

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH FLORIDA FOUNDATION

UNF Taylor Leadership Institute Student Leadership Scholarship

Dear Prospective Applicant,

The Taylor Leadership Institute, a department within the UNF Division of Student and International Affairs, is proud to offer the UNF Taylor Leadership Institute Student Leadership Scholarship again this year.

We affirm that students demonstrate progress by increasing understanding and involvement with leadership during one's time at UNF. We have witnessed students thrive in informal leadership experiences, formal leadership positions and their own entrepreneurial leadership advances. The Taylor Leadership Institute encourages a reflective process of personal experiences that enables students to evolve as leaders.

We have the enormous privilege of observing leadership students that demonstrate the ability to overcome both internal and external challenges by displaying initiative, courage, and unequivocal commitment to advance their leadership acumen. With this application, you will submit a short (no more than 500 words) essay that will describe your personal evolution and development as a leader demonstrating your capacity to internalize leadership constructs.

Our students continually benefit from this experiential approach to leadership, as we have seen time and time again. The Institute prides itself in fostering diversity, respect and civility, as this is a crucial aspect to becoming a sophisticated leader. We sincerely look forward to your application.

Sincerely,

Dr. Lucy Croft

Interim Director, Taylor Leadership Institute

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VALUE: \$1,500 (\$750 Fall / \$750 Spring)

NUMBER: One

CRITERIA:

- meet admissions requirements and be accepted to the University of North Florida,
- enroll as an undergraduate student at University of North Florida, earning a minimum of 9 credit hours,
- maintain a cumulative UNF GPA of 2.5,
- declare the UNF Community Leadership Minor with your academic advisor,
- submit a short essay (500 words or less) describing your growth and evolution as a leader and how this scholarship would advance your leadership acumen.
- submit one letter of recommendation by a member of the UNF faculty or staff (Please request a LOR from faculty or staff who are not members of the Taylor Leadership Institute; they are your champions and would like to see everyone receive the scholarship.)

STUDENT RESPONSIBILITY:

- enroll as an undergraduate student, earning a minimum of 9 credit hours each semester, and a minimum of 18 credits by the end of each academic year,
- maintain a cumulative UNF GPA of at least 2.5 for the freshman, sophomore, junior and senior years,
- comply with all University regulations, rules, and codes of conduct governing students on campus,
- consent to release grades to the Division of Institutional Advancement for the purpose of reporting to the Donor, and
- remain in good standing as a student.

RENEWAL:

Current recipients may apply for renewal and will be given preference pending availability of funding, and if all of the preceding requirements have been met. No student will be eligible to receive more than six (6) semesters of scholarship support.

Submit your application to
leadership@unf.edu
Only electronic applications will be considered.

Submission Deadline:
Monday, March 25, 2019

2019-2020 Scholarship Application

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Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	UNF ID ("N" Number)
Permanent Address		City	State Zip Code
UNF email Address	Home Phone	Cell Phone	Date of Birth / / <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
Rank at completion of Spring 2019 semester (check one only) <input type="checkbox"/> Sophomore <input type="checkbox"/> Junior <input type="checkbox"/> Senior		Major(s) or Intended Major(s) _____ _____	
Calculate the number of credit hours completed at UNF at the end of Spring 2019 LOWER LEVEL (1000-2000): _____ UPPER LEVEL (3000-6000): _____	UNF Cumulative GPA <hr/> Proposed Graduation Date (semester / year)	Terms I plan to attend (check all that apply) <input type="checkbox"/> Summer A 2019 <input type="checkbox"/> Fall 2019 <input type="checkbox"/> Summer B 2019 <input type="checkbox"/> Spring 2020 <input type="checkbox"/> Summer C 2019	

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Verifier:	UNF Cum. GPA:	High School/Transfer GPA:	Criteria Met? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
Major:		Expected Graduation:	FAFSA <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO Unmet Need _____
Other Information:			

Extracurricular Activities

Include college and community activities, volunteer work and honors.

Month / Year TO Month / Year	Description of Activity and Leadership Role (if any)	

Work Experience

Month / Year TO Month / Year	Company and Description of Work	Hours per Week

Military Experience

Branch of Service	Description	Dates Served Month / Year TO Month / Year

Household Information

Name of Dependent(s)	Relationship	Age	Support More Than 50%? Yes or No

Additional Required Information

Are you the first person in your family to attend college or receive an undergraduate degree (which could identify additional scholarships for you)?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
Have you filed the FAFSA form (as required by the State and to assist you with any other possible scholarships)?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
Have you applied for or are you receiving any other scholarships (i.e. Bright Futures, grants or gift aid) at UNF? If yes, please list:	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO

Essay & Documentation

In the space that follows, please write a short essay (**containing 500 words or less**) for these additional questions.

• Please write a brief essay, including the following information:

- 1) Describe your growth and evolution as a leader; you may provide examples of experiences in a leadership role as a backdrop for your personal narrative.
- 2) What would having this scholarship mean to you in terms of advancing your leadership acumen?

YES, I have read and accept the terms below.

I affirm that the information which I have provided on this application form and any additional material that I submit related to the financial aid process is complete, accurate and true to the best of my knowledge. Pursuant to the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, as amended (FERPA), I hereby authorize the University of North Florida to release the scholarship application information provided by me, as well as other official and unofficial University of North Florida information regarding my academic progress and status, to scholarship donors for the purpose of providing the donors with information concerning my eligibility as a scholarship recipient. I also understand that furnishing false information may result in revocation of my financial aid or may result in disciplinary action pursuant to the University of North Florida Student Conduct Code.

Applicant's Name

Date

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