



THE PRESIDENTIAL SCHOLARSHIP

RULES AND REGULATIONS

APPLICATION FORM

PRESIDENTIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The Presidential Scholarship is for students enrolling in Nossi College of Art's associate degree in Commercial Digital Photography or bachelor's degree in Digital Photography & Video who have demonstrated an exceptional ability in photography and a promising future as a commercial digital photographer or videographer. The amount of this scholarship is \$2,400 for an associate degree and \$4,400 for a bachelor's degree. It is disbursed to the recipient after the mid-term exam of each semester, at the rate of \$400 for a maximum of six (6) semesters for associate degree and 11 semesters for bachelor's degree as satisfactory academic progress is made through the program.

PRESIDENTIAL SCHOLARSHIP FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

This scholarship is for students enrolling in Nossi College of Art's associate or bachelor's degrees in Digital Photography & Video programs directly after high school graduation. Students must demonstrate an exceptional ability in photography and a promising future as a commercial digital photographer or videographer. Students who have been out of school for more than one year or have previously attended another post-secondary institution may not apply.

PRESIDENTIAL RURAL SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is for students enrolling in Nossi College of Art's associate or bachelor's degrees in Digital Photography & Video programs, and has demonstrated an exceptional ability in photography and a promising future as a commercial digital photographer or videographer. Students must reside in a rural county in the state of Tennessee to apply.

PRESIDENTIAL OUT OF STATE SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is for students enrolling in Nossi College of Art's associate or bachelor's degrees in Digital Photography & Video programs, and has demonstrated an exceptional ability in photography and a promising future as a commercial digital photographer or videographer. Students must reside outside the state of Tennessee to apply.

PRESIDENTIAL FOR MIDDLE TENNESSEE SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is for students enrolling in Nossi College of Art's associate or bachelor's degrees in Commercial, Digital Photography & Video programs, and has demonstrated an exceptional ability in photo or video and a promising future as a commercial digital photographer or videographer. Students must reside within Nashville, Tennessee, or its surrounding counties to be eligible.

HOW TO APPLY

To apply for this scholarship, the applicant must:

1. Request the application prior to enrollment from the admissions director, Mary Alexander.
2. Provide a one-page essay in detail why he/she wishes to pursue a career as a commercial, digital photographer or videographer.
3. Provide a letter of recommendation from the high school guidance counselor. Not a high school student? Include a recommendation letter from a professional reference.
4. Provide a copy of your official high school transcript.
5. Submit portfolio to be reviewed by the scholarship committee.
6. Submission of college application required for scholarship approval.

RECIPIENT'S NOTIFICATION AND ACCEPTANCE

All applicants will receive notification on the status of their scholarship. When the recipient accepts the scholarship, he/she agrees to abide by the rules and regulations of the scholarship committee.

CONDITIONS FOR THE SCHOLARSHIP

The college believes all scholarship recipients must maintain the high standard of academic excellence that earned them reward of the Presidential Scholarship. To encourage and foster the excellence in education, the recipient must therefore make satisfactory academic progress throughout the length of the program.

Satisfactory academic progress for the purpose of the scholarship is defined as:

1. Maintain a minimum "B" grade point average
2. Pass all subjects
3. Maintain a satisfactory attendance record as described in the attendance policy of the college catalog
4. Meet all financial obligations
5. Students must be enrolled in a minimum of two courses toward the degree of their major

To insure the student has met satisfactory academic progress during the first semester, the scholarship will be awarded to selected students after the first mid-term examination results are completed. Subsequent disbursements are made after each mid-term exam of the remaining semesters. For an associate degree, there are six (6) semesters in the program. The scholarship is for \$2,400 with the recipient receiving \$400 per semester. For a bachelor's degree, there are 11 semesters in the program. The amount of the scholarship is for \$4,400 with the recipient receiving \$400 per semester. All funds will be applied to the student's tuition balance.

CONDITIONS FOR REVOKING THE SCHOLARSHIP

Pro-rate disbursements of the scholarship will be terminated any semester when it is determined:

1. The recipient has failed to maintain a "B" grade point average.
2. The recipient has failed a course.
3. The recipient has not met her/his financial obligations.

Any questions about the scholarships should be directed to the Admissions Department at Nossi College of Art via e-mail: admissions@nossi.edu or call toll free: (888) 986-2787.

PRESIDENTIAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

APPLICANT'S NAME

APPLICANT'S ADDRESS

PHONE NUMBER

CELL NUMBER

HIGH SCHOOL

DATE OF GRADUATION

NAME OF HIGH SCHOOL COUNSELOR

INDICATE THE SEMESTER YOU PLAN TO BEGIN

THIS APPLICATION IS FOR:

- *The Presidential Photography Scholarship*
- *The Presidential Photography Scholarship For Rural Counties*
- *The Presidential Photography Scholarship For Out Of State Residents*

DID YOU INCLUDE?

- 1. Your one-page essay
- 2. A letter of recommendation from your high school guidance counselor
- 3. An official copy of your high school transcript
- 4. Your photography portfolio

APPLICANT SIGNATURE

DATE