

TIU ALUMNI ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded every April for the following Academic Year

PURPOSE The purpose of the TIU Alumni Association Scholarship is to honor an undergraduate student who is a direct descendant of a Trinity alum and is excelling in academics while expressing an affinity for the future success of Trinity.

AMOUNT One \$1,500 scholarship is awarded each year and distributed at the rate of \$750 per semester. The scholarship recipient will be announced during the Annual Honors and Awards Convocation each April.

ELIGIBILITY Any full-time, undergraduate student, including previous applicants and recipients, with the following qualifications, and attending any TIU campus may apply:

- Has at least one parent who received a degree from Trinity (all schools and campuses included) or attended Trinity full-time for one or more years.
- Has a minimum 3.25 cumulative GPA.
- Is entering the upcoming fall semester as a junior or senior.

PROCEDURE The student applicant will create an application packet that must be **received** by the alumni office by midnight of February 27, 2008. The packet must be complete and contain the following four parts:

1. Completed application form with all questions answered on the form.
2. A letter of recommendation from an alum parent. If the alum parent cannot, a close family member may write the letter on behalf of the alum parent and must include contact information (i.e., email, phone number).
3. A letter of recommendation from a pastor, teacher, or spiritual mentor. This person should also include their contact information.
4. A current photo and, if possible, another photo with the student and alum parent(s). Electronic photos are preferred and may be submitted via email (alumni@tiu.edu) or on CD in the packet. If photos are printed, they should be submitted with the packet.

Mail (or drop off) the **completed** application packet to the address below. **Any application received after February 27, 2008 will not be considered. If you have questions, email alumni@tiu.edu or call 847.317.8145.**

TIU Alumni & Parent Relations Office
2065 Half Day Road
Deerfield, IL 60015

TIU Alumni Association Scholarship Form

NAME: _____

HOME ADDRESS: _____

CAMPUS BOX NUMBER: _____

MAJOR: _____

PHONE (Campus Ext.): _____

PHONE (Cell): _____

EMAIL: _____

WEBSITE: _____

1. Which of your parents is an alumnus/alumna* of Trinity College?
**Any individual who has attended one year full-time or the equivalent of one year is considered an alumnus/alumna.*

◆ Mother: Dates of attendance _____ Major _____ Graduation date _____

◆ Father: Dates of attendance _____ Major _____ Graduation date _____

2. Please write out your parents' full name(s) and current address(es), including your mother's maiden name, if she is an alumna.

Parent #1 Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Parent #2 Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

3. What is your cumulative GPA? _____
4. What class year will you be entering in the fall? Junior Senior

PERSONAL QUESTIONS

Please write or type your answers to these questions on a separate sheet of paper and attach it to this form. Be sure to reply to each question. Brief, articulate answers are ideal but not essential.

1. Describe the influence your alum parent(s) has had on your decision to study at TIU.
2. What interests you about your current major and how do you envision using your degree once you graduate from Trinity?
3. Describe some co curricular activities you have participated in so far at Trinity and comment on what you are gaining through them.
4. Tell us about the local church you are involved with during your time at Trinity.
5. Comment on Trinity's concept of integrating faith with learning.
6. Describe some key characteristics about yourself as a Christian and how you plan to serve Christ using your spiritual gifts, talents, and interests.
7. Do you feel that your education at Trinity will help you achieve your life goals? If so, how?
8. How do you envision yourself continuing a relationship with TIU after you graduate? Please explain.