

PAUL J. WEBER SCHOLARSHIP

for

MENTORING EXCELLENCE



The Paul J. Weber Scholarship for Mentoring Excellence is a tribute to the legacy left by a man who dedicated his life to teaching and mentoring. As a former Professor and Chair of the Political Science Department, Dr. Weber was well loved by many. Just before Dr. Weber's death in 2005, students, colleagues, and friends created an endowment in his honor to fund an annual scholarship at the University of Louisville. This scholarship intends to continue Dr. Weber's legacy by recognizing students who exemplify characteristics of mentoring excellence.

The 2024 award is ***\$5,000.00** (**minimum*)

ELIGIBILITY Deadline to Apply: **April 5th by 4:00 PM**

- Must be a senior graduating in May 2024
- Must be a Political Science major or McConnell Scholar
- Must be in good standing with the university
- *Must plan to attend graduate or professional school at the University of Louisville in the Fall of 2024 and pursue a degree in one of the following areas:
 Music, Political Science, Education, Religion, Psychology, Public Administration, or Law School
 [*If accepted for Fulbright/Boren or other related scholarship, may be able to defer award for one year.]

A COMPLETE APPLICATION WILL INCLUDE:

- Cover Letter, to provide the following:
Name, student ID, contact information, major, anticipated graduation date, and graduate school plans (including if you have already been accepted to graduate school and your expected start date).
- Applicant Resume
1 page resume detailing college experiences at the University of Louisville
- Essay
In two pages or less, describe the most influential mentor in your personal life and the characteristics of this person that you try to emulate in your own mentoring and/or leadership experiences. Include what you have accomplished as a leader and mentor.
- Unofficial Transcript

SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

- All materials must be turned in to Emily Rasmussen at **emily.rasmussen@louisville.edu** by **April 5th by 4:00 PM.**