Scholarship Opportunity | Apply by February 14, 2014
The Alexander A. Smick Scholarship in Rural Community Service and Development

The purpose of the scholarship provided by the Alexander A. and Agnes “Odegaard” Smick Endowment Scholarship is to promote student engagement with an applied course of study in the field of rural community service and development. This scholarship competition, which will award two or more scholarships of up to $1,500 each, is open to all WSU undergraduate and graduate students who have a demonstrated interest in development issues facing rural citizens.

Successful applicants will outline a specific activity in rural community service and development that will be supported by the scholarship and conducted during the 2014 calendar year under the direction of a WSU faculty member who has relevant academic credentials in community service and development.

To apply, a student must complete an application form, which includes a statement that explains how the successful scholarship winner will utilize the funds to engage in an activity in community service and development.

The deadline to apply for this scholarship is Friday, February 14, 2014. All application materials must be submitted electronically to Alanna Ellis at acellis@wsu.edu.

For more information, please contact Dr. Jessica Goldberger at jgoldberger@wsu.edu or 509-335-8540.

Download the scholarship application from http://academic.cahnrs.wsu.edu/scholarships.
ALEXANDER A. SMICK
SCHOLARSHIP IN RURAL COMMUNITY SERVICE AND DEVELOPMENT
APPLICATION FORM

1. Name:

2. WSU ID Number:

3. Local Address:

4. Cell Phone #:

5. Other Phone #:

6. E-Mail Address:

7. Current Academic Status (Graduate or Undergraduate student):

8. Academic Major:

9. Date of Expected Program Completion:

10. Please list the names, phone numbers and e-mail addresses of two individuals who will provide letters of reference that evaluate your performance as a student. One letter must be from the faculty member who will supervise your proposed rural community service and development activity. Both letters of reference should be submitted directly to Alanna Ellis (acellis@wsu.edu) by February 14, 2014.

a. _________________________________________________________________
   (Name) (Phone) (e-mail)

b. _________________________________________________________________
   (Name) (Phone) (e-mail)

11. On a separate sheet, please list all courses, extra-curricular activities, and experiences that provide evidence of your commitment to rural community service and development.

12. On a separate sheet, please write an essay of no more than 500 words on the nature of your interest in rural community service and development, your plans for using the Smick Scholarship to further that commitment, and the name of the faculty member under whose supervision the activity in rural community service and development will be conducted.

13. Please append an unofficial copy of your undergraduate and graduate transcripts.

Please submit this application form and all additional required materials electronically to Alanna Ellis (acellis@wsu.edu) by February 14, 2014.