

Wisconsin Alumni Association®

Outstanding Student Awards Application Materials

Application Deadline: February 2, 2009, 4:00 p.m.

Eligibility Requirements

Senior Awards: Four awards of WAA Life Membership and \$250 cash award

Current full-time (12 or more credits) senior undergraduate students at UW-Madison may apply. Eligible students must be graduating in May or December 2009 to qualify for the **Wisconsin Alumni Association Senior Award**. All students must be available for in-person interviews in Madison during the spring 2009 semester.

Junior Awards: Four to six awards ranging from \$500 to \$1,000

Current full-time (12 or more credits) junior undergraduate students at UW-Madison may apply. Eligible students must be graduating in May or December 2010 to qualify for any of the Junior Awards, which include the **Imogene Carpenter Award** and the **Catherine Klein Award**. All students must be available for in-person interviews in Madison during the spring 2009 semester.

Awards Review Process

Completed application materials must be submitted in their entirety by the specified deadline. Applications may be grouped into classifications by year and gender (junior male, junior female, senior male, senior female) and distributed to a screening committee for a first round of review. *Note: Due to the large volume of applicants, applications may be culled by GPA rank if necessary prior to the first round of review. Incomplete applications will not be sent on for review.* Following the initial review and ranking process, applicants with the highest scores in each of the classifications will be invited to interview with our alumni interview committee during the spring semester. The interview committee will determine the final Outstanding Student Award recipients. Recipients are recognized during the WAA Alumni Weekend program, which will take place in May 2009. Attending this program is a requirement for eligibility for an Outstanding Student Award.

Application Materials

The following documents must be received at WAA no later than **4:00 p.m. on Feb. 2, 2009**:

- One completed Personal Data Form.
- Ten legible photocopies of the completed Student Award Application, collated and stapled.
- One copy of your transcripts.

A downloadable version of the application materials is available online at uwalumni.com/scholarships. Materials must be submitted in a typed format.

Submit completed application materials to:

Wisconsin Alumni Association
Attn: OSA
650 North Lake Street
Madison, WI 53706

Please be sure you have read this page carefully. It contains important information about the application material requirements. Contact Amy Manecke with questions at amanecke@waastaff.com.

**Wisconsin Alumni Association® Outstanding Student Awards
Personal Data Form**

This form must be returned in a typed format. You may re-format it in a Word document, but be sure to respond to all sections in the same order.

Full name: _____

Anticipated date of graduation: (check one)

- Seniors: May/December 2009
- Juniors: May/December 2010

Gender: (check one)

- Male
- Female

Student ID number: _____

Campus address:

Street & apartment: _____

City, State, ZIP: _____

Phone number: _____

E-mail: _____

Permanent home address:

Street & apartment: _____

City, State, ZIP: _____

Phone number: _____

Name of your hometown newspaper: _____

Signature & Date: _____

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2009 Student Award Application**

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Student ID number: _____

(Do not include your name on this form.)

Check one:

- I am a senior, graduating in May or December 2009.
- I am a junior, graduating in May or December 2010.

Student classification:

School/College (*ex. BUS*) _____

Major (*ex. Marketing*) _____

Year (*ex. 4*) _____

List other universities attended. Include years and date of transfer to UW-Madison. Do not include other universities in your GPA (below).

I. Cumulative Grade Point Average (on a 4.0 scale, UW-Madison only): _____

II. Academic honors (university only): scholarly activities, honor societies, etc.

| <u>Name</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Dates</u> |
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III. Academic-related volunteer service information (during university attendance only): Volunteer service related to university course work or done specifically to fulfill requirements, including: internships, school programs, tutoring, involvement in organizations and positions held, etc.

| <u>Course/Requirement</u> | <u>Hours per Semester</u> | <u>Dates</u> |
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IV. Other volunteer service information (during university attendance only):
Volunteer service unrelated to university coursework or requirements, including hospitals, charities, churches and political or student organizations such as the Wisconsin Union Directorate, Wisconsin Alumni Student Board, etc.

| <u>Organizations</u> | <u>Hours per Semester</u> | <u>Dates</u> |
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V. Work experience: If you are/were employed as a student, please provide information on your job(s) and the approximate number of hours worked per week.

VI. Personal: Here's your chance to let us know a little more about who you are. Please limit your response to this portion to 250 words or less. Include information on:

- Work experience, interests and activities, hobbies, etc.
- Your reaction to your university experience.
- Plans after graduation and long-range goals.

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