, working to affect positive outcomes in the lives of others or their community.
- The individual is recognized by others as carrying out these meritorious activities without expectation for self-benefit; they are examples of humility and effectiveness.
- The individual's prior activities suggest a commitment to serving/leading others that will define a lifelong commitment.

Award Continuity

Each scholarship is awarded over four years. In order for the individual to continue to receive the award for all four years, he or she must continue to demonstrate leadership/service activities, document these activities in the professional portfolio each semester, maintain good academic standing (minimum cumulative GPA of 2.3), and plan the service project for new pharmacy student orientation each year.

Application Process (Application Deadline: August 7, 2009)

- Individuals must be nominated for by a representative of an organization/group or community with whom the candidate has a demonstrable service history. A letter of nomination is required that summarizes how the nominee meets the award criteria and establishes the difference that the nominee's activities have made in the organization and/or the lives of others. Use of specific examples is encouraged. The letter should be mailed directly to the school at the address provided below, and should be received by the school no later than August 7, 2009.
- Each nominee must provide 1) a current resume that includes history of activity relevant to the scholarship focus, and 2) a written statement of what motivates him or her to engage in the activity described by their leadership or service activity. **Two completed application packets must arrive at the School of Pharmacy offices by August 7, 2009.** Award notifications will be made by August 14, 2009.
- Nomination letters and application packets should be mailed separately to the following address:
Leadership /Service Scholarships
Belmont University
School of Pharmacy
1900 Belmont Boulevard
Nashville, TN 37212

*Incomplete applications will NOT be considered. Please mail materials early in anticipation of the deadline.