



Young Professional Scholarship

The Young Professional Scholarship will be awarded to young professionals who register and attend the WHEMN 2020 Annual Conference. Scholarships will cover conference registration fees and up to \$250 in travel reimbursement. All scholarship applications must be completed and submitted by **December 15, 2019**. Applications will be reviewed by a panel and the winner will be notified by email and announced on the organization's website no later than January 15, 2020. Only complete applications will be considered. Incomplete applications will not be reviewed.

Eligibility Requirements

Women ages 35 and under who:

- Are verifiably employed in the field of higher education.
- Have not previously attended a WHEMN conference.
- Have obtained permission from her supervisor to apply for the Young Professional Scholarship prior to submitting the scholarship application.

Terms and Guidelines

- The scholarship will be awarded based on the experience, career potential, and financial need of the applicant.
- The recipient is required to attend all conference functions and should plan travel accordingly.
- The recipient is expected to submit a 150-word testimonial of her experience at the conference. A photo will also be taken during the conference. Both the photograph and the testimonial may be used in future marketing materials.
- The scholarship is not renewable and a candidate may only receive the award once.
- An alternate may be selected in the event that the scholarship recipient does not accept the award.
- The award of the scholarship is subject to the availability of funds.

Application Requirements

- Completed Application Form
- Resume or Curriculum Vitae
- Professional Recommendation

All completed application materials should be submitted to the Young Professional Scholarship Committee at whemn@alocrn.edu.



Young Professional Scholarship Application

Applicant Information

Name: _____ Date: _____
First Last

Address: _____
Street Address Apartment/Unit #

City State Zip Code

Phone: _____ DOB: _____

Email: _____

Employer Information

Position/
Title: _____

Department/
Division: _____

Institution: _____

Address: _____
Street Address

City State Zip Code

Phone: _____ Supervisor: _____

Short Response Questions

Please describe why you should be awarded the WHEMN Young Professional Scholarship, including any special circumstances that might support your application.

Please list your career goals for the next five years.

Please describe what you expect to gain from attending the WHEMN Annual Conference, including how your attendance will support your career goals.

Disclaimer and Signature

I certify that my answers are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

I understand that if selected to receive this scholarship, I am required to attend all conference functions and events. I also understand that I will be required to submit a 150-word testimonial of my experience at the conference and that I will have my photo taken during the event. I am aware that both the photograph and the testimonial may be used in future marketing materials related to the WHEMN Annual Conference.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Reminder: Only complete applications will be considered. Complete applications include a resume/CV and a letter of recommendation from the applicant's supervisor, dean, vice president or president. Incomplete applications will not be reviewed.

Completed applications should be returned to the Young Professional Scholarship Committee at whemn@alcorn.edu.