MOUNT SAINT AGNES COLLEGE/SISTERS of MERCY SCHOLARSHIP at LOYOLA UNIVERSITY MARYLAND
For a Graduate Student for the 2014 – 2015 Academic Year

The *Mount Saint Agnes Alumnae Association invites eligible graduate students to apply for scholarship assistance.*

ELIGIBILITY

In addition to completing the scholarship application form, an applicant must meet the following criteria:

1. Be a direct descendant, niece, or nephew of a Mount Saint Agnes alumna (Relation must have successfully completed at least two years at Mount Saint Agnes College or Junior College.),
   OR
   Be a graduate of a Mercy affiliated high school.

2. Has been accepted and plans to enroll, or will continue enrollment in one of Loyola's graduate programs for the 2014-15 academic year.

3. Have a minimum grade point average of 3.50

The scholarships will be awarded on a competitive basis, taking into consideration the following categories:

1. Academic performance (based on Loyola's cumulative GPA)
2. Community service/activities

In case of a close competition added consideration will be given to a direct descendant of a Mount Saint Agnes alumna.

SCHOLARSHIP VALUE

A total of $6,000 is available to award for the 2014-15 academic year.

RENEWAL

These scholarships are for a one-year period. They will not be automatically renewed for the following year. A student will have to reapply and demonstrate continued eligibility to be awarded an additional scholarship in subsequent academic years.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Students should complete and return this application form to:

The Office of Financial Aid
Loyola University Maryland
4501 North Charles Street
Baltimore, Maryland 21210
Fax: (410) 617-5149

Applications must be received in the Financial Aid Office by **March 15, 2014.** Announcements of the awards will be made in writing no later than **April 30, 2014.**

Any questions concerning the Mount Saint Agnes/Sisters of Mercy Scholarships should be directed to:

Tom Patterson, Financial Aid Counselor,
tpatters@loyola.edu
(410) 617-2576

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APPLICATION FORM

I. Please Type the Following (A computer reproduction of this application will be accepted):

Student's Name _____

Permanent Address _____

City _____ State_____ Zipcode _____

Phone ( ) _____

Date of Birth_____

Please complete section A or section B

A.
Name of Mount Saint Agnes Alumna (please provide maiden name) _____

Year of Graduation From Mount Saint Agnes _____

Relationship to the Applicant _____

B.
Name of the Mercy Affiliated High School From Which You Graduated _____

Location of Your High School _____

Year of Graduation _____

Loyola Graduate Program:_____

Start Date of Program: _____Anticipated Graduation Date:_____

Current Cumulative GPA:_____

Undergraduate Degree:_____

Undergraduate Institution:_____

Current Place of Employment:_____

II. PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING. (YOU MAY ATTACH A SEPARATE PAGE IF NECESSARY)

HONORS AND AWARDS RECEIVED

LEADERSHIP AND CAMPUS ACTIVITIES

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES AND ORGANIZATIONS

DESCRIPTION OF ANY SPECIAL FAMILY CIRCUMSTANCES

III. PERSONAL STATEMENT: Summarize your educational interests and objectives as well as your career goals. Explain why they are important to you and how a Mount Saint Agnes Scholarship will help you achieve your goals. (Limit to two pages, typed and double-spaced.) Please attach your personal statement to your scholarship application.

IV. Obtain two letters of recommendation from individuals who know you on an educational or professional basis. At least one of the recommendations must be from a Loyola University faculty member. Please submit your letters of recommendation with your scholarship application.

V. I hereby give the Mount Saint Agnes Scholarship Committee permission to obtain a copy of my transcript from the Loyola University Records Office.

Signature_____ Date_____

***The Financial Aid Office must receive your completed scholarship application along with your personal statement and letters of recommendation no later than* March 15, 2014.**