



The Fellicia C. Foster Legacy of Leadership Scholarship

The vision for The Fellicia C. Foster Legacy of Leadership Scholarship is to provide scholarships that recognize the next generation of legacy leavers who have resiliently pushed through challenges to leave their mark on the world - paving the way for future leaders. Awards will be considered by the Selection Committee and reviewed on an as-needed basis. Recipients will be selected based on merit and by the committee that consists of Multicultural Center staff and the Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs.

Eligibility

Candidate for this fund must meet the following criteria to be eligible:

- Is pursuing a degree within the College of Business
- A grade level of at least Sophomore, Junior, or Senior standing
- In good academic standing
- A graduate of Chicago Public Schools
- Qualifies for financial aid assistance
- Held/holds leadership positions with an ISU-registered student organization, including but not limited to officer positions, with a preference for leaders in the Black Student Union
- A personal essay (e.g. 400 words or less) addressing at least TWO of the following questions:
 - What kind of leader do you want to become?
 - Who or what has been your biggest influence or inspiration? Why?
 - Describe a time where you had to overcome a challenge or barrier. How did you prevail and what did you learn from that experience?
 - In your view, what kind of disruption is needed in Corporate America to ensure it creates and maintains a diverse, inclusive, and equitable workforce for the future?
 - If you were to think of where you desire to be 20 years from now, what legacy do you hope to leave at Illinois State University?

Students are eligible to receive this scholarship more than once but must submit a new application each year.

How to Submit an Application

Please submit typed answers to the attached questions along with this cover sheet either in person to the Multicultural Center, Illinois State University, 301 S. Main Street, Normal, IL 61761, or via email to TheMulticulturalCenter@ilstu.edu.

Student's Name _____ University ID _____

Preferred Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Declaration (must be signed for application to be considered)

I declare that the information provided above and attached is both accurate and truthful, and I will refund my award if it is not. I also hereby grant permission to verify my grade point average and status within the University is in good standing.

Signed _____ Date _____

Please allow a minimum of 4 weeks to process your request.

For office use only:

Date received _____ GPA _____

Hours Completed _____ Approved/Denied _____

