

SUMMER GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS

Amount of the Award: \$500.00/student to be awarded in summer (July)

Eligibility:

Any student who satisfies all the following conditions is eligible for consideration for the Summer Graduate Scholarships:

1. Admitted as a degree seeking student at UNO, are currently enrolled in at least three (3) graduate hours or is a candidate for a doctoral degree program at the time of application.
2. **Masters and EdS students:** at the time of application must have *completed twelve (12) graduate hours within a graduate program; doctoral students:* an approved program of study on file in the Office of Graduate Studies.
3. Graduate grade point average of at least 3.75.
4. Letters of Recommendation from the Graduate Program Chair and at least two other persons who are familiar with your academic or professional performance and potential.

Selection Criteria:

The following will be considered in evaluating the applicants for the Scholarships:

1. Outstanding academic performance and potential;
2. Published papers/studies (basic or applied research) and presentations to disciplinary or professional organizations;
3. Outstanding professional work in practicum or agency settings, if applicable;
4. Community and professional service as a graduate student or volunteer.

It is not expected that every applicant must satisfy all the above criteria; applicants will be judged on the quality of their performance in those areas appropriate to their discipline or profession.

How to Apply:

Application materials are available at

<http://www.unomaha.edu/graduate-studies/financing-your-degree/scholarships.php>

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APPLICATION FORM

1. NAME: _____
Last First M.I.

2. NUID#: _____

3. GRADUATE MAJOR: _____

4. ADDRESS: _____

5. **ELIGIBILITY** for the Summer Graduate Scholarship will be confirmed from records in the UNO Office of Graduate Studies. If you are uncertain whether your records are accurate, you may contact the Office of Graduate Studies to check for you.

6. The application for the scholarship must include **recommendations** from the Graduate Program Chair and at least two other persons who are familiar with your academic or professional performance and potential. The recommendations are due in the Office of Graduate Studies by the published deadline for applications. The applicant is responsible for insuring that the application is complete by the deadline. Please list below the names and business addresses of those whom you have asked to write recommendations:

7. Attach to the completed application a **BRIEF STATEMENT** (not more than 500 words) describing how funds provided by the scholarship would support your graduate education.

8. Attach to the completed application a **CURRENT RÉSUMÉ**.

9. Attach documentation of published work or outstanding professional work, the scholarship committee will be reviewing applicant's writing skills.



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RECOMMENDATION FORM

INFORMATION TO BE PROVIDED BY THE APPLICANT:

APPLICANT'S NAME: _____

GRADUATE MAJOR: _____

PERSON ASKED TO COMPLETE THIS FORM: _____

RELATIONSHIP TO THE APPLICANT: _____

WAIVER

I acknowledge by my signature that I hereby waive any right or privilege to inspect or challenge the contents and comments expressed herein, and that such observations as are included in letters of recommendations shall remain confidential as between the writer, the Dean for Graduate Studies and Research, and appropriately authorized Selection Committee Members.

Date: _____

Applicant's signature: _____

INFORMATION TO BE PROVIDED BY THE INDIVIDUAL WRITING THE LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION

Please attach on separate sheet(s) your assessment of the academic and professional accomplishments and potential of the applicant. When the form has been completed, please sign on the signature line below and send the form directly to the Office of Graduate Studies at the address below. Thank you.

SIGNATURE: _____

**SEND ELECTRONICALLY TO: graduate@unomaha.edu
Subject Line - Summer Graduate Scholarship**