

Multicultural Scholars Program in the Social Sciences

Preparing future generations of multicultural leaders to address important societal problems

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Purpose:



To prepare future generations of multicultural leaders to address important societal problems through academic and social supports.

Scholarship:



\$1,000 or higher per year, renewable based on academic performance and contribution to the program.



Responsibilities:

Multicultural scholars will fulfill commitments to: a) Academics (e.g., full class attendance, maintenance of minimum G.P.A.), b) Student-Mentor Meetings (e.g., academic and career advising, academic planning and feedback on performance, time management, financial aid, job and learning opportunities) and c) Group Meetings and Cultural Events (e.g., monthly social gatherings and meetings, planned cultural events).

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Support:

Support is available through the program's Director, Associate Professor Yo Jackson yjackson@ku.edu – 864-3581

Eligibility:

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Outstanding undergraduate students from underrepresented groups (e.g., African Americans, Hispanic Americans, Native Americans, Asian Americans and first generation college students) who are committed to applying their talents to learn to make a difference with issues related to human and community development. Minimum of 2.5 G.P.A. Any undergraduate students who are majors in the Social Sciences and enrolled at the University of Kansas may apply. Applications from freshman and sophomores are strongly encouraged.

For Application Information:

Contact Yo Jackson, Ph.D., 1000 Sunnyside Ave., Room 2013, University of Kansas; Lawrence, KS 66045; 785-864-3581.

Application Deadline:

Applications early in the semester are given priority, however, students may apply at any time during the year.

