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Ohio College Guide Positions Open

Scholarship Central is implementing, for the 2010-2011 school year, a brand new AmeriCorps initiative called the Ohio College Guides, which will place fresh college grads into high schools to serve alongside Scholarship Central advisors, professional school counselors and other school faculty to help guide traditionally underserved young people – low-income, potential first generation college-goers, and minority students – in thinking and acting seriously about their future after high school.

We are recruiting talented individuals who want to make a difference to join the Ohio College Guides AmeriCorps team. A total of sixty positions will be available statewide, with four located in Muskingum, Guernsey and Noble counties. Positions begin in August 2010.

For more information, go to our website:

http://mccf.org/index.html?index_item=67889&db_item=listitem

2010 Internship Database

Companies and organizations that have local internship opportunities have provided that information to Scholarship Central. Visit our website to download and view those opportunities.

http://mccf.org/scholarship_central/students/college_planning/grow_up.html?PHPSESSID=fe37723d6c8abb61b625c63624795227

Be sure to check back regularly as more are added.

The following scholarship applications are available in the **Scholarship Central Resource Room** at the Muskingum County Community Foundation:

Cambridge Home Health Care Nursing Scholarship

Deadline is **May 15, 2010**. Four \$1,000 awards. You must call or write Cambridge Home Health Care in Akron to get application packet. Download announcement for details.

2010 ThanksUSA Scholarship

All applications and all of the required documents must be submitted electronically by **11:59 p.m. CDT on May 15, 2010**. Awards are for \$3,000 or up to the program costs, whichever is the lesser amount. Applicants to the ThanksUSA Scholarship Program must be dependent children, age 24 and under, of U.S. military service personnel, or be spouses of U.S. military service personnel; and be current high school seniors or

graduates who plan to enroll or students and have at least a 2.00 cumulative grade point average (GPA). See guidelines and website www.thanksusa.org/main/scholarships.html for details.

2010 Bill Schwartz Memorial Scholarship from the Ohio Travel Association

Deadline is **June 15, 2010**. A \$1,000 scholarship will be granted to a qualified, full-time (12 or more credit hours) student after the completion of their freshman year (36 hours completed (quarter system)/30 hours completed (semester system) with a minimum 2.5 GPA) and may be renewed for the following two years. As part of the scholarship program, the recipient will be invited to various OTA events throughout the year.

Professional Connections Scholarship

Deadline is **June 15, 2010**. The Professional Connections of Muskingum County, a networking group of Professionals, have established a scholarship award of \$1000.00 to one applicant upon acceptance for further education, or continuing education, attending a 2 or 4 year college anywhere in Ohio or attending Full time at the Adult Career center. The recipient must be a resident of Muskingum County who intends to pursue a career.

Genesis HealthCare Foundation Scholarships

This is a common application form for the Genesis HealthCare Foundation scholarships. There are 7 scholarships which will use this application form.

Charles B. & Alice V. Moody Health Care Scholarship

Deadline is **June 21, 2010**. Open to residents of Muskingum, Morgan, Perry, Licking, Coshocton, Noble and Guernsey counties pursuing degrees in nursing, medical, or allied health at Muskingum College. Minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA.

Charles Wehr Nursing Scholarship

Deadline is **June 21, 2010**. Open to employees of Genesis and immediate families who are residents of Muskingum County pursuing degrees in nursing. Minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA. Consideration given to academics, essays, references, and need.

Edward L. Merry and Bernice Anderson Merry Nursing Scholarship

Deadline is **June 21, 2010**. Open to residents of Muskingum County pursuing nursing degrees. Minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA. Consideration given to academics, essays, references, and need.

Jim and Betty Hooper Scholarship

Deadline is **June 21, 2010**. Open to employees of Genesis and immediate families who are residents of Muskingum and Perry counties pursuing a degree in the health care field. Minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA. Consideration given to academics, essays, references, and need.

John A. Gonder Memorial Scholarship

Deadline is **June 21, 2010**. Open to residents of Muskingum, Morgan, Perry, Coshocton, Noble and Guernsey counties pursuing a degree in the health care field. Minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA. Consideration given to academics, essays, references, and need.

Judith Moody Nursing Scholarship

Deadline is **June 21, 2010**. Applicants must be pursuing a degree in nursing. Preference given to Genesis employees and immediate families. Minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA. Consideration given to academics, essays, references, and need.

Good Samaritan Nurses Alumni Scholarship

Deadline is **June 21, 2010**. Descendent of graduate of Good Samaritan School of Nursing.

Delta Kappa Gamma Muskingum County Scholarship

Deadline is **June 30th, 2010**. \$500 grant to a resident of Muskingum County who has graduated from a Muskingum County High School preparing to teach and who is entering the final year of college, ready to student teach. The criteria used to select the recipient will include a strong interest in teaching, recommendations and scholarship.

Mended Hearts Allied Health Professional Grant

Deadline is **July 1, 2010**. Y-Bridge Chapter #51 awards one \$500 grant to an entering freshman or upperclassman student who shows superior academic achievements and exhibits a financial need. Applicants must be a permanent resident of a South Eastern Ohio county and enroll or be enrolled in a program of health care related studies in an accredited school in Ohio. Application, letter, three reference letters, transcripts and ACT or SAT scores required. See guidelines and application for detailed instructions.

Muskingum Soil and Water Conservation District Scholarship

Applications must be received or postmarked by **July 2, 2010**. \$250 scholarship to a graduating high school senior with a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher; applicants must be a resident of Muskingum County and be planning to major in Agriculture, Natural Sciences, or a closely related field at any 2 or 4 year accredited institution. Applicants also must submit a resume, an official transcript of courses completed in high school, a list of school and extra curricular activities, a list of community service activities and a list of future plans and goals.

If you would like any additional details about these scholarships, please contact Terry Kopchak at tkopchak@mccf.org.

You may also download available applications and guidelines from the **Scholarship Central** web site at:

http://mccf.org/scholarship_central/students/pay_for_college/index.html#applications



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If you have any questions about **Scholarship Central** or **GEAR UP**, feel free to call us at 740-453-5192 or visit our web site at:

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