

**EISAMAN ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP
FOR SOPHOMORE STUDENTS**

TO: Slippery Rock University Sophomores

FROM: _____
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Office of Alumni Relations

SUBJECT: Eisaman Alumni Scholarship

DATE: October 21, 2009

The SRU Alumni Association is pleased to announce a scholarship opportunity being offered to students enrolled as full-time sophomores at Slippery Rock University.

Jemima Sutton Eisaman, a 1927 graduate and long-time teacher, recognized the value of her education at Slippery Rock and wanted to return something to her alma mater. The Alumni Association is very appreciative of her generosity.

This scholarship will be in the amount of \$750 and awarded during your academic year **2010-2011**. Payment of the scholarship will be processed through the office of student accounts toward your tuition, room and board and/or fees.

If you meet the criteria attached and are interested in applying, please complete the attached application form and ask two members of the faculty/staff to write letters of recommendation for you. A **one-page** letter from you describing your character, goals, etc. is also required. Arrange to have the letters sent to the Office of Alumni Relations, Russell Wright Alumni House, or bring them with the completed application form to the office on or before the deadline date of December 3, 2009.

The final responsibility for a complete application file is yours. **No incomplete or late applications or letters will be considered.**

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Eligibility is not limited to a specific field or area of study. At least one scholarship of \$750 per academic year will be awarded. This is a one-time award per recipient.

Eligibility

- Applicant must currently be enrolled as a full-time sophomore at Slippery Rock University. Sophomore status is 30 – 59 semester credits completed.
- Nominees must have demonstrated scholastic ability earning a minimum of 3.25. (Verified)
- Nominees must have demonstrated involvement in community service and/or university activities.

Application Procedure

Application form, if not attached, is available from the Office of Alumni Relations, Russell Wright Alumni House, Slippery Rock University, Slippery Rock, PA 16057

Completed applications shall include the following:

- A completed application form
- Two letters of recommendation. At least one from an individual employed by the university.
- A **one-page** statement, with a minimum of one hundred words from the applicant describing his/her accomplishments the past year and future plans.

Nominees must have filed all information listed above by December 3, 2009, with the Office of Alumni Relations.

The Scholarship and Awards Committee reserves the right, if necessary, to conduct personal interviews of the final candidates for the award. No distinction shall be made based on race, color, creed, gender or age. No applications will be returned, but will remain on file in the Office of Alumni Relations for a full year.

TERMS OF THE SCHOLARSHIP

Payment of the scholarship shall be placed on deposit with the Office of Student Accounts, Slippery Rock University, for the fall semester following the awarding of the scholarship. The winner shall be awarded seven hundred fifty dollars (\$750). Winners shall be informed by phone and letter.

If the recipient, for any reason, does not complete the full semester of scholarship, any remaining monies from the scholarship shall be returned to the Slippery Rock University Alumni Association, Eisaman Alumni Scholarship.

**APPLICATION FOR EISAMAN ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP
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**Return to: Office of Alumni Relations
Russell Wright Alumni House
Slippery Rock University
Slippery Rock, PA 16057**

NAME _____

PERMANENT ADDRESS _____

CAMPUS ADDRESS _____

TELEPHONE _____ SRU I.D. _____

APPLICANT'S UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE INFORMATION:

MAJOR _____ QPA _____

MINOR _____ QPA _____

OVERALL QPA _____

CREDITS COMPLETED _____ TRANSFERRED _____ CREDITS IN PROGRESS THIS SEMESTER _____

Sophomore status 30 – 59 credits completed Full Time Status is 12 credits.

EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES AND SERVICE DURING UNIVERSITY STUDIES – UNIVERSITY AND COMMUNITY. **(INCLUDE LOCATION OF SERVICE AND BEGINNING AND ENDING DATE, INSTRUCTOR/CONTACT NAME)**

HONORS AND AWARDS DURING UNIVERSITY STUDIES **(INCLUDE CRITERIA/DESCRIPTION OF AWARD AND DATE RECEIVED.)**

PERSONAL RELEASE: I grant permission to Slippery Rock University to release my personal academic and financial aid records to the SRU Alumni Association for review by its Scholarship and Awards Committee and permit publication of personal academic information contained within.

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE

DATE

FINAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE RETURN OF THIS FORM, PERSONAL LETTER, AND TWO LETTERS OF REFERENCE IS THE APPLICANT'S.
NO LATE OR PARTIAL APPLICATIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED.

