

Return to: UWRA
B80 Gerberding Hall
Box 351277
Seattle, WA 98195-1277

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION SPRING QUARTER 2010 SCHOLARSHIP

Application Deadline: February 1, 2010

The University of Washington Retirement Association, a voluntary membership organization of retired faculty and staff, is pleased to announce the availability of scholarships for undergraduate and graduate students planning careers in any field that emphasizes the provision of services to older adults. **Up to three awards of \$3,000 each will be made in Spring Quarter 2010 to students with demonstrated promise and financial need.**

Students are encouraged to apply by submitting the following REQUIRED materials as indicated

- printing, then completing this sheet and returning it along with word-processing generated answers to the questions on page two. (**NO** handwritten answers for Sections I-III will be accepted. Limit each answer to one page, double-spaced.)
- a current academic transcript (official or unofficial)
- Students must also have applied for financial aid at the University of Washington by filing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). The FAFSA can still be completed, but four to six weeks processing time must be allowed. The FAFSA can be obtained from the Office of Student Financial Aid, 105 Schmitz Hall. Filing your FAFSA online at <http://fafsa.ed.gov> will reduce processing time by about two weeks. International students may apply and should file the FAFSA for purposes of this scholarship.

RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATION AND TRANSCRIPT to the UWRA at the address above.

Name _____	UW # _____		
Address _____			
No. and Street	City	State	Zip
Phone no. _____	Year in school (as of 9/09) _____	Date 09-10 FAFSA mailed _____	
Major or area of academic interest _____			

Permission to Release Scholarship Information

In administering scholarships, the University of Washington's Office of Student Financial Aid provides applicant-information to scholarship donors and committees. This information may include academic records, financial need calculations, and personal information. We share information to aid in selection of recipients, monitoring student eligibility, and to inform donors about those benefiting from their gifts to the University.

SCHOLARSHIP RELEASE: (This must be signed to be considered for a scholarship)

I consent to the release of pertinent information to scholarship donors, their representatives, and selection committees for the purposes of notification, selection, awarding and monitoring scholarship eligibility. I also understand that scholarship awards may be adjusted or canceled based on changes in financial need or eligibility criteria.

Signature Required: _____	Date: _____
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Among the criteria the committee will consider in evaluating your application are the following:

- Experience in and commitment to working with older adults (paid or volunteer)
- Academic performance
- Communication skills
- Financial need (FAFSA)

Only applications that include all required materials will be considered.

Section I. Describe your educational and career goals.

Section II. List your most significant community service and extracurricular activities, particularly those pertaining to older adults, with dates of participation.

Section III. Add any additional information you believe would be helpful, including dates if applicable.