

# Washington Men's Gymnastics Foundation

## *Alumni Scholarship*

### Eligibility

The applicant must be a student at (or have applied for admission to) the University of Washington or other local university or vocational college.

### How to Apply

Applications are available from the web site or address below.

#### First-year applicants

- **Three letters of recommendation** are also required.
- Letters may be from a coach, teacher, minister, or employer but not from a relative.
- Attach the letters to your application, or have each writer submit directly (recommended).

#### Second-year applicants (*letters of recommendation not required.*)

- Your attendance at practices, competitions, and fundraising events during your first year on the team will be reviewed by the scholarship committee. Priority and amount will favor those gymnasts with perfect and/or excellent attendance.
- Your gymnastics contribution to the team will also be measured and reviewed by the committee.

#### Third-year applicants (*letters of recommendation not required.*)

- Your leadership qualities with respect to the team will be considered for a third-year award. Priority and amount will favor those gymnasts showing the ability to responsibly lead the team.
- Your gymnastics contribution to the team will also be measured and reviewed by the committee.

#### Fourth-year applicants (*letters of recommendation not required.*)

- Your contribution to recruiting, involvement with the WMGF Board, or the gymnastics community (scoring system, judging, team representative, coaching) will be reviewed by the committee.
- Your gymnastics contribution to the team will also be measured and reviewed by the committee.

### Who Will Award the Scholarship?

A panel of three WMGF Board members will review all applications and make recommendations to the Board for final decisions.

Three criteria (in no particular order) will be used to award scholarships:

1. Financial need
2. Academic standing and potential
3. Gymnastics ability

These criteria may be considered equally in selecting recipients.

### What is the WMGF?

The Foundation financially supports the gymnasts training on the Washington Men's Gymnastics Team.

### Funds

Money for the Alumni Scholarship comes from the WMGF general operating fund. The WMGF operating fund largely consists of alumni donations, but also consists of funds earned through the fundraising work of team members and the WMGF Board. Anyone can donate to the WMGF. All contributions are tax deductible. Please contact us with any questions (see below).

*For other questions contact:*

**WMGF**

ATTN: Mark Russo  
5529 27th NE  
Seattle, WA 98105

206-524-9480  
[www.wmgf.us](http://www.wmgf.us)

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### Personal Data

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

SSN \_\_\_\_\_ Birth date \_\_\_\_\_

High School \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_ GPA \_\_\_\_\_

College \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_ GPA \_\_\_\_\_

Major \_\_\_\_\_

Scholarship requested for (circle one) Autumn | Winter | Spring quarter Year \_\_\_\_\_

### Income Information (past two calendar years)

Student		Parents			
	Past year	Prev. year		Past year	Prev. year
Salary / Wages	_____	_____	Total annual gross income (before taxes or any other deductions)	_____	_____
Loans	_____	_____	Number of IRS exemptions	_____	_____
Scholarships	_____	_____	Number of children in college	_____	_____
Other	_____	_____			
<b>Total</b>	_____	_____			

I affirm that all of the above is true and correct, and that all income is reported. I understand that this information will not be disclosed to anyone other than the review panel, and will be used solely for determination of financial aid.

Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent or Guardian,  
if applicant is under 18 \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Submit application by **DECEMBER 31** to: WMGF  
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### Questions

Please answer the following questions. Attach additional pages as needed.

1. What are your athletic accomplishments?
2. What are your athletic goals?
3. What are your academic and career goals?
4. Do you participate in any other activities?
5. Why would you attend and participate on the Washington Men's Gymnastics team?