



# *Scholarship Application Form*

 **DATE**

 **APPLICATION FOR:**

Grace Estelle Wheelless Scholarship

Helen H. Bennett Scholarship

 **APPLICANT INFORMATION**

Name

Home Address

Employer (if applicable)

Work Address

Preferred Phone #

Email Address

 **EDUCATION**Colleges/Universities Attended:

School Name/City, State

Dates Attended

Degree(s) Awarded

Dates Degree(s) Awarded

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School Name/City, State

Dates Attended

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School Name/City, State

Dates Attended

Degree(s) Awarded

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Graduate Program Enrollment

School Name/City, State

Credit Hours Currently Earned Toward Degree

Anticipated Date of Graduation

 **WORK EXPERIENCE**

List employers and positions held with current position listed first. Include all library experience. Attach additional pages if necessary. You may attach a resume in support of work experience.

Dates

Employer

City/State

Position

Main responsibilities

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 **REFERENCES**

List names and contact information for three references. At least one included reference should be a librarian who knows your work and/or abilities. The attached Confidential Evaluation of Applicant Form should be given to each reference to complete and return directly to the Scholarship Committee.

Reference 1:

Name

Phone

Email Address

Reference 2:

Name

Phone

Email Address

Reference 3:

Name

Phone

Email Address

Comments about contacting your references

 **EDUCATIONAL EXPENSES**

Number of course credit hours to be completed Fall 2024-Summer 2025. List anticipated educational expenses by category: Tuition  
Fees associated with enrollment  
Books and materials  
Travel associated with residency requirements  
Board associated with residency requirements  
Other  
Total

 **CERTIFICATION**

I certify that the information in this application and attachments is correct.

**Signature/Date**



## DOCUMENTATION CHECKLIST

Final transcript from institution awarding baccalaureate degree.

Proof of acceptance in a graduate program.

Transcript of graduate courses already completed (if any coursework toward an ALA-accredited degree has been completed).

Narrative statement of 500 words or less, including:

- Specific documentation citing active participation in professional library organizations, library school activities, volunteer and work experiences, and any other related activities.
- Personal philosophy of librarianship.
- Personal future goals in the field of librarianship.



## CONFIDENTIAL EVALUATION OF SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANT

**Applicant:** A print or electronic copy of this form should be provided to each reference listed on the scholarship application.

Applicant's Name



### SPECIFIC CHARACTERISTICS

	Below Average	Average	Better than Average	Excellent
Initiative				
Dependability				
Efficiency				
Human Relations & Social Skills				
Academic Ability				
Service to Library Users				



### COMMENTS

Please provide any written comments regarding your rating of characteristics. Additional sheets can be used if needed.



## REFERENCE CONTACT INFORMATION

Name (Please type or print)

Address

Phone Number

Email Address

Preferred Method of Contact

Phone

Email

No Preference

Occupation or Business

Relationship to Applicant

**Signature of Reference**

**Date**



## DUE DATE

All submissions must be received by **April 1, 2024**. Please contact Katie McDonough if you have any questions.

Submission are accepted via email:  
Katie McDonough, Chair  
DLA Scholarships, Awards & Citations Committee  
[katie.mcdonough@lib.de.us](mailto:katie.mcdonough@lib.de.us)

