Ronald F. Guse Scholarship for Excellence in Pharmacy
Application Form

In honour of Ronald F. Guse, and his dedication to his profession and community, an endowment fund was established at the University of Manitoba with gifts totaling $92,000 by 2017. The fund was established by the vision and generous starting donation from Mr. William Eamer. The Manitoba Scholarship and Bursary Initiative has made a contribution to the fund. The fund will provide a scholarship to a top-ranked student in the Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.) degree program in the College of Pharmacy. Each year, beginning in the 2019-2020 academic session, 25% of the available annual income from the fund will be used to offer one scholarship to an undergraduate student who:

1. has been admitted to, and enrolls full-time (minimum 80% course load) in the first year of study in the College of Pharmacy;
2. has achieved a minimum adjusted grade point average of 3.75;
3. of the students who meet criteria (1) and (2), has been ranked high in the selection process for admission to the program;
4. has a demonstrated record of leadership and/or community service in the broader community and/or University.

The scholarship is renewed in each year of undergraduate study (25% of the available annual income) provided the student has:

1. enrolled full-time (minimum 80% course load) in the subsequent year of study;
2. achieved a minimum degree grade point average of 3.75;
3. achieved a minimum grade of B in the course Pharmacy Law;
4. exercised good judgment, completes patient care responsibilities compassionately and accurately, and conducts themselves in a manner that would entitle the respect of the public and the profession;
5. demonstrated dedication to the profession and College (activities include, but are not limited to: positions on student council, involvement with College of Pharmacists of Manitoba and/or health care associations, participating in student/peer mentorship programs, attending or participating in academic and social College events, organizing College events, leadership activities, volunteerism, etc.).
To Apply:
Applicants must submit a one-page letter of application describing why they should be the recipient of this award (include leadership experience, community service, participation in extra-curricular activities within the broader community and/or university, as examples). A letter of commendation from a non-family member must be included in support of the applicant and will be considered by the Selection Committee. For 2019, applicants must also self-declare their intention to register in the required courses of the PharmD Year 1 curriculum.

The deadline for applications is May 30th, annually.

Please forward your applications to:
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