

2024 George Snow Scholarship Fund Graduate School Scholarship Application

Instructions, Deadlines, and General Information

Eligibility Criteria

- Must have been a past recipient of the George Snow Scholarship for high school seniors of Palm Beach County or select Broward County schools.
- Must be accepted into or currently enrolled in a graduate program.

Program Timeline

January 19, 2024: Applications Open

April 1, 2024: Applications Close

April 23, 2024: Interview Notifications by Email

May 9, 2024: Virtual Interviews (6:00 – 8:00 PM)

May 20, 2024: Notification of Award by Email

June 15, 2024: Annual Award Ceremony

General Information

- Applications must be **emailed to Channon Ellwood** or **postmarked by April 1, 2024**.
- Email is preferred over mail.
- Mailing Address:
The George Snow Scholarship Fund
201 Plaza Real, Suite 260
Boca Raton, FL 33432
- We will send you a confirmation email once we receive your application. Please contact us if you do not receive a confirmation email.
- All applications and requested information become the property of the George Snow Scholarship Fund.
- All information must be supplied. If any information is incomplete by the deadline, the application will be rejected.
- Should you be chosen to interview with the George Snow Scholarship Fund Selection Committee, you will be asked to participate in a virtual interview with the Selection Committee.

Important Notes

1. Much of the communication we have with you will be in the form of email. Please provide your current email address.
2. If you receive an interview, we will select the interview time slot for you. You will be given a 15–20-minute time slot between the hours of 6:00 PM – 9:00 PM.
3. Use your proper name, no nicknames.
4. Write your permanent mailing address.

Contact Information

Channon Ellwood

Director of Communications & Scholar Services

Phone: 561.347.6799

Email: cellwood@scholarship.org

If you have any questions on how to complete this application, please do not hesitate to call or email.

Applications will be rejected if all sections are not complete by the deadline!

Applicant Information

1. Date of Application: / / 2. Email Address: _____
Mo Day Year

3. Home Phone #: () - 4. Cell Phone #: () -

5. Name: _____
First Middle Last

6. Female Male Non-Binary/Non-Conforming Transgender Prefer Not to Respond

7. Home Address:

Number and Street (Include Apt. Number, if any)

City State Zip Code

8. Date of Birth: / / 9. U.S. Citizen? Yes No
Mo. Day Year

10. Undergraduate School: Name of the college you completed or will complete for your undergraduate education:

11. Date of graduation from undergraduate program: / /

12. Projected date you began or will begin graduate program: / /

13. Projected graduation date for graduate school: / /

14. Total semesters left until graduation (Not including Spring 2024): _____

15. GPA: _____

16. Year you were awarded a Snow Scholarship: _____

17. Graduate School: List in order of preference up to three graduate programs you have been accepted to or are currently enrolled in.

	Name of Institution	Status
1.	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____

18. Area of study: _____

19. Applicant plans to live: on campus off campus commute from home unknown currently

Please attach the following:

A) **A current resume**

B) **A 1000-word essay addressing the following questions:**

- How do you intend to use your advanced degree upon graduation?
- What are the reasons you are applying for this scholarship?
- How will your advanced degree benefit you and the larger community?
- (Optional) Please describe any unique circumstances you feel the selection committee should be aware of.

C) **One letter of recommendation** from either an employer, professor/academic advisor, or community leader.

D) **Financial Aid Award Summary** from your graduate program: We need an itemized list of all grants and scholarships you are receiving to attend your graduate program. If you do not have a Financial Aid Award Summary at the time of submission, please attach a statement explaining the reason for the missing information and a copy of your most recent Student Aid Report from FAFSA. Please include an expected date of when you can provide a Financial Aid Award Summary.

E) **Cost of Attendance:** Attach documentation outlining the total cost of attendance for your graduate program. The more detailed information the better. If possible, please include the cost per year or semester for your program.

- **If you have not yet committed to a specific college, you must provide a Financial Aid Award Summary and Cost of Attendance for each college you are considering.**

Authorizations & Verifications

Please read and understand the following paragraphs and sign below indicating you agree.

1) I give The George Snow Scholarship Fund permission to use my name, any photographs, and writings provided to the organization to be used in any of its publication materials, reports, press releases, and activities associated with its scholarship programs. I understand that all financial information is, and shall remain, confidential.

2) I certify that the information in this application is correct to the best of my knowledge. I hereby permit this information to be released to the donor or potential donors of any scholarship for which I may be eligible for.

3) I understand that all information is confidential and subject to verification and that falsification of information will result in the termination of any scholarships granted.

I agree with the above,

Print Name

Signature of Applicant

____/____/____
Date