



F.E.W. Foundation for Education and Training



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FEW Foundation for Education and Training Announces 2009 Academic Scholarship Program Now accepting Applications for any career field offered by Grantham University Deadline May 31, 2009 for 2009-2010 Academic Year

Patricia Wolfe, President of the FEW Foundation for Education and Training proudly announces that the Foundation is accepting applications for **one full four year-scholarship** in any career field offered at Grantham University, a 100% online university. The scholarship includes all books and software for the completely online academic program. Visit the Grantham University web site at www.grantham.edu/few.htm for more information.

FEW recognizes the value of a quality education, and the Foundation's Scholarship Program was established to assist members of Federally Employed Women and their immediate families (**spouse/dependent children**) who are looking to further their education to meet their career goals. While the intent of the Foundation is to award a full four-year scholarship to one individual, the Foundation reserves the right to divide the scholarship if it determines that it may better meet the needs of the individual(s) applying for the scholarship.

To qualify for this scholarship, the following criteria must be met:

- Be a **member of FEW in good standing** and demonstrate your participation with FEW for **one** or more years or be an immediate family member (**spouse or dependent child**) of same.
- Complete an **essay on the topic "Why I Should be Awarded a FEW Foundation Scholarship."** This essay should be no longer than two double-spaced pages. The essay should speak to your goals, your commitment to FEW (e.g., serve as an officer or on a committee), your interest in a field of study within the career field of your choice, and how it will help you grow in your career as well as your financial need.
- Submit **three letters of recommendation**, from a Chapter President, Regional Manager, Community Leader, and/or Supervisor. *For FEW members, Chapter President/Regional Manager letter of recommendation is required.*
- Have had a **minimum grade point average of 3.0** in college/high school. Must maintain 3.0 GPA.
- Submit **copies of all recorded grades, high school or college transcript.**
- **Meet Grantham University's academic and admissions policies.**
- Mail one copy of application form and other documentation to each member of the Scholarship Committee.

Incomplete applications **will not be considered.**

Submit your application to the following Scholarship Committee Members:

Jeanette Miller
107 Connors Drive
Oak Ridge, TN 37830

Carolyn Kroon
P.O. Box 397
Coupeville, WA 98239

Cathi Crabtree
2200 S. Olde Mill Drive
Bloomington, IN 47402

Applications must be postmarked by May 31, 2009. Scholarship recipient(s) will be notified by July 1, 2009.

Application forms are available on the FEW Foundation website, www.fewfoundation.org or the National FEW web site at www.few.org under Scholarships and under the FEW Foundations link.

For additional information, please contact:

- Dawn Nester at dawn.m.nester@irs.gov
- Jeanette Miller at millerjs@oro.doe.gov
- Carolyn Kroon at cmkroon@yahoo.com
- Cathi Crabtree at cathi.crabtree@navy.gov