



SPRING 2019 CUNY SLU, Tuition-Only Scholarship Application

Deadline: December 18, 2018 by 11:59 pm

Submissions accepted by *email only* to: scholarships@slu.cuny.edu

The CUNY School of Labor and Urban Studies is offering a small number of tuition-only scholarships for the Spring 2019 semester to continuing students in Urban Studies and Labor Studies.

Scholarships will be awarded on a semester-by-semester basis by a committee of senior faculty. Transcripts and financial aid information will be reviewed, and enrollment will be verified to ensure that recipients continue to meet scholarship eligibility requirements. Students must re-apply each semester to be considered for a scholarship for the next term. (Scholarships and amounts may vary from semester to semester depending on the availability of funds and/or enrollment status.) See page 3 for **CUNY SLU Tuition-only Eligibility Requirements**.

1. Last Name: First Name: MI:
2. Date of Birth:
3. Address: City: State: Zip:
4. CUNY Email: Personal Email:
5. Phone:
6. Degree/Certificate Program: Anticipated Graduation:
7. I am/will be a (check one): full-time student part-time student
8. Date FAFSA Filed:

9. Statement of Financial Need

In 1 – 2 paragraphs please explain why you would benefit from being awarded a tuition scholarship. Here are some points that you should consider including:

- a) How are you currently financing your education? You might want to mention employment status and type, help from family, and taking out student loans or private loans. Specify any steps you have already taken to secure initial funding for tuition and any other costs of your education.
- b) What difficulties have you faced in paying for your education? Do you have extra costs this year you weren't expecting? Has there been a change in your family or personal situation that is making it harder for you to pay for your tuition? You can point out changes in family income, unanticipated expenses, current financial deficits, etc.

c) What would you gain from this scholarship?

By submitting this application you give the scholarship committee permission to review and make decisions based on your academic transcripts, FAFSA, and scholarship application. By submitting this application you agree with the statement: *I hereby certify that the answers and statements contained in this application are true to the best of my knowledge.*

Once you have completed this application, please send via email NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 18, 2018 at 11:59pm to: scholarships@slu.cuny.edu

All applications will be acknowledged and confirmed to be complete upon submission.

Applicants will be notified of decisions via e-mail to the email address designated in your application, by January 7, 2019.



Tuition-only Eligibility Requirements

At the time of application, students must meet the following criteria:

- Admitted or enrolled in a degree or certificate program at the CUNY School of Labor and Urban Studies.
- Remain in good academic standing. A minimum overall GPA of 3.2 or better is required, with no outstanding INC grades.
- Meet established financial need criteria providing an adequate explanation (Statement of Financial Need, Question #9 in the above form), and must file your [Free Application for Federal Student Aid](#) (FAFSA).
 - Priority will be given to part-time matriculated students (4 credits undergraduate/ 3 credits graduate) not exceeding 50 percent of tuition fees.
 - Preference will be given to residents of the City of New York and the State of New York. Out-of-State students are also eligible for awards up to the resident student tuition rate not exceeding 50 percent of tuition fees.
 - CUNY SLU may determine on an individual case-by-case basis that the student should be granted a waiver up to the full tuition amount; however, these cases must be documented in terms of the student's need.

Application instructions:

- If you have not already done so, fill out the [Free Application for Federal Student Aid](#). When completing the FAFSA, the Title IV Code is 004765. (The Title IV code is shared through the CUNY Graduate School and University Center.) If you have questions while completing the FAFSA form you may contact the FAFSA help line at 800/433-3243. A report will be sent to Financial Aid once you complete your FAFSA.
- Download the attached application, fill it out, save it, and e-mail the completed application by **the deadline of December 18, 2018, 11:59pm** to scholarships@slu.cuny.edu
- Late or incomplete applications will not be reviewed or accepted.

Questions related to the Tuition-only Scholarship should be directed to program advisors.

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