



United Methodist Leadership Scholars
An Initiative of the Southeastern Jurisdiction
The United Methodist Church

2008 Application

This is a point-of entry scholarship only. Applications may be submitted only by students who are first time enrollees in a UM-related college or university. Applicants must also be active members of The UMC (for at least one year) planning to enroll full-time as an **undergraduate in fall 2008** at a **participating UM-related college or university** located in the SEJ of The UMC (see list on back). Students may submit only one application. **A check for \$1,000 payable to UMHEF from the sponsoring church must be mailed along with the fully completed application form.** Please provide an answer for every question. Incomplete applications will not be eligible. Please type or print legibly.

Student's name _____ Male Female
FIRST MIDDLE LAST

Social Security # _____ **Birth date** ____/____/____

Permanent Mailing Address _____
STREET ADDRESS OR PO BOX CITY/STATE/ZIP CODE

Email _____ **Phone** _____

Ethnic group: Caucasian Asian Black Hispanic Native American Pacific Islander

Parent's name(s) _____ **Phone** _____

Mailing Address _____
STREET ADDRESS OR PO BOX CITY/STATE/ZIP CODE

Classification during scholarship year: Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior

UM school you plan to attend _____
SCHOOL NAME CITY/STATE/ZIP CODE

Sponsoring Church _____ **Phone** _____

Mailing Address _____
STREET ADDRESS OR PO BOX CITY/STATE/ZIP CODE

Pastor's name (printed) _____ **Church or Pastor E-mail** _____

Pastor's signature _____ **Annual Conference** _____

REFERENCES: Please attach a statement (one paragraph) from the applicant's pastor, youth minister, or Sunday school teacher describing the applicant's leadership skills and potential.

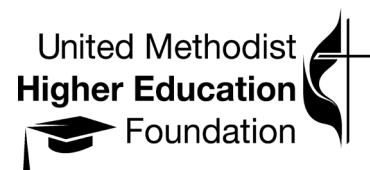
By submitting this application, you give UMHEF permission to use your statement and/or picture in print (e.g. public relations materials) to promote UMHEF, and to release contact information to other church-related entities (e.g. conference newspapers, seminary recruiters).

Student's signature/date _____

Application deadline: Applications will be accepted after January 1 and must be received via standard mail postmarked no later than April 1. Faxes will not be accepted. **2008 application must be used.** This form may be reproduced. Applications may also be downloaded from www.umls.umc.org OR www.umhef.org.

Mail to:

United Methodist Higher Education Foundation
United Methodist Leadership Scholars
P.O. Box 340005
Nashville, TN 37203-0005





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The United Methodist Leadership Scholars (UMLS) program, initiated by the 2004 Jurisdictional Conference of the Southeastern Jurisdiction (SEJ) and select United Methodist-related higher education institutions in the SEJ, is designed to encourage active United Methodist students to attend a United Methodist-related college or university by offering up to \$3,000 in scholarship funds. It is hoped that the transformational experiences available at our United Methodist colleges and universities will guide students to make vocational choices for Christian service to church and society and that these students will emerge as leaders, lay and clergy, of The United Methodist Church.

Through the UMLS program, local churches are encouraged to provide \$1,000 scholarships on behalf of students planning to enroll in a participating SEJ United Methodist-related college or university. These institutions have agreed to match local church funds for a total award of \$2,000. In addition, the United Methodist Higher Education Foundation (UMHEF) has agreed to provide an additional \$1,000 matching scholarship for 100 applicants for a total award of \$3,000 (local church, UMHEF, and school funds).

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- A check for \$1,000 payable to UMHEF **from the sponsoring church** must be mailed along with the fully completed application form. Churches may submit an unlimited number of applicants for this scholarship program. Please note that churches submitting funds agree to allow the educational institution an opportunity to present the scholarship to the student at the church. Ineligible and incomplete applications will be returned unfunded to the sponsoring church along with the church check.
- UMHEF matching funds are available for up to 100 applicants. Eligible applicants who do not receive matching funds from the UMHEF will still be eligible for a \$1,000 match from the educational institution.
- After verification of full-time enrollment for the fall 2008 semester, UMHEF will transfer \$2,000 to the school (church and UMHEF funds) if the student was awarded UMHEF matching funds **OR** if the student was not awarded UMHEF matching funds, UMHEF will transfer \$1,000 (church funds) to the school. Students should expect to receive an additional \$1,000 matching award directly from their school.

Participating Institutions

Andrew College
 Bennett College for Women
 Bethune-Cookman University
 Birmingham-Southern College
 Brevard College
 Claflin University
 Clark Atlanta University
 Columbia College
 Duke University

Emory University
 Ferrum College
 Greensboro College
 High Point University
 Hiwassee College
 Huntingdon College
 Kentucky Wesleyan College
 LaGrange College
 Lambuth University
 Lindsey Wilson College
 Louisburg College
 Martin Methodist College

Methodist University
 Millsaps College
 Paine College
 Pfeiffer University
 Randolph-Macon College
 Reinhardt College
 Shenandoah University
 Spartanburg Methodist College
 Tennessee Wesleyan College
 Union College
 Virginia Wesleyan College

Wesleyan College
 Wofford College
 Young Harris College

Please note that this list is as of printing and may have changed. Visit our website www.umhef.org for the most current list available.

