

ALPHA PHI ALPHA FRATERNITY, INC.
Omicron Xi Lambda Chapter
Grandview, Missouri

Brandon C. Fauntleroy-McDowel
2018 Scholarship Program



Omicron Xi Lambda Educational Foundation
2018 Brandon C. Fauntleroy-McDowel Scholarship Guidelines

Purpose

The scholarship program was established to assist male graduating high school seniors with defraying higher education costs. This scholarship fund is an effort of the Omicron Xi Lambda Education Foundation, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. The luncheon is named in the honor of Brother Brandon C. Fauntleroy-McDowel, an Omicron Xi Lambda chapter initiate who dedicated his life to serving the Greater Kansas City community. Funds may be used for tuition, books, or other course-related materials.

Eligibility

In order to be eligible for receiving the BCFM scholarship, the recipient must be a male graduating senior from a high school in the Kansas City metropolitan area. The applicant must have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale, and be accepted to an accredited university or college within the United States. Participants that have a minimum grade point average of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale may be eligible to participate in the program for a book scholarship (see book scholarship guidelines below).

Selection of Candidates

The scholarship committee, consisting of members from the education foundation, will select the award recipients. Each applicant will be evaluated based on his application packet and program participation. Only complete applications will be considered.

Scholarship Awards

Recipient(s) of this scholarship will be awarded **\$1000**. The recipient(s) must provide proof of acceptance or enrollment for the 2018 – 2019 academic year at an accredited college or university within the United States. The scholarship will be distributed no later than August 1, 2018 provided that all scholarship requirements were met. If the award recipient becomes ineligible, the award will be rescinded and another candidate will be chosen.

Deadline for Applications

The deadline for applications is **March 1, 2018**.

Book Scholarships

This year any male high school senior with a 2.5 grade point average or above may also participate in the scholarship program to receive a book scholarship via advertisement sales. An applicant wishing to participate for book scholarship only will need to mark the appropriate box on the application form and a parent/guardian must contact the chairman of the scholarship program to receive the necessary forms. Advertisements have the following costs:

- \$20.00 – Business Card
- \$25.00 – Quarter Page
- \$50.00 – Half Page
- \$100.00 – Full Page

All scholarship participants will receive 50% of their advertisement sales as a book scholarship presented to them at the 2018 BCFM Scholarship Luncheon on **June 9, 2018**. BCFM Scholarship applicants with a 3.0 or higher will also be eligible for additional book scholarship monies via advertisement sales in addition to the \$1,000 award.

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Scholarship Requirements Guidelines

1. Submit a completed application.
2. Submit a sealed copy of an official transcript from the high school you are currently attending.
3. Submit a copy of an acceptance letter or proof of enrollment for the 2018 – 2019 academic year from an accredited college or university.
4. Submit a current resume of activities and community service involvement that you have participated in throughout your high school career. Some activities may include, but are not limited to: academic clubs, sports, employment, civic involvement, community service, awards, and other scholarships.
5. Submit one letter of recommendation attesting to your character and academic achievements. The letter should come from a person who can provide an accurate description of the applicant's character; however, the recommender cannot be a relative.
6. Submit a typed 500-word (*minimum*), double-spaced essay on the following topic:

“The function of education is to teach one to think intensively and to think critically. Intelligence plus character - that is the goal of true education.” - Martin Luther King, Jr.

Considering what Bro. Dr. King deems the “true goal of education,” in what ways do you anticipate growing through higher education and the college experience, and how do you intend to leverage that growth for the benefit of the community?

7. Scholarship applicants attend monthly scholarship program seminars as scheduled:

UMKC Student Union 4 p.m.-5:30 p.m.	Parent Orientation & Essay Writing (2/11)	College 101 (2/18)
Financial Aid & Finance (3/18)	Public Speaking and Interview Skills (4/22)	The Etiquette Dinner (5/20)
8. Scholarship Recipients must attend the Scholarship Luncheon on **June 9, 2018**
9. Completed applications should be emailed to **scote@alumni.upenn.edu** or mailed to the following address:

**Omicron Xi Lambda Education Foundation
P.O. Box 30222
Kansas City, MO 64112**

10. Please address all questions to:

Bro. Edward D. Scott, Jr., MSW
President, OXiLEF
(415) 797-7463
scote@alumni.upenn.edu

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2018 Scholarship Application

(Please type or print in black ink)

Applicant Information

Last name: _____ First Name: _____ MI: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Cell Phone: () _____ - _____

Home Phone: () _____ - _____

Email Address: _____

Parent(s)/ Guardian(s) Information

Last name: _____ First Name: _____ MI: _____

Relationship to Applicant: _____

Last name: _____ First Name: _____ MI: _____

Relationship to Applicant: _____

Address (if different from student address):

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Cell Phone: () _____ - _____

Home Phone: () _____ - _____

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Educational Information

High School:

Name of high school currently attending: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: () _____ - _____

High School Graduation Date: _____

Cumulative Grade Point Average is _____ on _____ scale

College:

Anticipated college or university: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: () _____ - _____

Community Service

Names of agencies and types of community service participated in (attach additional sheets as needed):

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

Recommender Information:

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Title: _____ Relationship to Applicant: _____

Contact Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: () _____ - _____

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Acknowledgement of Application Guidelines

The applicant is qualifying and wishing to submit an application for the following:

_____ **2018 BCFM Scholarship Applicant (\$1,000 award)**

_____ **2018 BCFM Book Scholarship Applicant (amount varies pending ad sales)**

I certify that the information contained in this application and any of the attached information is true and accurate to the best of my ability. I further certify that I have read and fully understand the scholarship guidelines contained within this packet.

Applicant's Printed Name: _____

Applicant's Signature: _____

Date: _____

As a parent and/or legal guardian of the above named applicant, I certify that all of the information contained in this application or any of the attached information is true and accurate. I further certify that I have read and fully understand the scholarship guidelines contained within this packet.

Parent/Legal Guardian Printed Name: _____

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____

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