

**University of North Alabama
Social Work Alumni Club Award**

The Social Work Alumni Club has instituted a scholarship for a student majoring at the University of North Alabama in the Department of Social Work.

Eligibility: Two \$250 scholarships will be given to a current student in the Fall and Spring semesters majoring at the University of North Alabama in the Department of Social Work. The student will exhibit financial need and career goals. The Alumni Scholarship Committee will determine the recipient based on the review of all documents submitted.

Award Guidelines:

Applicants for the Social Work Alumni Club scholarship must fulfill the following commitments:

1. Complete the formal application and submit it to Amy Thompson, 538 Stevens Hall by April 5, 2013 - 12:00 noon.
2. Applicants must be a current student at the University of North Alabama majoring in Social Work and have completed the matriculation process. They must have a minimum GPA of 2.5.
3. The applicant cannot be a current senior in the Field Internship/Seminar during the semester in which they are completing the application process for the scholarship.
4. Your application consists of the following documents:
 - i. This signed cover page
 - ii. The Application Form
 - iii. Essay – NO MORE THAN TWO PAGES

I ACKNOWLEDGE I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE OBLIGATIONS PROVIDED FOR THE ABOVE AND AGREE TO FULFILL THESE COMMITMENTS.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

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APPLICATION

Name of Applicant _____

Permanent Address _____

Local Address _____

Preferred Phone _____

Date started at University of North Alabama _____

Signature of Applicant

Date

ESSAY QUESTIONS

Please answer the following questions and attach them to your application:

1. Why did you choose Social Work as your major?
2. Briefly describe any academic achievements (please include your GPA-both Social Work and Overall), volunteer or work experience since attending the University of North Alabama.
3. Describe your future aspirations and career goals as a social worker and how they will contribute to the social work profession.
4. Briefly describe your current financial need.