Liberty University College of Osteopathic Medicine
Service Scholarship Application (Page 1 of 2)

I am applying for the (check as it applies):

☐ Dean’s Scholarship: $15,000 annual award
   The Dean’s Scholarship recognizes two students annually who in the opinion of the university, college faculty, and administration, are likely to advance the mission and vision of LUCOM to bring improvements in access to primary health care coupled with a strong Christian worldview in underserved locations in southern and central Virginia.

☐ Provost’s Scholarship: $10,000 annual award
   The Provost’s scholarship is awarded annually to a student who, in the judgment of the university, college faculty, and administration, is likely to advance the mission and vision of Liberty University and become a physician who will bring improvements to access to primary health care coupled with a strong Christian worldview at an underserved location in the United States.

☐ President’s Scholarship: $20,000 annual award
   The President’s scholarship recognizes one student annually who, in the opinion of the university and college faculty and administration, is committed to advancing the mission and vision of Liberty University to develop Champions for Christ and who will develop into a physician who will bring improvements in health care along with a strong ministry for Christ to individuals in need across the globe.

Scholarship Conditions:

- Students must remain in good standing academically and professionally at all times. Failure to remain in good standing may result in revocation of the scholarship. Good standing requires that the student pass all classes without remediation, remains on schedule to graduate with his/her matriculation class unless leave of absence was due to a medical or excused absence and that the student remains in compliance with the LUCOM and Liberty University code of conduct and professional standards of conduct.
- The student must annually re-attest his/her intention to enter one of the approved disciplines of medicine or seek prior approval of the committee for any change or deviation of their prior intention. Currently approved GME disciplines include Family Medicine, Internal Medicine, Pediatrics, General Surgery, Geriatrics, and Women’s Health.
- The student must consent to utilization of his/her image, story and information while in school and for a period of twenty years after graduation for promotion efforts of the college and university in print, electronic and other media.
- Failure to enter an approved GME discipline within one year of graduation and to remain in the discipline for at least five years after graduation will result in the scholarship converting to a loan at that time. Any scholarship, if converted to a loan, will accrue interest at a rate of six percent from the time the scholarship was awarded. Any scholarship converted to a loan must be paid back to Liberty University in full within fifteen years from the date of graduation.
Additional Scholarship Submission Requirements (Page 2 of 2)

Dean’s Scholarship:

1. Letter of Recommendation: Provide a signed letter of recommendation or support on official letterhead from a personal mentor, pastor, community or professional leader, employer or spiritual advisor validating qualifications for receiving the award.
2. Resume: Provide a resume of work experience prior to entering LUCOM.
3. Documentation of service: Provide documentation of service to others prior to entering LUCOM.
4. Essay: In an essay, describe your personal plan for advancing the mission and vision of Liberty University College of Osteopathic Medicine and for helping expand primary health care to the southern and central regions of Virginia.
5. Evidence of Commitment: Provide evidence of a commitment to improving access to health care for rural under-served designated areas of southern and central Virginia.

Provost’s Scholarship:

1. Letter of Recommendation: Provide a signed letter of recommendation or support on official letterhead from a personal mentor, pastor, community or professional leader, employer or spiritual advisor validating qualifications for receiving the award.
2. Resume: Provide a resume of work experience prior to entering LUCOM.
3. Documentation of service: Provide documentation of service to others prior to entering LUCOM.
4. Essay: In an essay, describe your personal plan for advancing the mission and vision of Liberty University College of Osteopathic Medicine as a physician and for helping improve access to primary care in underserved areas in the United States.
5. Evidence of Commitment: Provide evidence of commitment to improving access to health care for underserved populations in the United States.

President’s Scholarship:

1. Letter of Recommendation: Provide a signed letter of recommendation or support on official letterhead from a personal mentor, pastor, community or professional leader, employer or spiritual advisor validating qualifications for receiving the award.
2. Resume: Provide a resume of work experience prior to entering LUCOM.
3. Documentation of service: Provide documentation of service to others prior to entering LUCOM.
4. Essay: In an essay, describe your personal commitment to a Christian worldview and a personal plan to combine ministry and medical care upon graduation.
5. Evidence of Commitment: Provide evidence of a commitment to missionary medicine.

All documentation must be submitted to the LUCOM Financial Aid Office in person or by email at LUCOMFinancialAid@liberty.edu by August 28, 2015 at Midnight E.T. Requirements are subject to change. Other criteria may apply.

By completing this form, I certify that all the information reported is complete and correct. By signing this worksheet, I certify that all the information reported on it is complete and correct. Because this information may affect federal aid eligibility, purposely giving false or misleading information may cause you to be fined up to $20,000.00, sent to prison or both.

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Student signature                         Date

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