



**2019 IWLC Quad Cities
Women's Leadership Conference**

**March 7, 2019
Waterfront Convention Center
Isle of Capri
Bettendorf, Iowa**

SCHOLARSHIP OVERVIEW & DIRECTIONS – STUDENT TRACK

PURPOSE: To provide registration scholarships to full-time undergraduate college and graduate college students in support of the development, advancement and promotion of women through an IWLC sponsored Student Track event.

WHO QUALIFIES: A limited number of scholarships are available for all full-time undergraduate and graduate college students.

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS: Scholarship Awards will be applied to cover the FULL amount for the event Student Track registration fee. Scholarships will not be awarded as cash and DO NOT include any travel expense.

SCHOLARSHIP SELECTION COMMITTEE: There is a separate Scholarship Selection Committee for each IWLC region: ICR (Iowa City/Cedar Rapids); Central Iowa (Des Moines); Dubuque and Quad Cities. All decisions of the committee shall be final.

DIRECTIONS & HOW TO APPLY: Applicants must submit the official IWLC Scholarship Application Form and required narratives to IWLC by email to: deanna.woodall@IWLCLeads.org.

1. Download the official IWLC Scholarship Application Form in a WORD document.
2. Complete all sections of the application. Incomplete applications will not be considered.
3. Email completed application to deanna.woodall@IWLCLeads.org.
4. You will receive a confirmation email of receipt. The confirmation email confirms receipt of your application only. Scholarship award decisions will be communicated after review by the Scholarship Selection Committee.

DEADLINES & NOTIFICATIONS: Scholarship Application form is due **JANUARY 28, 2019**; you will receive notification of being granted a scholarship no later than **FEBRUARY 6, 2019**.

FOR MORE INFORMATION please call 563.275.8749 or email deanna.woodall@IWLCLeads.org.

**2019 IWLC QUAD CITIES WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE—STUDENT TRACK
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

COMPLETE AND RETURN TO: Deanna Woodall, IWLC Director of Events @deanna.woodall@IWLCLeads.org

PART ONE: GENERAL INFORMATION, EXPECTATIONS & REQUIREMENTS

NAME	
ADDRESS	
PHONE	
EMAIL	
SCHOOL NAME, CITY & STATE	
YEAR & MAJOR AREA OF STUDY	

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GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Have you previously attended an IWLC event? If yes, please list. _____

2. Have you previously received a scholarship to attend any IWLC event? If yes, please list. _____

3. How or from whom did you hear about this scholarship program? _____

SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT EXPECTATIONS & REQUIREMENTS:

1. **Attend all program sessions during the event.** Scholarship recipients are expected to register the morning of the day of the event. If, for some reason you are not able to attend, please advise.
2. **A Scholarship Testimonial Form will be sent to you within a week of the conference.** Within fifteen (15) days of receipt of this form, complete and return to the email listed on that form.

SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____

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PART TWO: REQUIRED NARRATIVES

Please provide a 1-2 paragraph response for each of the following topics:

1. Why do you want to attend the **2019 IWLC QUAD CITIES WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE** and why should you be chosen to receive a scholarship? (15%)

2. Please describe your leadership style. (15%)
 - a. Who has most influenced your leadership style?

 - b. How has that person helped you develop as a leader?

3. Describe your financial need for the scholarship. Will you attend the **2019 IWLC QUAD CITIES WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE** if you do not receive a scholarship? (30%)

4. Describe what diversity and inclusion means to you. (25%)

5. List your volunteer involvement and extracurricular activities. If none, please explain circumstances that prevent you from getting involved. (15%)

Organization Name	Describe Activity/ Your Volunteer Role	Dates Involved	Frequency of Volunteering

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PART THREE: MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

We need your help! IWLC strives to be as inclusive as possible in serving women and their leadership development needs. As we grow and approach organizations for funding, we are asked about the audiences we serve in a representational basis, not individually. This information is NOT used in the selection process and we will NOT use or share this information for any other purpose!

CLASSIFICATIONS

Which of the following best represents your racial/ethnic heritage?

(Choose all that apply)

- Hispanic or Latino
- White
- Asian (not Hispanic or Latino)
- Black or African American (not Hispanic or Latino)
- Native Hawaiian/other Pacific Islander (not Hispanic or Latino)
- Two or more races (not Hispanic or Latino)
- Do not wish to disclose

Do you identify as LGBTQIA? yes no do not wish to identify