UC Blue Ash College

2019-20 SCHOLARSHIPS
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1 SCHOLARSHIP TO BE AWARDED

ROGER WARD
SECOND CHANCE SCHOLARSHIP

$2,000

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:
• Returned to college after stopping-out for one or more years due to personal or financial barriers.
• Enrolled in a degree-seeking Behavioral Science program at UCBA: Criminal Justice, Education, Psychology or Social Work.
• A cumulative GPA of 2.5 or above.
• A minimum of 15 credit hours earned at the start of fall semester 2019.

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS FOR APPLICATION:
1. This scholarship is awarded to a student who has returned to college after stopping-out for one or more years due to personal or financial barriers. Please describe the barriers that caused you to leave college.
2. What inspired you to return to college and continue seeking your degree?
3. Describe your plan of action in pursuit of your goals and dreams.
4. Describe how the concept of lifelong learning applies to you. How do you find valuable lessons and wisdom in the experiences you’ve had?

A $2,000 scholarship is awarded and divided into two installments: $1,000 for fall and spring semesters. This scholarship is contingent on the student continuing in his/her program, and maintaining at least a 2.5 GPA.

Adjunct faculty member in the Behavioral Sciences Department, Roger Ward, provides this scholarship as a “second chance” to students who have stopped-out of college for one or more years due to personal or financial barriers. Eligible students must have a 2.5 GPA or above, have earned a minimum of 15 credit hours and be enrolled in a degree-seeking Behavioral Science program at UCBA: Criminal Justice, Education, Psychology or Social Work.

In his many years of teaching, Professor Ward has found that successful students possess several qualities which help them gain self-awareness and employ behaviors and attitudes to help keep them on course.

These scholarships are open to students in specific major or degree programs. See each scholarship description for complete application criteria.

TIPS FOR SUCCESSFUL APPLICATIONS
We’ve designed a simple process to enable you to apply for as many scholarships as possible with one online application.

1. Allow plenty of time.
   Once you begin the online application, you are not able to save and return to complete the process. Ensure that you have adequate time to complete the application in one sitting. It should take approximately 10-60 minutes to complete.

2. Prepare essay responses.
   Many of the scholarships require short essay responses along with the application. Prepare your responses ahead of time to ensure they are thoughtful, complete and presentable. You’ll be able to copy and paste your responses from a text document directly into the application form.

3. Provide faculty recommendations.
   All scholarships require recommendation from a UCBA faculty member. During the application process, you’ll need to provide the name of the faculty member who will be providing your recommendation. Please check with the faculty member prior to listing them on your application to ensure they can provide a recommendation for you.

4. Apply early.
   The application window is brief. Submit your application early to avoid any issues with submission. All applications must be received by the published deadline. No exceptions.

The 2019-20 UC Blue Ash College scholarship application is available at: www.ucblueash.edu/scholarships

For questions regarding the scholarship application, please contact the UC Blue Ash College One Stop Center at scholarships@ucblueash.edu or (513) 745-5740.

Applications must be received by 11:59 p.m. FEBRUARY 11, 2019

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:
• All scholarship applicants must have a minimum 2.5 GPA unless otherwise noted.
• All scholarship candidates must be enrolled in a degree-seeking program at UC Blue Ash College.
• Some scholarships require you to maintain full-time status (12 or more credit hours).

Should they come to the attention of the Scholarship Committee, violations of the Student Code of Conduct may be considered in making scholarship determinations. Students should consult the University of Cincinnati Code of Conduct for reference on this matter: http://www.uc.edu/conduct/Code_of_Conduct.html

For further information on Scholarships at UC Blue Ash College, email scholarships@ucblueash.edu or call the One Stop Service Center at UC Blue Ash College (513) 745-5740.

ESSAY CONTENT IDEAS

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PROGRAM-SPECIFIC SCHOLARSHIPS

BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE SCHOLARSHIPS

The 2019-20 Scholarships
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THERESA E. GOLDFARB
SCHOLARSHIP
(Also Listed Under Technology Scholarships)

$1,000
1 SCHOLARSHIP TO BE AWARDED

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SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:
• Full-time matriculation in the UCBA Pre-Business, Business Management Technology, Organizational Leadership, Information Technology or Applied Administration programs.
• A cumulative GPA of 2.5 or above.

The Theresa E. Goldfarb Scholarship is awarded annually to students in the Pre-Business, Business Management Technology, Organizational Leadership, Information Technology or Applied Administration programs. This scholarship was established in memory of Professor Goldfarb, who was a long-time member of the UCBA Office Information Technology Department. It is supported by a gift from Professor Goldfarb’s family.

ZACHARY KENT LUTZ
SCHOLARSHIP

$1,000
1 SCHOLARSHIP TO BE AWARDED

A total of $1,000 will be divided into two installments: $500 in both fall and spring semesters.

As a faculty member at UC Blue Ash and as one who knows the importance of giving a helping hand when needed, Kent Lutz is inspired to provide these scholarship funds to perpetuate the memory of his son Zachary and to help deserving scholars at UC Blue Ash follow their educational and career dreams.

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:
• The scholarship recipient shall be a first or second year UCBA student in Pre-Business. If the recipient is a first year student, the cumulative UCBA GPA must be at least 2.75.
• Financial need should be considered and addressed within the student’s essay.

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS FOR APPLICATION:
In 500 words or less, describe the impact of your experience with a community service project(s) within the past year.

ROBERT MCCANTS
SCHOLARSHIP

$1,000
2 SCHOLARSHIPS TO BE AWARDED

A total of two $1,000 scholarships are awarded and divided into two installments: $500 for fall and spring semesters. This scholarship is contingent on the student continuing his/her program, and maintaining at least a 2.5 GPA.

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:
• Preference given to minority students.
• Matriculation in a UCBA business or real estate program.
• A cumulative GPA of 2.5 or above.

The Robert McCants Scholarship is awarded annually to minority students in a UCBA business program. This scholarship was established as a gift from Robert McCants.

GARY McDOWELL
SCHOLARSHIP

$1,000
1 SCHOLARSHIP TO BE AWARDED

One $1,000 scholarship is awarded in two $500 installments for fall and spring semesters. This award is contingent upon the student continuing in his/her program and maintaining at least a 2.5 GPA.

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:
• First-generation college student. A first-generation student is defined as someone who is the first in his/her immediate family to attend college.
• Completed first semester of studies in a business program.
• Preference given to students with a part-time job, working eight or more hours per week.
• A cumulative GPA of 2.5 or above.

PARK NATIONAL BANK
HONORS SCHOLARSHIP

$1,500
3 SCHOLARSHIPS TO BE AWARDED

Three $1,500 scholarships are awarded in two $750 installments for fall and spring semesters. This award is contingent upon the student continuing in the honors program.

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:
• Park National Bank Honors Scholarships are designated to Honors Program students in business-related programs. Those include Pre-Communication, Applied Administration, Pre-Business Management, Business Management Technology and Pre-Organizational Leadership.

RITA N. TAYLOR
MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

$1,000
1 SCHOLARSHIP TO BE AWARDED

One $1,000 scholarship is awarded to students in a business-related program who have successfully completed 24 credit hours and possess a minimum GPA of 3.0.

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:
• Matriculation in a business-related program.
• Successful completion of 24 credit hours at the start of fall semester 2019.
• A cumulative GPA of 3.0 or above.

Additional question for application:
In 200 words or less, please describe the quality of your academic performance, your financial need, and your academic aspirations.

One $1000 scholarship is awarded in two $500 installments for fall and spring semesters. This award is contingent upon the student continuing in his/her program and maintaining at least a 2.5 GPA.

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:
• A cumulative GPA of 3.0 or above.
• Successful completion of 24 credit hours at the start of fall semester 2019.
• A cumulative GPA of 3.0 or above.

Additional question for application:
In 200 words or less, please describe the quality of your academic performance, your financial need, and your academic aspirations.
DenTAL HYGIENE SCHOLARSHIPS

DR. EDWARD BALL, SR. MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

High school seniors in the Dental Hygiene program who have demonstrated academic and clinical merit, with a minimum GPA of 3.0.

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:
• Matriculation in the UCBA Dental Hygiene program.
• Freshman status or under 30 credit hours at the start of fall semester 2019.
• A cumulative GPA of 3.0 or above.

CINCINNATI DENTAL SERVICES DENTAL HYGIENE SCHOLARSHIP

One $250 scholarship is awarded to a dental hygiene student who has demonstrated academic and clinical merit, with a minimum GPA of 3.0.

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:
• Matriculation in the UCBA Dental Hygiene program.
• Freshman status or under 30 credit hours at the start of fall semester 2019.
• A cumulative GPA of 3.0 or above.

HU-FRIEDY DENTAL HYGIENE INSTRUMENT KIT SCHOLARSHIP

One $291.44 scholarship is awarded during the fall semester.

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:
• Awarded to a Dental Hygiene student who will be in the first year of the program in fall 2019.
• Matriculation in the Dental Hygiene program.
• Financial need is considered.

DEE DEE MITTEN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

One $500 scholarship is awarded and divided into two installments: $250 for the fall and spring semesters.

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:
• Matriculation in the UCBA Dental Hygiene program.
• Awarded to a Dental Hygiene student who has completed the first year of the program by fall 2019.

This scholarship was established in memory of former student Dee Dee Mitten by the Dental Hygiene Class of 1992 and the Mitten family. This scholarship is awarded to an outstanding student for use in their second year of the Dental Hygiene program.

DEE DEE MITTEN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

One $1,000 scholarship is awarded in two $500 installments for fall and spring semesters. Applicants/recipients must be currently enrolled in their first year (second semester) or second year (first semester) in the Dental Hygiene program at the University of Cincinnati Blue Ash College, and in good standing with the institution. Preference shall be given to students demonstrating the attributes of a professional capable of entering a dental group practice - specifically including teamwork skills, clinical excellence and leadership.

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:
• Matriculation in the UCBA Dental Hygiene program.
• Freshman status or under 30 credit hours at the start of fall semester 2019.
• A cumulative GPA of 3.0 or above.

ROBERT LEWIS HERRMANN SCHOLARSHIP

A total of two $1,500 scholarships are awarded in two installments: $1,500 for the fall and spring semesters.

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:
• Matriculated full-time in the UCBA Communication Design or Applied Graphic Communication degree programs.
• Sophomore status, or 30+ credit hours, at the start of the fall semester of the academic year in which the scholarship will be received.
• A cumulative GPA of 2.5 or above.

The Robert Lewis Herrmann Scholarship is awarded annually to two sophomore students in the UCBA Communication Design or Applied Graphic Communication programs. This scholarship was established in memory of Robert Lewis Herrmann, a local artist, and is funded by his family through the sale of his work.
### Anne and Joseph Etges Scholarship

A total of $1,000 is awarded and divided into two installments: $500 for fall and spring semesters. This scholarship is contingent upon the student continuing in his/her program and maintaining at least a 2.5 GPA.

The Anna and Joseph Etges scholarship is awarded annually to a sophomore student in good academic standing in a UCBA science or allied health program. This scholarship was established in honor of Anna and Joseph Etges by their family as a way to assist current students with their college-related costs.

### Lester and Velma Freytag Scholarship

A total of $1,000 is awarded and divided into two installments: $500 for fall and spring semesters. This scholarship is contingent upon the student continuing in his/her program and maintaining at least a 2.5 GPA.

The Lester and Velma Freytag Scholarship is awarded annually to a sophomore female student in a science or allied health program. This scholarship was established in memory of the parents of UCBA Biology professor emeritus, Lesta Cooper-Freytag, and is funded by Professor Cooper-Freytag.

### Rebecca Carper Lee Nursing Scholarship

A total of $1,000 is awarded and divided into two installments: $500 for fall and spring semesters. This scholarship is contingent upon the student continuing in his/her program and maintaining at least a 3.0 GPA.

Rebecca Carper Lee was inspired to start this scholarship because it was through opportunities such as this, and the nurturing environment of UCBA, that she was able to pursue her dream of becoming a registered nurse. Faced with raising four sons on her own, Rebecca returned to school in order to build a new and better life for her family. Now a tenured nursing faculty member, she seeks to continue the cycle of supportive care which she received. This scholarship serves to honor those students who choose to enter the profession of nursing and the nursing faculty who guide them on their way to achieving that dream.

### Karen Sanders Nursing Scholarship

A total of $1,900 is awarded and divided into two installments: $950 for fall and spring semesters. This scholarship is contingent upon the student continuing in his/her program and maintaining at least a 2.5 GPA.

### Nancy A. Stolzenberger Scholarship

A total of $1,430 is awarded and divided into two installments: $715 for fall and spring semesters. This scholarship is contingent upon the student continuing in his/her program and maintaining at least a 2.5 GPA.

The Nancy A. Stolzenberger Scholarship is awarded annually to a sophomore student in Nursing Clinicals. This scholarship was established in memory of Nancy A. Stolzenberger, a local nurse and former UCBA student. It is funded by her family through ongoing contributions.

### Elinor L. Willet, RN/Carespring Health Care Mgmt. Scholarship

Two $1,000 scholarships are awarded and divided into two installments: $500 for fall and spring semesters. This award is contingent upon the student continuing in his/her program and maintaining at least a 2.5 GPA.

The Elinor L. Willet, RN/Carespring Health Care Management Scholarship is awarded annually to one sophomore student in clinical nursing coursework. The scholarship was created in honor of the late Elinor L. Willet, RN, mother of Barry Bortz, owner of Carespring Health Care Management.

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### Scholarship Criteria:
- Matriculation in the UCBA Nursing program.
- A cumulative GPA of 2.5 or above.

### Additional Questions for Application:
1. What inspires you to become a nurse?
2. What are your professional/educational goals once you complete your Nursing Technology degree?
3. Include a statement about how you balance school and family.
### Liberal Arts Scholarships

#### William Baughin Liberal Arts Scholarship

A total of $2,000 is divided and awarded in two installments: $1,000 for the fall and spring semesters. The William Baughin Liberal Arts Scholarship is awarded annually to a UCBA sophomore liberal arts student in good academic standing. This scholarship was established in memory of William Baughin, a former UCBA professor. It is funded by his family and friends through ongoing contributions in recognition of William’s work as an advisor.

**SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:**
- Matriculation in any UCBA Liberal Arts degree program.
- Sophomore status, or 30+ credit hours, at the start of the fall semester of the academic year in which the scholarship will be received.
- A cumulative GPA of 3.4 or above.

### Technology Scholarships

#### Theresa E. Goldfarb Scholarship

A $1,000 scholarship is awarded and divided into two installments: $500 for fall and spring semesters. This scholarship is contingent upon the student continuing in his/her program, and maintaining at least a 2.5 GPA. The Theresa E. Goldfarb Scholarship is awarded annually to students in the Pre-Business, Business Management Technology, Organizational Leadership, Information Technology or Applied Administration programs. This scholarship was established in memory of Professor Goldfarb, who was a long-time member of the UCBA Office Information Technology Department. It is supported by a gift from Professor Goldfarb’s family.

**SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:**
- Full-time matriculation in the UCBA Pre-Business, Business Management Technology, Organizational Leadership, Information Technology or Applied Administration programs.
- A cumulative GPA of 2.5 or above.

#### Agnes and William Sovak Scholarship

A total of $1,000 is divided and awarded in two installments: $500 for the fall and spring semesters. The Agnes and William Sovak Scholarship is awarded to a matriculated student in good academic standing in UCBA’s Electronic Media Technology program. This scholarship was established in honor of Agnes and William Sovak by their family as a way to assist current students with their college-related costs.

**SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:**
- Matriculation in the UCBA Electronic Media Technology degree program.
- Good academic standing at the start of the fall semester of the academic year in which the scholarship will be awarded.

### Non-Program-Specific Scholarships

#### Barnett Family Scholarship

One $500 scholarship is awarded in two $250 installments for fall and spring semesters. This award is contingent upon the student continuing in his/her program and maintaining at least a 2.5 GPA. This scholarship was established in honor of Bill, Polly, and Mark Barnett by their family as a way to assist students with their college expenses.

**SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:**
- Matriculation in a UCBA degree or certificate program.
- Enrollment in a minimum of six credit hours during spring semester of the 2018-19 academic year.
- A cumulative GPA of 2.5 or above.

#### Blue Ash Civic League Scholarship

One $1,000 scholarship is awarded in two $500 installments for fall and spring semesters. This award is contingent upon the student continuing in his/her program and maintaining at least a 2.5 GPA. The Blue Ash Civic League has served the Blue Ash community since the early 1900’s providing civic, social and community services. Members of the Civic League were leaders in the efforts to incorporate Blue Ash; a goal achieved in 1954. Over the years members have worked to improve city services and infrastructure, enhance quality of life, and provide opportunities for youth in the community. In addition to other activities, the League is the founding and title organization of the Blue Ash Memorial Day parade. It is the chartering organization for Blue Ash Boy Scout Troop 29; sponsors youth baseball teams and contributes to several Blue Ash based nonprofit organizations and student scholarships. The Civic League is delighted to be partnering with UC Blue Ash to provide a scholarship for students in the greater Blue Ash area.

**SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:**
- This scholarship is not limited to a specific program/major
- The student must have a minimum 2.5 GPA.
- This scholarship benefits an incoming freshman that is a graduate of Sycamore High School, but could be extended into the student’s second year at UCBA, pending the student meets eligibility and the funds are available.

**ADDITIONAL QUESTION FOR APPLICATION:**
- Provide a statement describing your financial barriers.
Ten $1,000 scholarships are awarded in two $500 installments for fall and spring semesters. This award is contingent upon the student continuing in his/her program and maintaining at least a 2.8 GPA.

Eric Broyles is an alumnus of UC Blue Ash College, and attributes much of his success to the professors at the college giving him the inspiration and confidence he needed to achieve his dreams.

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:
• The student must have a minimum 2.8 GPA.
• Recipients must be working at least part-time while attending the college.
• Must have earned 30 credit hours at the college and be majoring in a program with plans to transition to UC’s Uptown campus in pursuit of a baccalaureate degree.
• Preference shall be given to a first-generation student.
• Preference shall be given to students with a diverse background, based upon factors, including, but not limited to, socio-economic status (family income, wealth, etc.), parental education, cultural awareness, and history of overcoming adversity.

ADDITIONAL QUESTION FOR APPLICATION:
• Provide a statement addressing your future plans or a vision for community service and helping others.

Ten $1,000 scholarships are awarded in two $500 installments for fall and spring semesters. This award is contingent upon the student maintaining full-time enrollment in the college and at least a 3.0 GPA.

The Dean’s Full-Time Scholarship is awarded to eight sophomore students who will be enrolled full-time in a UCBA degree program.

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:
• Full-time enrollment in a UCBA degree program.
• Sophomore status, or 30+ completed credit hours, at the start of fall semester of the academic year in which the scholarship will be received.
• A cumulative GPA of 3.0 or above.

A total of eight $500 scholarships are awarded, divided into two installments: $250 for fall and spring semesters. This scholarship is contingent on the student maintaining at least a 3.0 GPA.

The Dean’s Part-Time Scholarship is awarded to eight sophomore students who will be enrolled at least half-time (6-11 credit hours) in a UCBA degree program.

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:
• Half-time enrollment (6-11 credit hours) in a UCBA degree program.
• Sophomore status, or 30+ completed credit hours, at the start of fall semester of the academic year in which the scholarship will be received.
• A cumulative GPA of 3.0 or above.

A total of eight $500 scholarships are awarded for the 2018 summer term.

The Dean’s Summer Scholarship is awarded to eight UCBA students attending the 2018 summer term at least half-time (six credit hour minimum).

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:
• Matriculation in a UCBA degree or certificate program.
• Enrollment in a minimum of six credit hours during the summer term of 2018.
• A cumulative GPA of 3.0 or above.

One $1,900 scholarship is awarded in two $950 installments for fall and spring semesters. This award is contingent upon the student continuing in his/her program and maintaining at least a 3.0 GPA.

Carla Eng was inspired to start this scholarship because at a time in her life that she needed assistance, she was awarded a scholarship for a displaced homemaker. She was a single mom looking to go back to school so that she could provide for her son and make a better life. It is with great honor that Carla and her husband can help someone achieve their dreams.

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:
• Student can be starting college, or seeking to go back to college to further their career.
• Student is a single parent, with preference given to single mothers.
• Enrolled in a minimum of six credit hours each semester.
• A cumulative GPA of 3.0 or above.

ADDITIONAL QUESTION FOR APPLICATION:
• How does being a parent to your child, or children, impact your college experience?
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**GLORIA GIANNESTRAS SCHOLARSHIP**

A total of $1,000 is divided and awarded in two installments: $500
for the fall and spring semesters.

**SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:**
- Enrolled in at least six credit hours, and in good academic standing.
- At least 22 years of age.

**PETER S. JACKSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

A total of $750 is divided and awarded in two installments: $375
for the fall and spring semesters.

**SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:**
- A cumulative GPA of 2.5 or above.
- Awarded to students with demonstrated financial need at UCBA.

**MARION B. METZ FIRST-GENERATION SCHOLARSHIP**

A total of $1,000 will be divided into two installments: $500 in
both the fall and spring semesters.

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**GLORIA GIANNESTRAS SCHOLARSHIP**

A total of $1,000 is divided and awarded in two installments: $500
for the fall and spring semesters.

The Gloria Giannestras Scholarship is awarded to a matriculated
non-traditional, weekend, and/or evening degree program student in
good academic standing. This scholarship is sponsored by the Osher
Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI). The scholarship honors Gloria
Giannestras, one of OLLI’s founding members.

**SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:**
- Enrolled in at least six credit hours, and in good academic standing.
- At least 22 years of age.

**ROBERT L. SCHULER SCHOLARSHIP**

One $1,000 scholarship is awarded and divided into two installments: $500 for fall and spring semesters. This scholarship is contingent upon the student continuing in his/her program and maintaining at least a 3.25 GPA.

**SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:**
- Matriculation in a UCBA degree or certificate program.
- Good academic standing at the start of fall semester of the academic year in which the scholarship will be received.
- The donor prefers the student to be a first-generation college student. A first-generation student is defined as a student where neither parent has graduated from college with a degree.
- Single parent.
- Sophomore status, or 30+ semester credit hours at the start of the 2019 fall semester.
- A cumulative GPA of 3.25 or above.

**ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS FOR APPLICATION:**
- If you are a first-generation student, describe your experience.

**DON AND KATHY O’MEARA SCHOLARSHIP**

One $2,000 scholarship is awarded in two $1,000 installments for the fall and spring semesters. This award is contingent upon the student continuing in his/her program and maintaining at least a 2.5 GPA.

**SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:**
- First-generation college student. A first-generation student is defined as a student where neither parent has graduated from college with a degree.
- Single parent.
- Sophomore status, or 24+ semester credit hours at the start of the 2019 fall semester.
- A cumulative GPA of 2.5 or above.

**ADDITIONAL QUESTION FOR APPLICATION:**
- Provide a statement describing your financial need.

**CLARA AND STEPHEN E. OLENIK SCHOLARSHIP**

A total of $1,000 is divided and awarded in two installments: $500
for the fall and spring semesters.

The Clara and Stephen E. Olenick Scholarship is awarded to a UCBA matriculated student in good academic standing. This scholarship was established in honor of Clara and Stephen Olenick by their family as a way to assist current students with their college-related costs.

**SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:**
- Matriculated student in good academic standing.
- American Indian, Alaska Native, Native Hawaiian, or any other Native American or Pacific Islander student.
- Good academic standing at the start of fall semester of the academic year in which the scholarship will be received.

**SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:**
- First-generation college student. A first-generation student is defined as a student where neither parent has graduated from college with a degree.
- Good academic standing at the start of fall semester of the academic year in which the scholarship will be received.
- The donor prefers the student to be a first-generation college student. A first-generation student is defined as a student where neither parent has graduated from college with a degree.
- Single parent.
- Sophomore status, or 24+ semester credit hours at the start of the 2019 fall semester.
- A cumulative GPA of 3.25 or above.

**ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS FOR APPLICATION:**
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**ADDITIONAL QUESTION FOR APPLICATION:**
- Provide a statement describing your financial need.

**ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS FOR APPLICATION:**
- Please address any hardship or barriers you have overcome as a student.
- Please address any community service involvement.

**ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS FOR APPLICATION:**
- Please address student involvement and/or interest in political science and public service.
- Provide a statement describing your financial need.
**DR. CADY SHORT-THOMPSON SCHOLARSHIP**

One $1,000 scholarship is awarded and divided into two installments: $500 for fall and spring semesters.

Former Dean of UC Blue Ash College and University of Cincinnati alumnae, Dr. Cady Short-Thompson awards this scholarship to a student transferring to UC Blue Ash College from another college or institution. She was a transfer student to UC and considers it to be one of the best decisions of her life.

**SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:**
- A cumulative GPA of 2.5 or above.
- Student must have transferred to UCBA.
- Student must have financial need.
- This scholarship is open to students of any major.

**ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS FOR APPLICATION:**
1. Please describe your decision to transfer to UCBA.
2. Please address any financial barriers you have in achieving your academic goals.

**WARSHAW FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP**

One $475 scholarship is awarded in two $237.50 installments for the fall and spring semesters. This award is contingent upon the student continuing in his/her program and maintaining at least a 2.5 GPA.

Sherri Warshaw is a registered dental hygienist, Maya Clinic Certified Tobacco Treatment Specialist and UC Blue Ash Alumna, Class of 1995. Her inspiration for starting this scholarship is a member of her family who has Asperger syndrome. By providing scholarship support, Sherri will help future students with disabilities to be “set up for success” while navigating college at UC Blue Ash.

**SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:**
- UC Blue Ash student who is registered with the Office of Accessibility Services at the college.
- A cumulative GPA of 2.5 or above.

**WILL A. WASHINGTON / HAZELWOOD COMMUNITY ASSN. COMMUNITY JUSTICE SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

A total of two $500 scholarships will be issued and divided into two installments: $250 in both the fall and spring semesters.

Willa A. Washington

The scholarship was established in memory of Willa Alice Battle Washington (1932-2003) by her family and the Hazelwood Community Association to sustain her spirit of community empowerment and community justice. As a founding member of the Hazelwood Civic Association (1967), Hazelwood Improvement Corporation (1968), and the Hazelwood Community Association (1997), she believed that civic engagement was important to self-development and to the well-being of the community. She believed that a healthy community is the result of committed residents who value fairness and justice. She believed these values are important to the socialization and education of youth. For this reason, she enrolled her children in virtually all of the youth programs sponsored by the community associations so that they would have an awareness of community leadership and civic responsibility.

**SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA:**
- Matriculation in any UCBA degree program.
- Enrollment in at least six credit hours.
- Sophomore status, or 30+ credit hours, at the start of fall semester of the academic year in which the scholarship will be received.
- A cumulative GPA of 3.0 or above.

**ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS FOR APPLICATION:**
1. Please describe your decision to enroll at UCBA.
2. Please address any financial barriers you face as a student in achieving your academic goals.
3. Please address any financial barriers you face as a student in achieving your academic goals.
4. What are your future academic goals?
5. How will this Scholarship assist you in achieving, despite any challenges you face?
Interested in helping UC Blue Ash Students achieve their academic dreams?

How to Support our Scholarships

Financial barriers are by far our students’ greatest roadblocks to earning a college degree. Learn how you can help in creating or supporting our scholarship efforts – so no student has to give up their dreams due to financial hardship.

CREATE A NAMED SCHOLARSHIP

Individuals and businesses can create a named scholarship for UC Blue Ash students for a minimum $5,000 donation. Scholarships can be customized to reflect the interests of each donor.

Previous UC Blue Ash College Dean Cady Short-Thompson (left) established her scholarship to help transfer students achieve their dreams at UC Blue Ash College.

BECOME A CORPORATE SPONSOR

Corporate sponsorships for UC Blue Ash events provide enhanced visibility to the general public and allow local businesses to make an impact by supporting the UC Blue Ash Scholarship Fund. Sponsorships range from $1,000 to $10,000 and proceeds support scholarships for students.

Our annual 5K supports student scholarships in a big way. All proceeds from the event go into a scholarship fund to support deserving UC Blue Ash Students. To date, the event has raised more than $215,000 for student scholarships.

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Loans

Purpose
The purpose of the Ensminger Loans are to provide stopgap funding for students waiting for financial confirmation and needing to pay their tuition bill. The loan is available to students who have an identified repayment source in place. Only UC Blue Ash certificate or degree-seeking students who have filed for financial aid are eligible to apply.

Requirement
Loans for the Charles and Martha Ensminger Loan Fund are primarily for UC Blue Ash College students with a preference given to Appalachian students. Students enrolled with a Liberal Arts major are excluded from eligibility for this loan.

Students who have received previous UC Blue Ash College loans must have a zero balance before any further loans can be made. No interest is charged on these loans. Students interested in receiving more information regarding Ensminger Loans can visit the One Stop Office in Muntz Hall.