Women’s Club of the University of Louisville (WCUL)

MINORITY SINGLE PARENT SCHOLARSHIP Criteria & Information

This scholarship fund for fall 2022 provides a $11,000 Scholarship for one additional undergraduate student.

a. This Fund will be used to establish undergraduate scholarships covering up to $11,000 per student for in state tuition, fees and books; b. In recognition of the need to support those in financial need within underrepresented communities, it is the donor’s strong preference to support single parents within minority populations giving first consideration to single mothers of African American decent.

CRITERIA INSTRUCTIONS AND SELECTION PROCESS

Criteria for use of the Scholarship Fund will be as follows: a. Students must have already completed at least nine (9) college credit hours of classes. b. Students must have maintained a GPA of 2.5 or higher. c. Students must meet the minimum scholarship requirements of the University and demonstrate financial need as determined by the Student Financial Aid Office through the standard evaluation process that occurs through submission of the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Application for the fund must include: a. One (1) page essay indicating your academic and career goals and how this award will help you to achieve these goals; and Two (2) letters of recommendation from Professors and/or Academic Advisors. b. Applications will be reviewed by academic achievement and financial need. c. Renewal of this scholarship is possible throughout the recipient’s studies at the University of Louisville if the recipient has maintained a 2.5 GPA or higher; d. All applications will be reviewed by the University of Louisville Women’s Center Program Coordinator, or designee by the Women’s Center Director, to identify top 15-20 candidates. Top candidates will be reviewed by the Women’s Club of University of Louisville Scholarship Committee to provide recommendations to the UofL Women’s Center Director for final selection.

Recipients will be determined in the spring for the 2022 fall semester and recognized at Women’s Club Annual Luncheon in the fall or a similar event.

Note: The deadline to apply for this award is Friday, April 22, 2022. Mail application with supporting documents to: Phyllis M. Webb, Program Coordinator, U of L Women’s Center, #196A Cultural & Equity Center, University of Louisville, Louisville, Kentucky 40292 and/or email all items to Phyllis M. Webb, phyllis.webb@louisville.edu by the specified deadline date.