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Merit Scholarship for Graduate Programs

Nexus University is proud to offer Merit Scholarships. These scholarships may apply to students that completed an undergraduate program at the School of Health Science and Nursing or at the School of Business. These scholarships are in keeping with our mission to form professionals through educational experiences that stimulate ethical behavior, as well as an attitude of enterprise, innovation, leadership, and respect for cultural and social diversity.

ELIGIBILITY

- The Merit scholarship applies to students that finalized an undergraduate program at Nexus University and were part of the Dean's List (3.50 to 3.79 GPA) every semester until the completion of the program.
- The Merit scholarship is non-transferrable to any other program or person.
- The Merit scholarship may be combinable with a Nexus University career scholarship awarded on the same academic year.
- The Merit scholarship will only apply for students accepted at a Master Program within one academic year of graduation from an undergraduate program at Nexus University.
- The Merit Scholarship will be awarded and prorated by semester and session.
- The Merit scholarship only applies to graduate programs core courses.

SELECTION PROCESS

- Scholarship selection shall not be made with regard to race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, age, national origin, disability, veteran status, or any other category protected by federal, state, or local law.
- The recipients of this Merit Scholarship will be selected by the Nexus University Scholarship Committee consisting of representatives from Nexus University. Non-faculty members may assist in the selection committee process.
- The Merit Scholarship award will apply only to students in the Dean's List during the full length on an undergraduate program at Nexus University.
- The decision of the Merit Scholarship selection committee is final and not subject to a review process.
- Nexus University and its employees, officers, directors, affiliates, agents, and representatives are not responsible for any typographical or other errors in the offer or administration of the [scholarship/grant/award], including, but not limited to, errors in any printing or posting of these terms and conditions, the selection and announcement of any awardee, or the distribution of any Merit Scholarship. Nexus University may correct any such errors in its sole discretion.
- Any necessary determination, or clarification, as to the interpretation or to the application of a particular term shall be made by Nexus University in its sole discretion. Nexus University reserves the right in its sole discretion to terminate, suspend or make any changes or modifications to the



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Merit Scholarship, including, but not limited to, the criteria, the selection process, the deadline dates, and the terms and conditions.

- Any student suspected of tampering with or disrupting any aspect of the Merit Scholarship award process will be disqualified. All decisions of Nexus University are final. By participating, a student (i) agrees to be bound by these terms and conditions, (ii) agrees to release, indemnify and hold harmless Nexus University and its employees, officers, directors, affiliates, agents, and representatives, from any and all claims, liabilities, losses and damages of any kind arising in whole or in part, directly or indirectly, from his or her application or acceptance, possession, use, or misuse of the Merit Scholarship, and (iii) grants Nexus University a sole, worldwide, perpetual, royalty-free, irrevocable, sublicensable, transferable right to use his or her award, as well as his or her name, likeness, voice, biographical information, and statements, for advertising and promotional purposes, in any media now known or hereafter invented, without compensation or notification, except as prohibited by law.
- Nexus University makes no warranties of any kind, express or implied, with respect to the Merit Scholarship. Acceptance, participation in and/or use of the Merit Scholarship is at student's sole risk and Nexus University is not responsible for any damages whatsoever including special, indirect, or consequential damages arising out of or in connection with the use and/or misuse of the Merit Scholarship.
- Should Nexus University, in its sole discretion, determine that the Merit Scholarship selection process has been compromised by virus, bugs, tampering, hackers or other causes beyond its control, Nexus University reserves the right to void suspect entries and/or terminate such selection process and chose the awardees in a fair and reasonable manner.
- All disputes concerning the construction, interpretation, validity, effect and enforceability of these terms and conditions will be governed by the laws of the State of Florida without regard to conflicts of law provisions. Students agree that exclusive jurisdiction over any legal action arising out of or in connection with these terms and conditions and/or the Merit Scholarship will be in state or federal courts located in or nearest to Miami, Florida and by submitting an application, each applicant consents to such jurisdiction and venue.

AWARDS

- The Merit Scholarship applies to students that were part of the Dean's List (3.50 to 3.79 GPA) every semester until the completion of the program and have a USD \$4,500 value that is awarded by semester and prorated by session.
- The maximum value for Merit Scholarship awarded to students is USD \$4,500.
- The Scholarship Committee reviews the potential eligibility of students after successfully completed their undergraduate program.
- The awardee, the submission or portions thereof may be posted to the Nexus University website and used in Nexus University promotional materials.
- The Merit Scholarship has no cash value.
- Merit Scholarships that are awarded to the recipients can only be used to assist with tuition payments of a graduate program at Nexus University and are not redeemable in cash.
- No student will receive more than one Merit Scholarship.



- The Merit Scholarship cannot be applied to any fees or courses other than the program core courses. Students are still financially responsible to cover the costs of these fees and courses throughout the program.
- Any Merit Scholarship funds that are awarded cannot be used for the purchase of books, any fees that may be applicable to their degree program, and outside materials (computers, internet service, etc.).
- Any tuition paid prior to the Merit Scholarship award will be refunded to the awardee if the account reflects a credit balance at semester's end. When applicable, refund will be processed by the Bursar's office between 7 to 10 working days.
- Courses taken under the Merit Scholarship will be recorded against the student's calendar year 1098-T.

MAINTAINING ELIGIBILITY

- All existing student policies located in the Nexus University catalog must be adhered to while the recipient is a student at Nexus University.
- The student must maintain a Satisfactory Academic Standard (SAS). Please see the current catalog for SAS definition.
- Should a Merit Scholarship recipient withdraw or be dismissed from Nexus University prior to disbursement of all Scholarship funds awarded to him or her, the balance of the tuition funds awarded, but not disbursed, will be terminated and will not be available to the student for future courses.

Signature of Applicant

Date Submitted

Full Name of Applicant

Date Received