

A. R. F. O. R. A.

UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP FOR WOMEN



Purpose of Scholarship

Scholarships are awarded based on scholastic achievement, character, worthiness, and participation in religious life, to women of The Romanian Orthodox Episcopate of America who have completed their first year of an undergraduate program at an accredited college or university. Applicant must be a communicant member, or daughter of a communicant member, of a parish/mission of The Romanian Orthodox Episcopate of America for at least one year prior to application.

An applicant must show proof of acceptance and registration at an accredited college or university (specifying the course of study), and may not receive an award more than one time.

SECTION I

Name _____ Date of Birth _____
(First) (Middle Initial) (Last) (Month / Day / Year)

Home Address _____ Phone _____
(Street Address)

(City) (State/Province) (Zip/Postal Code) Email _____

Father's Name _____ Mother's Name _____

Home Parish _____
(Name) (City)

Parish Priest _____ Check all that apply : I am a member of this parish for ____ years ____ months.
 My parents have been members of this parish for ____ years.

SECTION II

College/University Honors and Awards *(please note year of receipt)*

Extra-Curricular Activities *(School, Church, Community)*

Vocational Goal

Name of college/university where you have been accepted _____

Address _____
(Street Address)

(City)

(State/Province)

(Zip/Postal Code)

Website http://_____

SECTION III - PLEDGE

I will immediately report to the committee a withdrawal from school during the award period. I understand that I may be liable to a refund of the award, subject to the discretion of the committee.

Applicant Signature _____ Date _____

Name Printed _____

SECTION IV - APPLICANT'S WRITTEN STATEMENT

All applicants must compose, on a separate sheet, a statement of approximately 300 words stating: personal goals, high school/church/community involvement, honors, awards, and why she should be considered for this award.

SECTION V - PROCEDURE

This completed form, accompanied by the following, should be returned to the Scholarship Committee:

- A. Proof of admission and registration to an accredited college or university
- B. The applicant must include a recent digital photograph of herself suitable for possible publication.
- C. Three letters of recommendation from:
 - 1) Applicant's Parish Priest (If applicant is the wife or daughter of the priest, then from another priest)
 - 2) An official High School representative who can attest to her education accomplishments, abilities and goals
 - 3) Another non-clergy individual, not related to the applicant, who can attest to her character

(Note: Items submitted will not be returned.)

Applications for the current year must be postmarked **no later than APRIL 1.**

EMAIL COMPLETED APPLICATIONS TO: arfora[dot]scholarship[at]gmail[dot]com

For more information, contact ARFORA Scholarship Committee - Pasha Bortnova at (612) 298-9066.