

University of Southern Maine

ChrisAlice Scholarship

Award Description

The *ChrisAlice Endowed Scholarship* was established in 2002 by James and Lillian Haversat, named in honor of Alice Haversat, mother of James Haversat, and Christina Kerr Kasfeldt, mother of Lillian Kerr Haversat. Both women served their communities and were role models for citizens aspiring to community service. This scholarship provides continuing support for students to engage in service with their local communities and is intended to foster awareness of local critical issues, cultivate community, and contribute to the retention of students.

Two (2) scholarships of \$1,000 will be divided equally between the two semesters of the corresponding academic year. Scholarships are incorporated into the student's annual financial aid package.

Candidates Must:

- Demonstrate commitment to voluntary public service
- Be currently enrolled as an undergraduate degree candidate at USM
- Have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher
- Have completed at least one semester of college

Expectations of ChrisAlice Scholarship Recipient*

- Engage in ongoing service for 25 hours per semester to the needs of one of USM's community partners
- Meet individually with the Service-Learning and Volunteering Specialist monthly. Submit an end-of-semester timesheet along with a written reflection which details service activities from the semester

**If requirements are not met, the scholarship will be removed the following academic semester.*

Required Application Process

1. Complete the application form (page 2)
2. *Complete and attach a one page essay that responds to the outlined prompt*
3. Provide an up-to-date resume

Deadline

The Priority Deadline is November 1st every fall by 11:59pm. Send application materials via e-mail to usmcareers@maine.edu. Scholarship applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis until a relevant number of candidates are selected.

Scholarship winners will be notified by December 1st for early deadline application and March 1st for standard applications pending funding availability. The first installment will be applied to the student's account in the fall semester the following year.

Application Form
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Name:		USM ID:	
Email:		Phone Number:	
Address:			
Intended Major(s):			
Current or prior ser vice experience(s):			

Essay Prompt*

We strive to see our scholars inject energy, passion, and drive into their academic work and the causes they care about. In a reflective essay of approximately 500 words, please describe how the ChrisAlice Scholarship will enable you to make positive contributions to your personal growth and to the greater community.

*Please attach your essay to this application form via e-mail to usm.career@maine.edu.

Information Privacy and Sharing: Applicants for scholarships (unless opting out by checking the box below) authorize the release of their name, directory, and academic information on file with the University of Southern Maine to Scholarship donors and others in conjunction with any University Scholarships they may receive.

I do not authorize the release of information to donors and others in conjunction with any University scholarships I may receive.