

The Florida State University Panama City
Student Government Council
Presidential Scholarship Information

- I. The scholarship shall be \$1,500 per year, disbursed as follows: For undergraduate recipients:
- \$600 for the Fall 2016 semester (Minimum enrollment of 12 credit hours)
 - \$600 for the Spring 2017 semester (Minimum enrollment of 12 credit hours)
 - \$300 for the Summer 2017 semester (Minimum enrollment of 6 credit hours) For graduate recipients:
 - \$750 for the Fall 2016 semester (Minimum enrollment of 6 credit hours)
 - \$750 for the Spring 2017 semester (Minimum enrollment of 6 credit hours)
- II. Awardees must apply to receive subsequent scholarship(s), and may be awarded for a maximum of 6 semesters.
- III. ALL INFORMATION WILL BE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL
- IV. Eligibility:
- a. Must be a citizen or legal resident of the United States
 - b. Must be admitted to an undergraduate or graduate degree program at FSU-PC
 - c. Must be pursuing first baccalaureate/graduate degree
 - d. Must have an overall cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher
- V. Conditions:
- e. Must be classified as a Panama City student (in-class or distance learning) and be enrolled a minimum of 12 credit hours in the Fall and Spring semesters and for a minimum of 6 credit hours in the summer for undergraduate students and a minimum of 6 credit hours in the fall and spring for graduate students.
 - f. Must maintain a cumulative 3.2 grade point average on all work completed at The Florida State University.
 - g. The scholarship is awarded for the 2016-2017 academic year (fall 2016, spring 2017, and summer 2017), with the exclusion of the summer award for graduate recipients.
 - h. Applicants may be granted a partial year award within the same funding cycle if prior recipient(s) is (are) no longer eligible for scholarship.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The application process is complete when the following items are submitted to the Office of Financial Aid to the attention of Kathryn Morgan:

Completed Scholarship Application (may be typed or written in ink)

1. Applicant's Personal Statement (must be typed)
2. Three (3) Letters of Recommendation. At least one must be from a college instructor who knows of your academic ability; it is recommended to acquire more than three letters of recommendation in order to ensure the receipt of at least three letters by deadline. **Deadline: All materials must be received by the Office of Financial Aid BY July 5, 2016. Applications that arrive late will not be considered.**

Materials and inquiries should be directed to:
FSU Panama City
Office of Financial Aid 4750 Collegiate Drive
Panama City, FL 32405-1099
850-770-2177 (direct)

SGC Presidential Scholarship Application

Name: _____ FSUSN: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Florida Resident? Yes No US Citizen? Yes No

Anticipated Graduation Date: _____ Cumulative GPA: _____

Anticipated term(s) of enrollment at FSU Panama City? Fall 2016 Spring 2017 Summer 2017

Classification: Junior Senior Major or Intended Major: _____
 Grad

Previous College(s) attended:						
Name	From	To	Major	GPA	Degree	

I hereby authorize The Florida State University Panama City to release information on my academic record to the scholarship committee (this committee includes student representatives) and others at The Florida State University who will need information to determine scholarship eligibility. This authorization is given in consideration for possible award of The Florida State University Panama City Student Government Council Presidential Scholarship.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

*****For Official Use Only*****

Reviewed by: _____ Date: _____

May be typed or neatly written in ink

Guidelines for Personal Statement

Personal Statements **MUST** be typed

Attach a Personal Statement that includes the following:

1. Your educational goals.
2. Your personal philosophy with regards to your educational and career goals.
3. Your achievements to date including, but not limited to: campus involvement, employment, community involvement, memberships, honors, awards, and leadership positions.
4. Reasons you should be the recipient of The Florida State University Panama City Student Government Council Presidential Scholarship.

Submit this application and statement to:

FSU Panama City Financial Aid

Attn: Kathryn Morgan

4750 Collegiate Drive

Panama City, FL 32401-1099

You can email your completed form and statement to: kmorgan@pc.fsu.edu

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Letter of Recommendation Form To be submitted by the recommender

Section I: TO BE COMPLETED BY APPLICANT

Applicant: _____

Recommender: _____ Title: _____

Company/Organization: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

As an admitted student to The Florida State University you have the right to review your permanent record, including this recommendation form. However, some recommenders prefer not to complete recommendations unless they can be assured of the confidentiality of their comments. Comments provided on a confidential basis are more likely to help the scholarship committee in judging important characteristics. Therefore, FSU affords you the opportunity to waive your right of subsequent access to this recommendation letter. Regardless of your decision, your application will receive full consideration based on all of the information accumulate including this form.

I do I do not waive my right of subsequent access to this recommendation form.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

Applicants should complete Section I and then forward to a reference who is able to comment on the applicant's qualifications regarding The Florida State University Panama City Student Government Council Presidential Scholarship.

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Section II: TO BE COMPLETED BY RECOMMENDER

It is important to the candidate that you give him/her a rating on this form as well as a written statement. Indicate your response by marking an "X" in the appropriate box.

	Outstanding	Above Satisfactory	Satisfactory	Poor	Not Able to Judge
Community Involvement					
Intellectual Ability					
Motivation and Diligence					
Interpersonal Skills					
Leadership					
Attitude					

How long have you known this student? _____

In what capacity? _____

Recommender's Signature: _____ Date: _____

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