



Susan and Thomas Cordell Scholarships

Applications are now being accepted for the Susan and Thomas Cordell Scholarships for the 2019-2020 academic year. Mr. and Mrs. Cordell desire to support the education of UA Speech, Language, and Hearing Sciences graduate students in speech-language pathology or audiology, who are interested in providing counseling and care to individuals with hearing loss.

Eligible candidates for this scholarship:

- Current graduate students in the audiology and speech-language pathology programs, including doctoral students, at the University of Arizona (must have completed at least one semester of graduate training at UA and will be taking classes at UA in the upcoming school year)
- Interest in providing counseling and (re)habilitative services to individuals with hearing loss
- Cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher and demonstrated scholastic excellence
- Financial need (FAFSA not required)
- One-year renewal possible for previous awardees

Applicants should submit the following material by Friday, March 22nd, at 5:00 PM:

- Application form (second page of this document)
- Resume listing past honors and awards, past or current scholarships, community or school-related activities, memberships, and/ or work experience
- Personal statement describing your personal attributes, unique qualities, and goals (not more than one page)
- Letter of recommendation from one faculty member in the UA Department of Speech, Language, and Hearing Sciences (she/he will send letter directly to Dana Eriksson)
- A statement of financial need

Awarding process:

- Applications are due by Friday, March 22nd, at 5:00 PM, submitted in Room 214.
- All applicants will be notified when selections are finalized, which is typically by the end of April or early May.
- A thank you note from awardee to donor(s) is strongly encouraged.

If students have questions about the application, please contact Dana Eriksson at danaeriksson@email.arizona.edu or 520-621-1819.



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Application Form

1. Name:
2. Student identification number:
3. Anticipated graduation date:
4. Which program will you be in during the upcoming academic year?
_____ MS _____ AuD _____ PhD
5. Which year of the program will you be in during the upcoming academic year?
_____ 1st year _____ 2nd year _____ 3rd year _____ 4th year _____ 5th year
6. Cumulative GPA:
7. Major GPA:
8. Email:
9. Phone number:
10. Address:

Resume: Please include a resume listing honors and awards, past or current scholarships, community or school-related activities, memberships, and/or work experience.

Personal Statement: Please include a personal statement (one page or less) in which you describe your personal attributes, unique qualities, and goals.

Confidential Recommendation Letter – SLHS Faculty: Please ask a research or clinical faculty member in the UA Department of Speech, Language, and Hearing Sciences who will attest to your scholastic and clinical abilities (and potential), if they would be willing to write a confidential recommendation letter for you. They will send the electronic letter directly to Dana at danaeriksson@email.arizona.edu.

Statement of Financial Need: Please include a statement summarizing your current financial status and how this scholarship will impact your graduate training while at the University of Arizona. Please include any current or outstanding student loans and amounts. Also include sources of scholarships or assistantships currently funding your graduate training.

Confirmation Checkbox: By initialing, I attest to the accuracy of the information provided in this scholarship application and give my permission to share this information with members of the Department's Scholarships and Financial Aid Committee and the donors. **Please initial:** _____

Personal information: I give permission to the University of Arizona and the University of Arizona Foundation to share my personal information between them and with the scholarship donors and other funding sources. **Please initial:** _____

Please submit all requested items in a large envelope to Room 214 by Friday, March 22nd, at 5:00 PM.