



**SCHOLARSHIP FOR A JUST AND SUSTAINABLE WORLD**

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**Application Packet**  
**2017-18 Scholarship Program**

These \$1,000 scholarships are available to undergraduate students who will hold sophomore, junior or senior standing in the 2017-18 academic year at the State University of New York at Old Westbury. Scholarships will be awarded to at least one student each (if eligible) in each of the College's academic schools.

Students eligible for these awards are those who, through their research and service, have demonstrated the key and core elements of the mission of SUNY Old Westbury. Students applying for this award must meet the following criteria and/or complete the following information:

- Open to currently enrolled SUNY Old Westbury students of at least sophomore standing who will be matriculated during the 2017-18 academic year.
- Open to full- and part-time students.
- Must possess at least a 2.75 grade point average (based on a 4 point system) and must maintain that GPA throughout the 2017-18 academic year.
- Provide a resume or written statement outlining the research and community service activities, including positions held and/or recognitions earned.
- Respond to the following essay question accordingly with a minimum 500 word typed response. Include your essay with your application.

*One form of motivation used in community organizing is testimonio, or personal testimonial narratives. Explain your motivation for participating in the research or service your conduct. What is your personal connection to the justice or sustainability issues that you identified? What are your academic and career interests and how have they both been informed by and relate to your research or service?*

- Letters of recommendation from faculty or staff of the College are welcome but not required.

**Application Due: Friday, August 4, 2017.**

Applications must be post-marked or dropped off by the end of the business day. Incomplete and late applications will not be accepted. You may drop off your applications and the related required material to the Office of Institutional Advancement, room H-425 Campus Center or mail to:

Ms. Pritpal Kainth  
Coordinator of Scholarships  
SUNY Old Westbury  
PO Box 210  
Old Westbury, NY 11568-0210  
(516) 876-3207 or via email to [kainthp@oldwestbury.edu](mailto:kainthp@oldwestbury.edu)

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*Application for 2017-18 Award*

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When applying for this scholarship:

- Please complete all sections of the form below and attach all required materials (written submission, reference information, etc.) at the time of submission.
- Declare your major, gender and ethnicity with the Office of the Registrar.
- File your financial aid application by the suggested deadline (April 15) and submit all required documentation to the Office of Financial Aid.

*(Please type or print)*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

On-Campus Mail Address (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

On-Campus Telephone (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

College ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Limitations**

- A. Scholarship awards may only be used toward the college costs at SUNY Old Westbury and are posted to the awardees account with the Office of the Bursar, unless otherwise specified.
- B. The award will be disbursed in two equal amounts. The first half will be issued during the fall semester and the remaining half in the spring semester.  
**Recipients will receive the spring semester's award only if he/she continues to fulfill the scholarship requirements.**
- C. If the recipient is a graduating senior, the final semester's award will not exceed the cost of tuition and fees.
- D. If a student is awarded more than one scholarship award, the total amount of all the awards may not exceed the student's tuition and fees.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_