

University of Michigan Club of Philadelphia
Mary Romig deYoung Scholarship Application

The University of Michigan Club of Philadelphia offers a scholarship to one or more promising scholars from the Philadelphia metropolitan area that enroll as undergraduate students at the University of Michigan.

Eligibility requirements are noted below. Applications for the club scholarship must be submitted electronically by Sunday April 21, 2024 for the 2024-2025 academic year. A committee of Club members will review the applications and select a pool of finalists for interviews the following week.

Please send your completed application and an unofficial copy of your high school transcript and any college transcripts (including classes and grades through 1st semester of 12th grade, SAT/SATII scores, and any AP or IB scores) to David Owens at dowensgsb@gmail.com. Please note that you can send your unofficial high school and college transcripts via U.S. postal mail, as long as it arrives by the April 21, 2024 deadline. However, no applications will be accepted via U.S. mail.

Any transcripts that you wish to submit via U.S. mail should be sent to the following address:

Scholarship & Recruiting Committee
The University of Michigan Club of Philadelphia
Attn: David Owens
3 Princeton Road
Wayne, PA 19087

Applications that are missing supporting materials will NOT be accepted. You will receive notification in the event that you are missing any supporting materials if the deadline has not yet passed.

For further information, you may contact David Owens at (610) 283-8358 or dowensgsb@gmail.com.

Provisions

Any student from the Philadelphia metropolitan area currently applying to the University of Michigan as an undergraduate may apply for this scholarship, although only students identified as having a high level of unmet financial need by the University Office of Financial Aid are eligible to receive the scholarship. If you are uncertain as to whether you will have sufficient unmet need as determined by the Office of Financial Aid, please contact the office for guidance. You may apply for the scholarship no later than the due date. Acceptance to and matriculation at the University is a prerequisite to receiving the award. You must submit an enrollment deposit to the University of Michigan at the time of scholarship award to indicate your acceptance of the scholarship.

A committee of Club members reviews the written applications. Several finalists will be invited to interview with the committee. The winner is announced shortly after the interviews.

Club scholarships are usually awarded for **one year only**, with one-half of the yearly award paid directly to the student's University account in August, and the other half paid to the account in January. The amount of the award, which is at the discretion of the University of Michigan Club of Philadelphia and the University of Michigan Office of Financial Aid, varies based on unmet financial need, candidate accomplishments, and results of the alumni interview. In past years, the target award amount has been between \$1,500 and \$8,000.

PLEASE TYPE ALL INFORMATION. USE ADDITIONAL SPACING IF NECESSARY.

Your Name _____
(Last, First, M.I.)

Date of birth _____ UM ID: _____

Your address (street, city, state, zip)

Telephone (_____) _____

High school _____ Guidance counselor _____

GPA: _____

High School Rank: ____ out of _____

SAT/ACT Scores: _____

Name of parent/guardian; name of second parent/guardian

Address of parent/guardian (if different than yours)

Telephone (_____) _____

1. Have you visited the campus in Ann Arbor? If yes, when did you visit and what are your thoughts about the campus? If not, have you scheduled a visit to do so (and when is the visit scheduled)?

2. Why would you like to attend the University of Michigan? What do you intend to study?

3. What are your long-term goals and how do you think the University of Michigan will help prepare you to meet them?

4. How will a scholarship impact your plans to matriculate at the University of Michigan?

5. List honors or academic awards you have received (e.g. scholarly activities, research, etc.):

Award/Honor

Institution/Organization

Date

6. Please list the colleges or universities to which you have applied. Rank the schools by your level of interest in attending each institution with your first choice listed first.

7. Indicate to which schools you have already been accepted, deferred, and/or rejected, and for which schools you are still awaiting a decision.

8. List and briefly describe any work experience:

Position

Employer

Dates of Employment

9. List and briefly describe volunteer activities in which you have been involved:

Organization

Activity

Date of Involvement

10. What book have you read over the past 12 months that has most profoundly affected you? What kind of impact has it had on you?

11. List and briefly describe your high school extracurricular activities (e.g. memberships in organizations, sports, etc.):

Organization Involved

Position Held

Date of Involvement

12. Discuss your two most significant extracurricular activities from those you listed. Discuss how they have shaped you as an individual.

A.

B.

13. What values/attributes do you feel are necessary to make a person a true leader? Why are these values/attributes important?

14. Is there any other information that we should know about you? This is your opportunity to include information that is not contained in other areas of the application. Please be specific. Feel free to include links to online material like contributions to web pages, videos, etc.

Thank you for taking the time to apply for the 2024 University of Michigan Mary Romig de Young Scholarship. Please remember to make arrangements for the scholarship committee to receive the following:

- a. unofficial high school and college transcripts if any college courses taken,
- b. unofficial SAT, ACT and SAT II score reports