

# Scholarship Application Form 2013 – 2014

Name:	Street Address:	
City:	State:	ZIP:
Daytime Phone:	Email:	

## Deadlines

- » **Continuing Student Deadline:** March 1, 2013
- » **New Student Deadline:** July 1, 2013 for Fall 2013 and December 1, 2013 for Spring 2014

## Student Status (choose one)

- New Full-Time:** I will be a full-time new student at United in the Fall 2013 semester.
- Continuing Full-Time:** I am a continuing student at United and will be registered full-time in the Fall 2012 semester.
- New Full-Time:** I will be a full-time new student at United in the Spring 2014 semester.

At the end of Spring Semester 2014 I will have \_\_\_\_\_ semester hours completed.

I plan to complete my degree in (term, year) \_\_\_\_\_

## Current Degree Program(s):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Master of Divinity                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Master of Arts in Christian Ministry  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Master of Divinity Online/Hybrid   | <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Doctoral  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Master of Divinity UMC FLEX        | <input type="checkbox"/> I confirm that I plan to enter the Doctor of Ministry program upon successful completion of the Pre-Doctoral program. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Master of Theological Studies      | <input type="checkbox"/> Doctor of Ministry  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Basic Graduate Theological Studies |  |

## Campus:

- Dayton campus program
- West Virginia In-Context program

## The Following Answers Will Be Used to Identify Students for Particular Designated Scholarships:

Date of Birth:	Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
Denomination:	Home Church:
United Methodist District and Annual Conference:	
Years of membership in the UMC:	Current status in the Conference:
Ethnic background:	Country of Citizenship

List projects and activities in the Church and/or Community in which you participate:

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Your signature authorizes the release of an unofficial United transcript to the Office of Admissions.

Signature

Date

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## Additional Required Materials:

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### New Students

- » Your completed application for admission to a Master's degree or BGTS program will be used as supporting documentation for your scholarship application. Scholarship eligibility is based on a review of the full application, including essays, references and transcripts.
- » Provide additional documentation required by specific scholarship fund. (i.e. essays)
- » Attach a separate sheet of paper to this application briefly explaining your need for financial assistance for the upcoming year.
- » Submit a student aid application through the Financial Aid Office by July 1, 2013 (Fall 2013) and December 1, 2013 (Spring 2014) even if need-based loans are not expected. Complete the FASFA form on-line at [www.fafsa.gov](http://www.fafsa.gov) using United's school code G03122.

### Continuing Students

- » One letter of recommendation from a person who is in a position to comment on your professional/ministerial development.
  - » **MDIV/MA:** This letter should come from a church/contextual site and **NOT** from a United faculty member.
  - » **MTS:** This letter should come from a United faculty member.
- » Provide additional documentation required by specific scholarship fund. (i.e. essays)
- » Attach a separate sheet of paper to this application briefly explaining your need for financial assistance for the upcoming year.
- » Submit a student aid application through the Financial Aid Office by March 1, 2013 even if needbased loans are not expected. Complete the FASFA form on-line at [www.fafsa.gov](http://www.fafsa.gov) using United's school code G03122.

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## Eligibility

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- » **Academics:**
  - » New students must have no less than a 2.5 cumulative GPA in undergraduate and/or previous graduate studies.
  - » Continuing students must be in good academic standing as determined in the 2013-2014 Catalog, or the individual scholarship guidelines. Students on academic probation are not eligible to apply or to receive funds.
- » **Status:** Students must be enrolled full-time: at least nine (9) hours per semester.
- » **Degree:** Students must be enrolled in one of United's Masters-level degree programs, the Basic Graduate Theological Studies (BGTS) program, or the Doctor of Ministry program.
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## Criteria for Evaluation by Seminary Scholarship Committee

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- » Potential for ministry (in accordance with degree program goals)
- » Communication skills
- » Academic Achievement
- » Strengthening ethnic and international Christian leadership
- » Financial need scholarships are based off an applicants FAFSA score and financial need letter

Please send this form and all accompanying material to: Scholarship Office, United Theological Seminary, 4501 Denlinger Road, Dayton OH 45426. You may also email the form to [Scholarships@united.edu](mailto:Scholarships@united.edu)

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