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## Graduate Liberal Studies GLS Scholarship Application

Limited departmental financial aid/scholarships are available annually to Graduate Liberal Studies students who have been accepted in the MLS or CAGS programs and can demonstrate BOTH financial need and merit.

Please complete this application prior to each academic semester in which you'd like to receive assistance in order to be considered for financial aid/scholarships awarded by the Department of Graduate Liberal Studies at SMU. Please note that application submission does not guarantee funding.

You are welcome to re-apply for each academic semester to be considered for additional scholarship aid. Early applications are recommended and encouraged as financial aid/scholarship funds are limited.

### Application Deadlines:

Fall by August 1st

Spring by January 1<sup>st</sup>

Summer I, IA, IB, III by May 1st

Summer II, IIA, IIB by May 1st

**Funds are limited and deadlines are firm. Late applications may not be accepted.**

### Scholarship:

GLS Community Leaders Scholarship

GLS Interdisciplinary Educators Scholarship (NOTE: You may only receive this scholarship a maximum of 2 times)

### Semester:

Summer  Fall  Spring

### Biographical Information:

Student ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_

First/Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address (if different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Addresses: \_\_\_\_\_

I am registered for the following courses in the upcoming semester:

\_\_\_\_\_

**Personal Statement - Required for All GLS Scholarship Applicants:**

- On a separate sheet, **please describe your academic, professional and community leadership accomplishments. Please highlight achievements you feel might be of value to the Scholarship Committee as they determine your merit for a possible scholarship award.**
- On another sheet, **please describe your experience in the Master of Liberal Studies program thus far and your plans and goals for the remainder of your degree.**

**Additional Financial Information Required for GLS Community Leaders Scholarship:**

- **Please complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov) and send the SAR (Student Activity Report) to us when completed. Your scholarship application will NOT be reviewed until this application is submitted and the report received by the GLS Office.**

**Additional Required for GLS Interdisciplinary Educators Scholarship:**

Name of School: \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_

School Principal: \_\_\_\_\_

School Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

School Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Signature of Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Return completed forms to: Graduate Liberal Studies,  
Southern Methodist University – PO Box 750253, Dallas, TX 75275-0253  
Email: [mls@smu.edu](mailto:mls@smu.edu)**

**Voice: 214-768-4273 – Fax: 214-768-2104**