

THE UNIVERSITY CLUB OF BOSTON SCHOLARSHIP FUND

2023 APPLICATION FUTURE LEADERS OF BOSTON SCHOLARSHIP

About the University Club of Boston Scholarship Fund:

The University Club of Boston's Future Leaders of Boston Scholarship Fund was founded in 1977. Since its inception, the Scholarship Fund has awarded qualifying Boston residents who are graduating seniors scholarships to be used over four years of college. To date, well over 100 Future Leaders of Boston scholarships have been granted. These scholarships are made possible through the generosity of the University Club's membership.

The mission of the Scholarship Program is to provide financial assistance, through need-based scholarships, to Boston residents to help cover the gap funding in their college tuition each semester. Recipients of the scholarships will have distinguished themselves academically, through service to their community and will also have demonstrated their potential to be a leader.

Ambassador Program:

Upon being awarded a Future Leaders of Boston Scholarship, each recipient will be assigned to an Ambassador who is a member of the Scholarship Committee. The purpose of the Ambassador Program is to provide our scholarship recipients with a point of contact at the University Club to answer any questions related to the Scholarship Program as well as to act as a general resource for students who may have questions about their education or careers. <u>Students are expected to remain in contact with their Ambassador at least twice during each semester and, Ambassadors should be copied on all correspondence with the University Club Administration, including the submittal of renewal applications.</u>

Selection Criteria for Recipients:

When selecting the recipients for the Future Leaders of Boston Scholarship, the Scholarship Committee considers the following (in no particular order): Academic Achievement, Community Service, Extracurricular Activities, Financial Need and Leadership. Students should highlight their accomplishments in these areas when applying, as should the authors of the recommendation letters that are being submitted with the application. Qualifying applicants need to demonstrate one of the following:

- An EFC (Expected Family Contribution) from the FAFSA Student Aid Report that is \$10,000 or less
- A low to moderate parent Adjusted Gross Income (AGI)
- Extenuating financial circumstances

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THE UNIVERSITY CLUB OF BOSTON SCHOLARSHIP FUND 2023 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Application Process:

APPLICATION DEADLINE - Applications must be received by **8pm Monday**, March 27, 2023. Please ensure you have filled in all the pertinent information on the application and submitted all required materials, as **the Scholarship Committee will review only fully completed applications**.

SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION ELECTRONICALLY BY EMAIL - Applications can be filled-in online and are also available here: https://www.uclub.org/scholarship-program. Applications should be emailed to Corey Schafer, Scholarship Committee Chair, at scholarship@uclub.org or if necessary, mailed to the attention of the Scholarship Committee at the University Club of Boston (address at the bottom of this page).

APPLICATION AND INTERVIEW PROCESS: Upon review of all completed applications, the Scholarship Committee will select a round of finalists who will be invited for an interview with the members of the Scholarship Committee. After meeting with the finalists, the Scholarship Committee will select the winners and award the scholarships at an evening ceremony in early June (exact date TBD), at The University Club.

Scholarship Terms and Conditions:

Upon accepting a Future Leaders of Boston Scholarship Award, recipients must meet the following requirements every year to remain eligible to receive their scholarship:

- Maintain a minimum annual GPA of 3.0 and be enrolled each semester as a full-time student,
- Submit a scholarship renewal application every semester, together with official proof of enrollment, an updated FAFSA form and a college transcript,
- Be in touch with their assigned Ambassadors at least twice a semester, and
- By August 1 prior to each fall semester, students (except Freshman) are required to submit their transcript, Fall schedule and a written 1-2 page essay updating the Scholarship Committee on their accomplishments and challenges from the prior year.
- Provide an invoice/account bill from financial aid office to the University Club of Boston Scholarship Administration for each semester. (Copy your ambassador.)
- The scholarship will be up to amount awarded but not to exceed your gap on a per semester basis.

QUESTIONS? Call or email Paul Dutton at 617-266-5600 x305 or email Corey Schafer at <u>scholarship@uclub.org</u>.



Future Leaders of Boston 2023 Scholarship Application

Applicant's Name	Name of High School	
Applicant's Home Street Address	Name of Guidance Counselor	
Applicant's Home City and Zip Code	Guidance Counselor's Phone and Extension	
Applicant's Cell Phone Number	Guidance Counselor's Email Address	

Applicant's Email Address

Application Checklist:

Please note, students will not be eligible for this scholarship unless they have submitted the following:

- □ Completed Application (pages 3-6)
- □ Essay on Leadership
- □ Personal Essay as submitted with Common Application or Coalition Application
- Official High School Transcript
- □ SAT/ACT Scores (optional)
- □ Student Aid Report (SAR) from my FAFSA form that shows my Expected Family Contributions
- □ Financial aid letters from your top three colleges
- □ At least two letters of recommendation from your guidance counselor and a teacher



<u>College Information:</u>

1.

2.

3.

Starting with your first choice, please list the names of your top three college choices below. Please provide all the information in each of the columns for every college listed.

- \Box Annual Cost = tuition + room + board + estimated cost of books
- \Box Status = Accepted (A), Wait listed (WL), or Pending (P)
- \Box Financial Aid = aid from college + other grants
- \Box Loans = amounts of any student loans you have applied for or expect to apply for
- \Box GAP = Annual Cost Financial Aid Loans

COLLEGE	STATUS	ANNUAL COST	FINANCIAL AID	LOANS	GAP FUNDING
Please list top three college	Accepted	(\$ Amount of	(\$ Amount of aid	(\$ Amounts of any	NEED (Annual Cost –
choices	(A) Waitlisted	Tuition + Room + Board + Estimated	from college + other grants)	student loans you have applied for/	Financial Aid –
	(WL)	cost of books)	grants)	expect to apply for)	Loans)
	Pending				,
	(P)				

What is your anticipated major? _____

Do you anticipate holding a job or participating in a work-study program during the school year?



Extracurricular Activities:

Please list below <u>school-related</u> extracurricular activities in which you are involved. Please specify the number of hours per week you participate in each activity and the number of years you have been involved with each activity.

Activity	Hours per week	# of years
1		
2		
3		
4		
5		

Community Involvement:

Please tell us about community activities you are involved with, <u>outside of school</u>, and why each activity is important to you and the community you are serving. If you would like, you can submit your response on a separate page.

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Essay on Leadership:

Please write a 300 word essay on the qualities you think are important for a leader to possess, and how you have demonstrated leadership in your community (school, neighborhood, and/or city).



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FAMILY FINANCIAL SUMMARY

Name of Person Completing This Form:_____ Phone: _____

FAMILY ASSETS	\$ AMOUNT
1. Total Cash in Bank Account	\$
2. Investments (stocks, bonds, etc.)	\$
3. Total Value of Real Estate Owned	\$
4. Total Value of Automobiles Owned	\$
TOTAL ASSETS (sum of 1-4 above)	\$
FAMILY DEBT	
1. Total Credit Card Debt	\$
2. Total Value of Real Estate Mortgage	\$
3. Total Value of Automobile Loan	\$
TOTAL DEBT (sum of 1-3 above)	\$
TOTAL ASSETS MINUS TOTAL DEBT	\$

Do you expect to help pay for your child's college tuition? YES____ NO _____

If yes, please state how much per year_____

Are you covered under Mass Health Insurance? YES____ NO_____

THE UNDERSIGNED CERTIFIES THAT THE INFORMATION INSERTED HEREIN IS CURRENT AND ACCURATE.

 Signature
 Date
 , 2023

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