2015-2016
University of South Alabama
National Alumni Association

Patrick E. and Mary F. Hicks Book Scholarship
Allen J. Pearl Book Scholarship

Office of Alumni Relations
University of South Alabama
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Postmark Deadline: March 23, 2015

The USA National Alumni Association Scholarships (Patrick E. and Mary F. Hicks Book Scholarship and the Allen J. Pearl Book Scholarship) are designed to recognize a student who has achieved success in extracurricular as well as academic endeavors at the University of South Alabama. Academics, activities, and leadership are considered in awarding the scholarships, as well as financial need. The two $500 book scholarships will be awarded at the beginning of the Fall Semester 2014. Only completed applications will be reviewed by the Alumni Scholarship Selection Committee. Recipients will be notified by mail in late April.

Application Instructions

Mail completed application and an official transcript with a letter of recommendation from the advisor/leader of a university affiliated organization in which you are actively involved to the Office of Alumni Relations, University of South Alabama, Alumni Hall, 5930 USA Dr. S., Mobile, AL 36688. Applications must be postmarked by March 23, 2015 for consideration.

Type or print a complete answer to each item, writing none where appropriate. All information will be kept confidential.

Criteria
Successful candidates must be full-time sophomores, juniors or seniors enrolled at the University of South Alabama with a minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA. Candidates must have completed a minimum 36 semester hours at USA.

Applicant Information

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How did you learn about these scholarships?

□ Email from Alumni Association  
□ USA Alumni Website  
□ USA Bulletin  
□ Postcard  
□ University Website  
□ Other ________________________

* Have you been notified of your selection for any other scholarship, grant or loan for the coming school year?
□ Yes (If yes, list sponsors and amounts)  □ No

*Receipt of other scholarships will not prevent the consideration of this application. However, university policy may limit the amount of funds received.
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APPLICANT’S NAME ______________________________________

Briefly describe the following:

Participation and leadership in ACADEMIC activities in college (include honors, clubs and societies, fairs, contests, offices held, etc.)

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Participation and leadership in NON-ACADEMIC activities both in and out of college (include athletics, band, clubs and organizations, theatre, church, offices held, etc.)

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Work Experience (while in college)

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Honors/Major accomplishments in your area of primary academic interest (while in college)

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On a separate sheet, submit an essay of 500 words or less, explaining how you feel this scholarship would benefit you based on your academics, activities and leadership.

I certify that all information contained in this application is true and correct.

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Applicant’s Signature  Date

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL 251.460.7084 or email: alumni@southalabama.edu
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