

**APPLICATION FOR NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS**

**2018-2019**

**ELIGIBILITY:** Scholarship opportunities are available through the National Scholarship Committee of Alpha Mu Gamma, on a competitive basis. All FULL MEMBERS (undergraduates & graduates) of Alpha Mu Gamma are eligible to apply. ***The scholarships must be used for continued study of a foreign language***and may be applied to study at any accredited academic institution during the summer or fall/spring 2018-2019.

**AWARDS:**

 • **$1,000** ***Goddard, Indovina & Krakowski Scholarship*.** [3 awards are available]

 • **$500 *James Fonseca Scholarship*** for the study of Spanish or Esperanto

 **• $500 *Sister Eloise-Thérése Scholarship*** for the study of languages other than Spanish or Esperanto

**HOW TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION:** Collect all of the documents listed below and mail them in **one packet** directly to the Chair of the Scholarship committee, OR your AMG Advisor may scan the documents and email the complete packet to the Chair of the Scholarship committee.

 • An official **Alpha Mu Gamma application** must be used. All information must be TYPED.

 Applicants should pay particular attention to the “Personal Statement/Essay”, as it weighs heavily

 in the evaluation process.

 • Have **3** qualified persons (e.g. professors or employers) fill out the **“Recommendation for Alpha**

 **Mu Gamma Scholarship”** form. ONE of the recommendations must be from your AMG advisor.

 The recommendations must be TYPED. They may return the recommendation to you in a sealed

 envelope.

 • An **OFFICIAL transcript** is required.

 • A photocopy of your Full **Alpha Mu Gamma Membership certificate** is required.

**DEADLINE:**

 COMPLETE Application packets must be received no later than **FEBRUARY 1, 2018**

 The deadline will be strictly observed. Incomplete submissions will not be considered.

**CRITERIA FOR SELECTION:**

 1. ALPHA MU GAMMA Full Membership

 2. Demonstrate excellence in foreign language study and further study by:

 Student’s essay

 Participation in Chapter activities

 Cumulative GPA

 Foreign Language courses GPA

 3. Recommendations

 4. Preference is given to foreign language majors and minors

**NOTIFCATION OF WINNERS:** Scholarship winners will be notified by the end of April 2018, and will receive further instructions. Payment from the Alpha Mu Gamma National Office will be made after the beginning of the term for which the award is made (summer or fall), upon receipt of enrollment verification from the registrar where the recipient is enrolled, confirming a continuing study of a foreign language.

**SEND OR EMAIL YOUR COMPLETE PACKET OF DOCUMENTS TO:**

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