

TOLEDO COMMUNITY FOUNDATION, INC.
United Muslim Association of Toledo Scholarship
2012-2013 Information Sheet

PURPOSE:

To provide annual scholarships for Muslim students who are pursuing a degree in the field of communications (which may include concentration in journalism, broadcasting, media, film or public relations) at an accredited post-secondary institution. Applicants must be planning to enroll or be enrolled as full-time (as defined by the institution) undergraduate or graduate students. Scholarship recipients may re-apply in subsequent years. Priority consideration will be given to individuals who have graduated from high schools located in northwest Ohio or southeast Michigan and those students focusing on journalism. Applicants must be U.S. citizens.

QUALIFICATIONS FOR ELIGIBILITY:

1. The applicant must be a United States citizen with permanent residency status and of the Muslim faith.
2. The applicant must plan to enroll or currently be enrolled as a full-time student in the field of communications (which may include concentration in journalism, broadcasting, media, film or public relations).
3. The applicant must complete and submit the United Muslim Association of Toledo Scholarship application form, including required attachments (see page three of the application form).
4. The applicant must submit an official copy of his/her most recent transcript.

BASIS FOR SELECTION:

Scholarship recipients will be nominated by the Toledo Community Foundation's Scholarship Advisory Committee and approved by the Foundation's Board of Trustees.

In assessing candidates for this scholarship, the Advisory Committee will take into consideration financial need and scholastic aptitude and academic achievement as demonstrated by the information submitted on the scholarship application form, required attachments and academic transcript, and interview with the Toledo Community Foundation's Scholarship Advisory Committee (if selected as a finalist)*.

It is anticipated that one (1) \$1,000 scholarship will be awarded for the 2012-2013 academic year. Toledo Community Foundation will notify (via letter) the scholarship recipient(s) in early May 2012.

HOW TO APPLY:

Mail application materials – including application form, required attachments and transcript - **postmarked by Thursday, March 1, 2012** to: Ms. Joanne Olnhausen; Toledo Community Foundation, Inc.; 300 Madison Avenue, Suite 1300; Toledo, OH 43604. Please do not bind application (other than paper clipping pieces together) Questions to Ms. Olnhausen at 419.241.5049 or email Joanne@toledocf.org

* Interviews will be scheduled for mid-late April 2012. You will be contacted by Toledo Community Foundation if you are selected for an interview.

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INSTRUCTIONS

Before completing this application, please review the accompanying scholarship Information Sheet.

1. Please print (in black ink) or type all information; if an item does not apply to you, indicate N/A.
2. Mail completed application, required attachments (as outlined on page three of the application) to: Toledo Community Foundation; Attn: Joanne Olnhausen; 300 Madison Avenue, Suite 1300; Toledo, OH 43604 **by (postmarked) Thursday, March 1, 2012**. Please do not bind the application (other than paper clipping pieces together). Questions to Ms. Olnhausen at 419-241-5049 or email Joanne@toledocf.org.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Last Name _____ First Name _____ MI _____

Social Security Number _____ Date of Birth _____

Permanent Address: Street _____ County _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone () _____ Permanent E-mail _____

School Phone () _____ School E-mail _____

Are you a U.S. Citizen with permanent residency status? ___ Yes or ___ No

List the names and ages of all persons (excluding yourself) residing at your permanent address:

Name _____ Age _____ Relationship _____

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Name of your Mosque: _____

Address of your Mosque: Street _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Name of the Imam at this Mosque: _____

Phone () _____

EDUCATION

High School: _____

Address: Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Date of Graduation _____ Cumulative GPA _____

If graduating high school senior, please list the college or university you will be attending. If current college student, please list the college you will be attending in 2012-2013.

College _____

Address: Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Anticipated Date of Graduation _____ Cumulative GPA _____ Major _____

HOUSEHOLD FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Please list your family/household gross income (that is, income before taxes and other deductions) and other sources of support including (if applicable): parent/step-parent/guardian income, child support, alimony, etc.

(Father/step-father/guardian annual gross wages)

(Mother/step-mother/guardian annual gross wages)

(Annual child support)

(Other income, alimony, student wages, etc.)

EDUCATIONAL FUNDING

List the sources from which you will derive funding for the 2012-2013 academic year (i.e., personal or parental income, savings accounts, loans, grants, scholarships, etc.):

Source _____ Amount _____

Source _____ Amount _____

Source _____ Amount _____

List any scholarships, grants, and/or other awards for which you have applied (for the 2012-2013 academic year) and are awaiting a decision. Please include an approximate date as to when you will be advised of a decision.

Source _____ Amount _____ Decision _____

Source _____ Amount _____ Decision _____

Source _____ Amount _____ Decision _____

ADDITIONAL REQUIRED APPLICATION MATERIALS (please attach these to the application form)

A. EMPLOYMENT, COMMUNITY AND EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES, AWARDS, ETC.

On a separate sheet, provide a list of activities (school, community, employment, athletic, society/social etc.) in which you have been involved; honors or awards you have received; offices you have held, etc. during college.

B. ESSAY

On a separate sheet please prepare a response to **one** of the questions below. The response should be less than 150 words.

- Summarize your most important achievements that you believe qualify you for the United Muslim Association of Toledo Scholarship.
- Describe your career goals and how your studies in the field of communications will contribute to those goals.

C. MOST RECENT, OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT

I hereby certify that the information provided on this application is, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct. I agree, if requested, to provide the Foundation with additional information needed to determine my qualification for this scholarship. If I become a scholarship recipient, and if requested by the Foundation, I agree to furnish reports that can be used to determine my academic progress and use of scholarship funds. Further, I give my permission to Toledo Community Foundation, Inc. to release any pertinent information for publicity purposes. I agree that if I become a scholarship recipient and that if information provided on this application is later found to be false, my scholarship can be denied.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

If Applicant is under age 18

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____