

Pearls of Hope Foundation
in Partnership with
Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.
Lambda Rho Zeta Chapter
Pontiac, MI



**2019 COLLEGIATE
Finer Womanhood
Scholarship Application**

PO Box 430116 Pontiac, MI 48343-0116

Finer Womanhood Scholarship

Criteria for Scholarship

1. Must be a permanent resident of Oakland County or an active member of Nu Nu chapter at Oakland University or a college student of an active member of Lambda Rho Zeta chapter or the Pontiac Amicae auxiliary.
2. Must provide proof of matriculation at an accredited college or university.
3. Must not be a candidate for graduation during time period: January - August 2019.
4. Must have at least a 2.5 cumulative grade point average (GPA).
5. Must provide a completed application accompanied by:
 - a. An official school transcript (Sealed) **supplied directly by college or university**
 - b. A detailed written statement of financial need. Use the attached form.
6. Must be in pursuit of an undergraduate/associate degree.
7. Submit a typed essay of at least 300 words on the following topic. Use the attached form.
“What is the most pressing problem facing America today?”. **You must use references/citations to support your thoughts.**
8. If selected as a scholarship recipient, you and/or a parent/guardian must purchase two (2) tickets and attend the Finer Womanhood Luncheon on the first Saturday in June (June 01, 2019).
9. Applicants must meet **All** criteria and follow procedures for application to be considered.
10. Typed essays must be original work of applicant and on correct application form.
11. Applicants not meeting all of the requirements set forth, and or incomplete will not be considered.
12. Applicants meeting the criteria will be scheduled for a personal interview in April and/or May 2019.
13. Applicants selected for interviews are required **to attend interviews in person** during the interviewing dates established by the Committee.

Special Notices

1. Completed application must be post marked **NO LATER THAN** March 15, 2019. Applications post marked after March 15, 2019 **will not** be accepted.
2. Applications must be mailed or delivered to:

Pearls of Hope Foundation
P.O. Box 430116
Pontiac, Michigan 48343-0116
3. Each selected recipient will be sent notification of acceptance.
4. No documents will be returned after submission.
5. For questions, contact: Ms. Tabatha McFarland, Scholarship Chairperson, at pohf@lambdarhozetaPontiac.org.

Finer Womanhood Scholarship
Application for Collegiate Students

Personal Information

Full Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Telephone _____ Age _____

Mailing Address _____

Number and Street City State Zip Code

Permanent Address _____

Number and Street City State Zip Code

Email Address _____

Family Information

Parent 1 Full Name _____ Address _____

Parent 1 Job Title _____ Place of Employment _____

Parent 2 Full Name _____ Address _____

Parent 2 Job Title _____ Place of Employment _____

Legal Guardian's Full Name _____ Address _____

Number of Siblings _____ Number of Siblings currently attending College _____

If in College, where? _____

Personal Involvement

Church Affiliation _____

Civic, Community, Fraternal Membership _____

Leadership Positions (from above) _____

School Information

Name of College or University _____

Address _____

Number and Street

City

State

Zip Code

Major _____ Minor _____

Career Goal _____

Expected Date of Graduation _____ Cumulative GPA _____

Extracurricular Activities (On Campus) _____

Awards/Honors Received _____

Work Experience

(Begin with the present or most recent place of employment.)

1. Employer _____ Your Position _____

Address _____

From _____ To _____ Hrs/Wk _____ Supervisor _____

2. Employer _____ Your Position _____

Address _____

From _____ To _____ Hrs/Wk _____ Supervisor _____

3. Employer _____ Your Position _____

Address _____

From _____ To _____ Hrs/Wk _____ Supervisor _____

Collegiate Financial Information

1. What do you expect the total expense of your education will be next year? Include tuition, room and board, travel and books.

\$ _____

2. How much of this sum will be provided by parents?

\$ _____

3. How much of this sum have you received from other organizations? Name the group or organization. _____

\$ _____

4. How much of this sum have you received from any source of Financial Aid? \$ _____

5. How much do you expect to receive in any source Student Loans?

\$ _____

6. How much of this sum do you have?

Your source _____

\$ _____

7. What financial assistance do you need from Zeta Phi Beta Sorority?

\$ _____

Your Signature _____

Parents/Guardian's Signature _____

Date _____

Statement of Financial Need

(Use the space below to give a detailed **written** statement of why financial assistance is needed. If this form is not completed, you will not be considered for the scholarship.)

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Essay

(Submit a typed essay of at least 300 words on the following topic. **Remember to use references/citations to support your thoughts.** Attach extra paper if needed.)

“What is the most pressing problem facing America today?” You must use references/citations to support your thoughts.

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