



**University of
Sunderland**

Development Office

HOPE WINCH BENEVOLENCE FUND

The Hope Winch Benevolence Scholarships are awarded against the following criteria, which must be met in order for the application to be considered by the Committee. Money for the Fund is raised from donations by friends and graduates of the University with additional support from the Hope Winch Society, and as such awards are limited. It is therefore not possible for the committee to award scholarships to every application that meets the criteria.

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA & GENERAL CONDITIONS

Awards are made to current undergraduate students studying pharmacy at the University of Sunderland who face serious financial challenges which impact upon their academic potential.

Awards are made to the value of up to £1,500 per application.

Applicants should provide a submission of up to 1000 words demonstrating how the award will help them achieve their academic potential during their course of study. This must include detail of how the award could alleviate financial pressure with examples of income/expenditure. Applicants must also include 4 months' worth of recent bank statements to support their application and give reference to achieved modular marks.

Scholarship funding is strictly not allowed to be used for the purpose of international visa costs.

All applications must include an academic reference from a member of the Faculty of Applied Sciences.

Awards are considered by the Distribution Committee each term in November, February and April.

All applications should be submitted by noon on the last working day of the month before.

Applications made after the cut off date will not be considered.

All scholarship recipients are asked to submit a report to the Committee at the end of their course year explaining how the Fund supported them through their studies. In the event that a scholarship is unspent, the University reserves the right to ask for the funds to be repaid in order to help other students.

Successful applicants will be required, as a condition of receiving a scholarship, to take part in further publicity for the University of Sunderland Development Trust.

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