

The Shaw Family Scholarship Application

2011

Applicant's Name _____

Name of High School _____

City _____ *State* _____



\$4500 AWARD ANNUALLY FOR FOUR YEARS

The funding is for eight consecutive semesters, provided the recipient maintains a 2.5 cumulative grade point average while taking a minimum of 12 credit hours each semester.

Recipients must be attending UW at the Laramie campus.

This page of the application is to be completed by the student.

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Applicants must:

- ◆ be a spring high school graduate in the top one third of his/her graduating class
- ◆ obtain a minimum ACT composite score of 20 and/or minimum SAT composite score of 1100
- ◆ reside in the Big Horn Basin area

Note: Applicants will be judged on the neatness, punctuation, and clarity of their responses to this application. Applicants should make sure all the necessary information and forms are completed and attached including: the completed scholarship application form, two (2) letters of recommendation (one from a member of your community and one from a teacher), a list of extra-curricular activities/awards and a brief statement as to why you want to attend the University of Wyoming. An **official transcript** must be included with application. *The Shaw Family Scholarship cannot be awarded to students receiving a Trustees' Pride scholarship. Check with your principal or counselor to see if you are being considered for either of these awards.*

Application materials must be **postmarked or received on or before March 11, 2011**. Facsimile documents will not be accepted. Applications should be mailed/delivered to: UW Alumni Association, 214 S 14th Street, Laramie, WY 82070. Letters of notification will be mailed in May, 2011.

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ **STATE** _____ **ZIP** _____

PHONE () _____

LAST 4 DIGITS of SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER _____

DATE OF BIRTH _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

HIGH SCHOOL ATTENDED _____

COUNTY _____

SCHOOL ADMINISTRATOR/COUNSELOR _____

SCHOOL ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ **STATE** _____ **ZIP** _____

SCHOOL PHONE NUMBER _____ **SCHOOL FAX NUMBER** _____

Intended major _____

Are either of your parents UW Alumni? (If yes, please list their full names.) (Not a requirement.)

Names(s) _____ Class year(s) _____

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Are your parents UW Alumni Association members? Yes No

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APPLICANT'S NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ **STATE** _____ **ZIP** _____

COUNTY _____ **LAST 4 DIGITS OF SOCIAL SECURITY#** _____

Student's grade point average _____ based on a seven-semester average (4.00 = A).

Class ranking _____ from the top in a class numbering _____ students.

ACT composite score _____ **SAT composite score** _____

Will this student be a spring graduate of your high school? Yes _____ No _____

If you have any comments, please write them on a separate sheet.

All information contained in this form is confidential. This material will be reviewed by a small scholarship committee made up of members of the UW Alumni Association Board of Directors. The student and his/her family will not have the opportunity to review it.

Please forward a sealed ***official copy*** of the student's transcripts along with the student's scholarship application, two letters of recommendation, a list of extra-curricular activities/awards, school related work or community service, a brief overview statement, and this form to: *UW Alumni Association, 214 S 14th Street, Laramie, WY 82070. Application materials must be postmarked or received on or before March 11, 2011. Facsimile documents will not be accepted.* Thank you for your assistance and support.

Your name, address, e-mail address and phone number in case we have any questions (please print):

NAME _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ **STATE** _____ **ZIP** _____

SCHOOL PHONE: _____ **SCHOOL FAX** _____

SIGNED: _____ **TITLE:** _____

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Before you submit your application, please make certain you have included:

- A *separate sheet* listing all extra-curricular activities in which you participated during your high school career. List employment history and/or community service in conjunction with extra-curricular activities. List these activities with the most current first (i.e., senior, junior, sophomore, freshman). Also include any special awards or honors you have received, most current first.
- A brief, typed statement, *on a separate piece of paper* as to why you want to attend the University of Wyoming including any future goals, career interests, and any other information you consider pertinent to this application.
- Two letters of recommendation - one from a member of your community and one from a teacher. They should be attached to your application form and mailed by your counselor. *Facsimile documents will not be accepted.*
- Completed School Administrator/Counsel form.
- Sealed, official copy of transcripts. *Facsimile documents will not be accepted.*

Have you applied to UW? Yes_____ No_____ Date of application_____

Have you been accepted to UW? Yes_____ No_____

Please return this completed form to your high school administrator/counselor. He/she will then forward it along with your high school transcript to the UW Alumni Association, 214 S. 14th Street, Laramie, WY 82070, ***on or before March 11, 2011.***

I authorize the University of Wyoming to release and provide the UW Alumni Association with information concerning my courses, grades and activities.

Date

Applicant Signature

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