

Phi Beta Kappa Association of the Phoenix Metropolitan Area

Graduate Scholarship Application 2011-2012

| Deadline: **June 1, 2011**

Donor Information:

The Phoenix area Phi Beta Kappa Association carries out the mission of the national Phi Beta Kappa Society by:

- Supporting local college students in the liberal arts with scholarships to ASU.
- Inviting all local members to an annual meeting, to vote for officers of the Board of Directors and to listen to an eminent guest speaker.
- Organizing attendance at events such as special art exhibits, campus tours, and social occasions.

Phi Beta Kappa is the oldest undergraduate honors organization in the United States. The Society has pursued its mission of fostering and recognizing excellence in the liberal arts and sciences since 1776. More information can be found at the Association web site: <http://www.pbkphoenix.org/> or the national Society's web site: <http://www.pbk.org/home/index.aspx>

Award Amount and Conditions: \$1,000 for the first year of graduate study in a regionally accredited university.

To be eligible for the scholarship, an applicant must:

- Be admitted to an accredited graduate program for the fall 2011.
- Plan to enroll for at least nine semester hours in brick and mortar classes in fall 2011.
- Be a 2009 or 2010 initiate of the Beta of Arizona Chapter of Phi Beta Kappa.
- Show a demonstrated financial need in the personal statement.

Application Materials (please submit in this order):

1. Completed Phi Beta Kappa Association Application (download from Association website).
2. Personal statement describing:
 - Personal and family background.
 - Education and career goals.
 - Financial need.
 - How this scholarship will assist in achieving your education and career goals.
3. Copy of a letter of admission indicating matriculation as a master's or Ph.D. student; must provide proof of enrollment before funds will be released.
4. Letter of recommendation from an ASU faculty member or from a faculty member of the institution to which you have been admitted for graduate study.

Please submit the application and all required material (in one envelope) by **June 1, 2010** to:

Phi Beta Kappa Association - Scholarship Committee
c/o Kate Lehman

Arizona State University
P.O. Box 876605
Tempe, AZ 85287-6605

For questions regarding this scholarship, please contact Kate Lehman (480) 965-5938.

Notes:

- No application materials will be returned. You are encouraged to keep a copy for your records.
- Applications may be downloaded online from the Association of Metropolitan Phoenix website - <http://www.pbkphoenix.org/>; however they may not be submitted online. Each application must be printed out, signed, and manually submitted by the applicant.

Incomplete, late or faxed applications will not be considered.

