

# FINANCIAL AID PROGRAMS 2009-2010

## J. B. SPEED SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

### UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE

#### SPEED SCHOOL PRIVATELY-FUNDED SCHOLARSHIPS

The J. B. Speed School of Engineering endeavors to assist capable and deserving students in financing their education. This support is made possible through a number of privately-endowed scholarships ranging from textbook assistance to full tuition.

Students must be admitted to Speed School and enroll full-time to be considered for Speed financial aid. The continuance of Speed School financial aid is dependent on the student's scholastic record, financial need, and the availability of funds.

Students can download the Speed School of Engineering Scholarship Application at <http://louisville.edu/speed/admissions/freshmen.html>. Additional requirements include: (a) a résumé highlighting the applicant's academic and extracurricular achievements, (b) two letters of recommendation from individuals [non-family members] familiar with the applicant's credentials, and (c) a copy of the applicant's high school transcript. All credentials must be postmarked by January 15.

#### SPEED SCHOOL WORK GRANTS

Students who receive Speed School funds (not affiliated with the Federal Work-Study Program) work in a Speed School office or laboratory five or ten hours per week. Students must submit an application at the beginning of each semester. Funds earned through this program are applied to the student's University account.

#### UNIVERSITY FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

##### SCHOLARSHIPS FOR KENTUCKY RESIDENTS

The following scholarships recognize academic and extracurricular accomplishments of outstanding Kentucky high school students. Awards are renewable each year provided the student meets grade-point average criteria. Many of these scholarships cover tuition for 11 semesters for students in Speed School's Master of Engineering program. To apply by January 15, see <http://louisville.edu/admissions/aid/scholarships>.

- ◆ *National Merit Finalist & National Merit Semifinalist*
- ◆ *Grawemeyer Scholarship*
- ◆ *Hallmark Scholarship*
- ◆ *Trustee's Scholarship*
- ◆ *Eagle Scout/Gold Scout Award*
- ◆ *Woodford R. Porter Sr. Scholarship*
- ◆ *Governor's Scholars Award*
- ◆ *President's Scholarship*
- ◆ *Enhanced KEES Award*

##### Cardinal Covenant

U of L's Cardinal Covenant program helps students from low-income families fund their tuition, room, board, and books with assistance from federal, state, private, and U of L sources. Students should submit a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), available through their guidance office or on-line at [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov), by March 15.

##### KCTCS Academic Transfer Scholarship

U of L offers a scholarship to students transferring in summer or fall from the Kentucky Community and Technical College Systems (KCTCS) or Ivy Tech Community College, Sellersburg. Apply by March 15 at <http://louisville.edu/admissions/aid/scholarships/transfer>.

#### UNIVERSITY FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE (CONTINUED)

##### SCHOLARSHIPS FOR OUT-OF-STATE FRESHMEN

Non-residents of Kentucky admitted to University of Louisville are automatically considered for the following awards; a scholarship application is not required.

##### National Scholars Program

This program allows out-of-state students to enroll at U of L and pay in-state tuition plus \$500 per semester instead of out-of-state tuition rates. The award is valued at more than \$50,000 over the course of the Master of Engineering program. To be eligible students must have a 26 ACT or 1170 SAT (CR + M), a 3.35 GPA on a 4.0- scale, and apply for admission by February 15.

##### Indiana Scholars

This is a reciprocity program whereby students from Clark, Crawford, Floyd, Harrison, Scott, and Washington counties pay in-state tuition.

For more information about University financial assistance, see <http://louisville.edu/admissions/aid/>.

#### ALUMNI CLUB SCHOLARSHIPS

Several alumni clubs offer scholarships to students from their respective areas. The application process can be found at <http://louisville.edu/alumni/scholarships/kentucky-alumni-club-scholarships.html>. The deadline is generally March 15.

- ◆ *Bowling Green*
- ◆ *Capital Region: Shelby, Franklin, Spencer, Scott, Henry, and Anderson Counties*
- ◆ *Central KY/Lexington*
- ◆ *Lake Cumberland: Adair, Casey, Clinton, Cumberland, Laurel, McCreary, Pulaski, Rockcastle, Russell, and Wayne Counties*
- ◆ *Northern KY/Cincinnati*

#### FEDERAL/STATE PROGRAMS

The U. S. Government and Commonwealth of Kentucky provide several loan and grant programs to assist students. Students applying for federal and/or state aid should complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) available through their high school guidance office or on-line at [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov). by March 15. Additional information can be found at <http://louisville.edu/financialaid>.

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