

Eugene and Mary Sue Akins Graduate Fellowship

Eugene and Mary Sue Akins' family established this graduate fellowship in their memory and through gifts of their friends in hopes that their lives and careers would inspire and motivate students to further their careers in education. Mr. Akins received his bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Tennessee. Students awarded this fellowship are student interns in education; first preference will be for those students in the School Counseling Program.

Sierra Rollins

Dr. Stephen Lee Alderton Graduate Fellowship

Mr. and Mrs. Alderton created this scholarship in memory and in the honor of their beloved son, the late Dr. Stephen Lee Alderton. His parents are creating a legacy for Dr. Stephen Lee Alderton by assisting doctoral students who will work in the field of school counseling and want the same opportunity as their son to make a positive difference in the lives of children and adults.

Emily Brown

J. Clayton Arnold Scholarship

J. Clayton Arnold was a most interesting man who led a frugal lifestyle that enabled him to give the University of Tennessee its first million dollar gift. Mr. Arnold was a postal worker in Middle Tennessee. He never married, never went to college, never owned a new car, and usually shopped at thrift stores. He was an astute investor, however, and he quietly built a personal fortune that he felt would be most wisely given to an educational institution. J. Clayton Arnold figured that within 100 years this gift would provide scholarships for at least 6,000 "Arnold teachers" who would eventually influence over 24 million lives. Now valued at over \$1.6 million, this scholarship endowment fund is the largest in the College.

**Kara Astling
Stephen Blythe
Taylor Boothe
Whitney Chipman
Kayla Curbow
Sarah Edge
Jennelle Farnum
Kylee Haynes
Autumn Jones
Kendall Krumm
Tara Lowe
Rebekah Meyer
Marshal Nagy
Erica Phillips
Hailey Savage**

**Kelly Beisel
Hameeda Boghani
Mary Carbonell
Charles Clark
Lauren Daudelin
Elizabeth Evans
Charles Folger
Morgan Hutton
Allie Keasler
Tina Lamon
Mikka Maderal
Taylor Moody
Khadija Nisar
Felicia Qualls
Abigail Sawyer**

**Niki Blaylock
Hali Boland
Holly Chamberlin
Allison Cole
Heather Del Pilar
Meghan Evans
Anna Hale
Nancy Inman
Katelyn Kelsey
Rebekah Long
Madeline Martie
Santiago Munoz
Alexandra Peeden
Benjamin Riggle
Susannah Sayre**

**Lacey Sharp
Chelsea Tallon
Hannah Victory
Bethany Wilson**

**Taylor Smith
Taylor Thornton
Rachel Welsh**

**Tracie Stalvey
Johnathan Tipton
Sarah Williams**

Max B. and Lalla Arnstein Scholarship

Created in 1986 to “provide scholarships for students preparing to become teachers or for meritorious and deserving teachers desiring to improve their teaching qualifications,” this endowment provides awards in honor of Mr. Arnstein and his wife of 55 years, Lalla B. Arnstein. Recipients of this award should be students preparing to be teachers or teachers working to improve their teaching qualifications.

Shelby Calfee

Caroline Daugherty

Dorothea H. Barton Scholarship

This scholarship is awarded to junior honor students in the College of Education, Health, and Human Sciences within the disciplines that were in the former College of Human Ecology/College of Home Economics.

Sarah Tong

The Kitty and William Beasley Fellowship

The Kitty and William Beasley Fellowship was endowed in 1996 by the son of the honorees, Bill Beasley, Jr., and his wife, Beverly. Kitty and William could not afford to go to college, but they worked hard, saved their money and sent their children and grandchildren to college. This fellowship provides assistance to a fifth-year intern who has demonstrated outstanding academic performance. Preference is given to students from Williamson County, TN.

Lindsey Keller

W. Bruce and Lois L. Boggan Fellowship Fund

Nancy Boggan Binkley and her husband, Lesley H. Binkley, Jr., established this fellowship in memory of Nancy’s father and in honor of her mother, to commemorate her parents’ accomplishments and recognize the family’s close ties to the University of Tennessee. The fellowship will benefit generations of teacher education students through awards to academically and financially deserving students in their fifth-year internship earning their initial teacher licensure.

Erica Patterson

**Ethan Beecher and Lois Roark Bridges Scholarship
in Elementary Education**

As an endowed scholarship, this fund will enable students, especially Hawkins County students, to seek teacher licensure in elementary education. This scholarship was established in honor of Ethan Beecher and Lois Roark Bridges by their daughter, Mary E. Bridges Rayburn, and her sons. Lois Roark Bridges, a former teacher at Church Hill Elementary School in Hawkins County, attended classes in the former College of Education at the University of Tennessee from 1924-1960 and Ethan Beecher Bridges attended the University from 1921-1923.

Victoria Baker

Margaret Cornelia "Connie" Rankin Brock Scholarship

Harriet Rankin Hunter created this scholarship in memory of her sister, Margaret Cornelia Rankin Brock. Mrs. Brock received her bachelor's and master's degree from the former College of Home Economics. This scholarship is awarded to an undergraduate student who has demonstrated successful academic performance and shows high potential. Preference is given to McMinn or Polk County residents.

Mia Kesler

Dr. Ilene Brown Scholarship

Dr. Ilene Brown was born in Texas on October 12, 1910. Her undergraduate and master's work was done at the University of Texas and she completed her doctorate at The Ohio State University. Dr. Druzilla Kent, then chair of Home Economics Education, brought Dr. Brown to UTK in the fall of 1936. Her commitment to educating young people is the inspiration for her to create this scholarship here at UTK. Recipients of this scholarship are majoring in Family and Consumer Sciences Education or a teacher licensure program and plan to teach subjects that deal with children and families.

**Clarissa Blevins
Megan Morey
Samantha Schriver**

**Star Sanders Hall
Margaret Pendleton
Courtney Zimmerman**

**Mariah Mitchell
Whitney Reed
Emily Zotti**

Marthanne and James Burn Scholarship

This scholarship is in memory of Mrs. Marthanne Burn, who received her master's degree in Home Economics from UTK in 1957. After graduation she taught Home Economics at the University of Maryland for 2 years before coming to McMinn County where she served as the Adult Home Economics Agent with the University of Tennessee Agriculture Extension Service for 33 years until her retirement. This

scholarship is given to deserving undergraduate students in the College of Education, Health, and Human Sciences.

Jacqueline Beaird
Rebekah Long

Cathryn Beasley
Sarah Williams

Holly Heindl

Paul C. Burns Memorial Scholarship

Although Dr. Paul C. Burns was known nationally for his many books and articles, his colleagues found him to be "equally concerned about preparing young people to teach and helping experienced teachers improve their skills and understandings." He served UT and many other schools through his contributions as a teacher, writer, student advisor, and unpaid consultant. This memorial scholarship was established in 1984 through gifts from Dr. Burns' estate, family, friends, and colleagues in the former Department of Curriculum and Instruction as a way to assist students seeking initial teaching licensure in elementary education.

Abigail Wigger

Catherine Burton Chi Omega Scholarship Fund

The Catherine Burton Chi Omega Scholarship Fund is established by alumnae of the Pi Chapter of Chi Omega Sorority , in honor of Catherine Burton's fifty years of service to that chapter. This Scholarship is intended to provide financial assistance to Senior women in the UTK College of Home Economics.

Madison Block
Alexis Schroder

Caroline Chace

Tessa Person

Kathy Carlson Fellowship

Kathy Carlson first became enamored with preschoolers in 1971 as a teacher in a church preschool music program. In 1977, she started teaching nursery school, and in 1981, kindergarten. While teaching, she received her master's degree in Child Development from UT. She was the Master Teacher/Coordinator for the White Avenue Child Development Preschool Laboratories, and the program went on to become one of the first to receive NAEYC accreditation. Kathy was also a contributing author of *Early Childhood Curriculum*. She gave many workshops on topics such as art, early writing, story-telling, and guidance in her career. After her retirement in 1993, she maintained her relationship with preschoolers by volunteering to read to children in classrooms. Recipients of this award are pursuing their graduate degree with a dedication to promoting effective learning methods for young children.

Katherine Hampton

Benjamin E. Carmichael Scholarship Endowment

Sue C. Little established this endowment in honor of her father, Dr. Benjamin Carmichael, a U.S. Marine Corps veteran who enjoyed a distinguished and passionate career in education. At various points throughout his career, Dr. Carmichael's served in many roles including teacher, principal, superintendent, commissioner of education, and member of UT's Board of Trustees, where he remains as a Trustee Emeritus. Dr. Carmichael hopes that recipients of this scholarship will discover the joy and satisfaction he experienced from learning and serving in the profession of education.

**Taylor Boothe
Lacey Sharp**

**Holly Heindl
Shaye Smith**

**David Housewright
Erin Whaley**

Brenda and Charles Carpenter Fellowship

This endowment memorializes Charles and Viola Carpenter, parents of Charles Carpenter, Jr. and Charles and Dorothy Poe, parents of Brenda Carpenter. Both families maintained a strong commitment towards education. This scholarship is awarded to fifth-year education students in the UT intern program or to in-service teachers from Greene County or Lawrence County, TN.

Matthew Hensley

Erica Phillips

Edward C. and Catherine Daugherty Cifers Scholarship

Mr. and Mrs. Cifers endowed this scholarship to assist students who demonstrate successful academic performance. Recipients should also show evidence of high moral character and a determination to secure a college education through hard work.

Andrea Colyer

Sarah Neessen

Caroline Claxton Scholarships in Special Education

Ms. Claxton's grandfather, Dr. Philander P. Claxton, formed the University of Tennessee's School of Education in 1902, and in the same year started the Summer School of the South of which he was Superintendent until he became U.S. Commissioner of Education in 1911. Ms. Claxton has Down Syndrome and for about fifteen years attended special education programs in public schools in Montgomery County, Maryland. For more than thirty years she has been a resident of a center in Chattanooga, Tennessee. Her family appreciates the education she received from many caring special education teachers and other staff members at these institutions and hopes to encourage Claxton Scholars to help others as Ms. Claxton has been helped.

Kelly Cox

Josephine D. Cochran Scholarship Fund

Josephine Cochran was from Harlan, KY, but moved to Knoxville to attend The University of Tennessee, where she met her husband of 43 years, Litton Cochran. Together they opened the first McDonald's in Tennessee in 1960, and are credited with developing the McDonald's Apple Pie in their very own kitchen. Jo was a UTK College of Business graduate, Class of 1947, but she and her family believed education was vital to an individual's character. So much so that they started an employee scholarship program in 1964 and awarded McDonald's employees full one-year scholarships to UTK for over 35 years. Now, Mrs. Cochran is giving again as provided in her will that a portion of her assets be used for scholarships in the former College of Human Ecology, now the College of Education, Health, and Human Sciences for those pursuing undergraduate or graduate degrees.

**Leah Bell
Brittney Hardwick
Kelly Tate**

**Michelle Cosse
Joanne Patterson**

**Chelsea Hagan
LaShonda Phillips**

Dr. Gale A. Collett PreK-3 Award

The Department of Child and Family Studies received a gift from Mr. Steven E. Collett in 2013 in honor of Dr. Gale A. Collett. The generous gift was made by Mr. Collett to express his desire to have Gale recognized by the Department of Child and Family Studies and to specifically support PreK-3 undergraduate students, faculty, and our other purposes related to the operation of the program. Mr. Collett believed Dr. Collett deserved this honor because she is dedicated to advancing the mission of early childhood education through the PreK-3 program of study.

Brianna McCurry

John C. and Gwen B. Connell Scholarship

John and Gwen Connell instilled in their children the importance of education in achieving success in life. This scholarship, endowed by their children, honors the Connells and demonstrates the family's commitment to helping others receive the best education possible. The award is given to deserving students enrolled in the College's programs that prepare future educators, thereby touching the lives of future generations of students. This scholarship may be awarded to undergraduate students, but preference is given to fifth-year interns seeking initial teacher licensure.

Jordan Yates

Nellie Crooks Scholarship

Former Home Economics faculty members, students, and friends of the late Miss Nellie Crooks established an annual award fund in her memory. Miss Crooks came to UT to serve as Head of the Domestic Science Department in 1917. Then three faculty in Home Economics held classes in Tennessee Hall. Through the dynamic efforts of Miss Crooks, Home Economics courses were developed, two home management houses were developed, and the main section of the Home Economics Building was built. In addition, because of her pioneering efforts the Domestic Science Department was elevated to the School of Home Economics at The University of Tennessee.

Hope Lay

Ella J. Day Scholarship

Ella J. Day came to the University of Tennessee in 1929 as one of the first two College of Home Economics faculty having a doctorate degree. She was instrumental in establishing a year-round nursery school at the University. This award was established in memory of Dr. Day in 1974. Her friends and former students endowed the fund in 1992. Recipients are majoring in Child and Family Studies and preparing to work with young children.

Meagan Shideler

Frank and Ruth DeFriese Scholarship

Mr. and Mrs. DeFriese established this award in 1977 to provide scholarships for deserving students in the College of Agriculture and the former College of Human Ecology. The recipient is an entering freshman or upperclassman in any major within these colleges.

Ashley Northcutt

The Billie Cannon DeMont Scholarship Endowment

In memory of Dr. Billie Cannon DeMont, her family, friends, and professional colleagues established The Billie Cannon DeMont Scholarship Endowment. This scholarship is available to deserving masters and doctoral students of the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, in the College of Education, Department of Educational Leadership.

Casey Renegar

Eloise & George Eckler Graduate Fellowship

In 2003, the estate of George Eckler, whose wife, Eloise Eckler, received a master's degree from the former College of Home Economics in 1950, provided the funding for this endowed fellowship. It is designated for students enrolled in Graduate Student Research or Graduate Student Teaching in the programs of the Nutrition, Child and Family Studies, or Consumer Services Management programs.

Hussain Sumaiya

Educators Hall of Honor Scholarship

This scholarship is awarded to teacher interns or other undergraduate or graduate students in the College's programs that prepare future educators. It is funded by an endowment created in honor of the educators inducted into the Educators Hall of Honor and is intended to inspire the next generation of educators as a tribute to educators who have inspired, shaped and transformed the lives of their own students and colleagues.

Natalia Ward

Elizabeth Aytes "Cookie" Elliot Art Education Teacher Intern Scholarship

This scholarship was established to help teacher interns majoring in Art Education in the College of Education, Health, and Human Sciences.

**Christina Kampas
Kayla Rump**

**Ashley Layendecker
Georgia Vogel**

Jonathan Purtill

Lillie Frank Fitzgerald Scholarship

This scholarship is named for Mrs. Lillie Fitzgerald, a retired English teacher at Bradley County High School in Cleveland, TN. She was known as a teacher whose interest in her students did not end with their graduation from high school. Her kindness toward one of her students, Mr. Toby McKenzie, led to the establishment of a generous endowment to fund scholarships for teacher interns in her honor.

**Amanda Cleveland
Georgia Vogel**

**Alexis Huddleston
Brittany Wright**

Abigail Luttrell

Clifton N. Foxworthy Graduate Fellowship

James C. and Marcia S. Foxworthy established this fellowship in honor of Clifton N. Foxworthy, a 1939 graduate of the University of Tennessee who earned a B.S. degree in Business Administration. This fellowship is awarded to graduate students with a high level of academic achievement entering the field of special education.

Kelly Cox

Maralee Garland Graduate Fellowship

Maralee Garland received a master's degree from the former College of Home Economics in 1946 and was a home economics instructor for 40 years in Unicoi County, TN. In her estate, Mrs. Garland provided this endowed fellowship for graduate level students within the College of Education, Health, and Human Sciences, with preference for students in the disciplines formerly housed in the College of Human Ecology/Home Economics.

Kaitlin DeWitt

Emily Heal

Billie Grace Goodrich Scholarship

The Billie Grace Goodrich Scholarship was established in 1995 by a gift from Henry Goodrich honoring his wife. Mrs. Goodrich received her B.S. in Education from the University of Tennessee in 1944, and Mr. Goodrich received his B.S. in Civil Engineering in 1943. This fellowship was established to aid students from the Gibson County area that are entering their fifth year of teacher education, seeking initial licensure, and demonstrating character traits embraced by Billie Grace Goodrich. The Goodrich's have also made available similar scholarships to education students at the University of Tennessee at Martin.

Whitney Reed

Lillian L. Gore Scholarship in Elementary Education

Dr. Gore or "Miss Lillian," as she was fondly called, was a retired Knoxville teacher and principal. This 1929 graduate of the former College of Education was at one time the elementary schools supervisor for Knoxville City Schools. In 1973, Dr. Gore established an annuity trust fund with the University. Upon her death in 1985, the funds were used to create this endowment. Awards are made to academically talented students pursuing initial teaching licensure and a career of teaching elementary school children.

Hillary Grant

Dr. June D. Gorski Scholarship Endowment

In 1995, Dr. June Gorski established an endowed scholarship to further the study and practice of Public Health. The recipients are graduate students in Public Health. Her Public Health advisees developed the award criteria which recognize Dr. Gorski's contributions, dedication, and passion for Health Education. The recipients are graduate students in Public Health or Health Education who have demonstrated commitment to community initiatives, promotion of preventive measures, and collaboration to further the mission of "healthy people in healthy communities."

Brittney Hardwick

Jessica Jurcak

The Erma G. Graff Scholarship

Established in 1980 by Dr. Orin B. Graff in loving honor of his wife, Erma G. Graff. This fund is available to doctoral students in the College of Education, Department of Educational Administration and Supervision and have shown a sensitivity to current social problems.

Lee Flood

Irene Hill Greene and Condon L. Greene Memorial Scholarship

This award was established through Mr. Greene's estate to assist undergraduate students from Anderson County in the disciplines of Child and Family Studies, Nutrition, and Consumer Services Management.

Kelly Tate

Ann McGuire Grooms, M.D. Scholarship

Dr. Ann M. Grooms and Dr. Gary Grooms are both physicians with their educational background from the University of Tennessee. Ann earned a B.S. in Nutrition in 1963. She and Gary both earned their M.D. from the University of Tennessee, Memphis in 1966. They established this scholarship to encourage and sustain students who are interested in professional careers with priority to students interested in the medical field and attending medical school.

Isson Tayidi

Helen Sharp Hakala Scholarship

Helen Sharp Hakala of Lake City, TN, earned her B.S. in Food Systems Administration from the former College of Home Economics in 1943, and also received her teaching certificate. Mrs. Hakala established this award to help students achieve their academic goals. It is available to undergraduate or graduate students in the areas that were in the former College of Human Ecology.

Katherine Hampton

Kenneth Jordan

Julia Navin

Prawannarat Suntithammasoot

Ericka Hill

Sun-Hwa Kim

Kristin Riggsbee

Ran Huang

Theresa Kwon

So Song

Isson Tayidi

Jessie W. Harris Scholarship

Dean Jessie W. Harris served as director of the School of Home Economics for 31 years and in 1957 was appointed the first dean of the then newly established College of Home Economics. Dean Harris was such an instrumental leader in Home Economics in the University, the state, and the world, that in 1964 the Home Economics Building was named after her. Friends, students and colleagues established this scholarship in honor and memory of Dean Harris in 1972. This scholarship is based on academic merit and awarded to students majoring in the areas which were in the former College of Human Ecology/College of Home Economics.

Brittany Requena

Beverly Samples

Lillian White

Travis Hawk Fellowship

Established in 1969, this fellowship commemorates the scholarship and leadership of former University of Tennessee Professor of Educational Psychology, Dr. Travis Hawk. His concern for students, his knowledge of and enthusiasm for his profession, his fairness and understanding placed Dr. Hawk among the University's honored professors. This fellowship is awarded to graduate students in Educational Psychology who maintain a 3.4 overall grade point average.

Jennifer Mayes

Richard Parlier

Helen Giffin Headlee Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship was established in memory of Mrs. Helen Giffin Headlee who was a devoted teacher for many years in the Loudon County, Tennessee School System, by her friends and family. Academic merit is the primary consideration and preference is given to those in Loudon and contiguous counties.

Tara Lowe

Richard J. Hincke Scholarship

A 1984 graduate in Mathematics Education, Richard (Rick) Hincke established this award in 1992, making him perhaps the youngest donor to endow a scholarship in the former College of Education. Mr. Hincke remembers how tough it was trying to make ends meet as a student teacher when he needed to spend his time focused on teaching and not working part-time. With the fifth-year internship program, students are more dependent than ever on tuition assistance and therefore this scholarship is intended to lighten the financial load of those entering into the teaching profession.

Mary LeBoeuf

The Howard Family Scholarship in Education

The Howard Family Scholarship Endowment was established by the family of Dr. and Mrs. Robert Howard of Oak Ridge. This award honors three members of the Howard family who were students at the University of Tennessee. Each earned a degree from the former College of Education. This scholarship is awarded to students seeking their initial teacher licensure, with priority given to fifth-year interns.

Mary LeBoeuf

Buford and Beatrice Irwin Scholarship

This endowment was established through Mr. Irwin's trust. The scholarship will be awarded to qualified American citizens from Claiborne and Rutherford counties with preference first to students majoring in Nutrition and secondly to students majoring in Textiles.

Ethan Schaltegger

Summer Smith

Paula Hicks Lemler Scholarship

Paula Hicks Lemler received her undergraduate degree in 1970 from the former College of Education. This scholarship was created because she saw the need to have qualified, properly educated teachers instructing children in rural areas. Also, it was intended as a way to give back to the community, and to give other students the opportunity to attend a university with proven teacher training excellence. The scholarship is awarded to a student who has been admitted to the teacher education program, with preference given to students from Campbell, Claiborne, or Scott counties in Tennessee.

Amanda Jeffries

Frederick Lewisohn Scholarship

Mr. Frederick Lewisohn established this award in 1903. It is awarded to upperclassmen in the areas that were in the former College of Human Ecology.

Anna Beuerlein

Caroline Bishop

Jaime Marquis

Cynthia Pollard Lyon Scholarship/Fellowship

This scholarship was created to honor Mrs. Lyon, who has spent her entire career in the field of education. She received her master's degree in Education from UT in 1971. Recipients of this scholarship are fifth-year education students seeking initial teacher licensure, with preference given to students from the state of Georgia and/or Virginia.

Allison Cole

James L. and Joy Atchley Marsee Endowed Scholarship

H. Gray Marsee established this scholarship to honor his parents, both of whom attended the University of Tennessee in the 1950s. His father went on to become an executive with Haverty's Furniture and his mother earned several degrees including a doctor of education, taught school, and raised three children. Hazen Gray Marsee is a graduate of the University of Tennessee Law School and is honored to provide financial assistance to those who are training to be educators.

Lacey Tragesser

Mary Katherine Martin Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship was established to assist those majoring in Child and Family Studies. The recipient shall have demonstrated successful academic performance.

Virginia Urban

Nancy McClary McAllister and Lewis W. McAllister Scholarship Endowment

This award was created because of Nancy McClary McAllister's interest in the child development program. The McAllister's understanding of how expensive a college education is today. It was their hope that this scholarship encourages deserving young people in the pursuit of higher education.

Virginia Urban

Dr. Thomas M. and Erie Kate Porter McCord Scholarship

This endowed scholarship was created by Erie Kate McCord and her husband, the late Dr. Thomas M. McCord, to help young people achieve their college goals. It is designated for graduate or undergraduate students who have completed at least one year in the College of Education, Health, and Human Sciences and are pursuing a degree in either Child and Family Studies or Nutrition.

**Morgan Faulk
Ashley Northcutt**

Anna Han

Emily Heal

Marjorie McCracken Scholarship Quasi-Endowment

Mrs. Marjorie McCracken graduated from the University of Tennessee in 1943 with a degree in Education. She was a school teacher in the Paris, TN school system for 34 years. Mrs. McCracken passed away in 2008 at the age of 87. This scholarship is awarded to undergraduate or graduate students who are pursuing a degree in education, with preference given to students enrolled in the fifth-year internship program, with secondary preference given to an undergraduate junior or senior pursuing a degree in education.

**Steven Gallaher
Hilary Grant
Megan Mercurio**

**Lindsey Keller
Amanda Jeffries
Molly Shipman**

**Sydney King
Christen Marcus**

Julius D. McElroy Scholarship Quasi-Endowment

Mrs. Rose P. McElroy left a bequest in honor of her husband, Julius D. McElroy who received his degree in education from the University of Tennessee in 1932. The McElroy's both valued education and understood the impact they could make with their gift to support students seeking college degrees.

**Ashley Bales
Elizabeth Elajam
Rachel Gunia
Douglas Hubbert
Robin Klingensmith
Brandie Mcconkey
Brooke Murphy
Kurtisha Norris
Ethan Stanfield**

**Stephen Behan
Disney Grant
Elaina Highland
Alexander Hwang
Jessica Kunkle
Heather Millard
Mary Murphy
Bryon Randolph
Brittany Sweeney**

**Hunter Cross
Brittany Gray
Hannah Hopson
Joshua King
Anh La
Bethany Miniard
Lexus Nixon
Tiffany Shelton
Susanna Yoder**

McInnes Endowment for Teacher Education

This scholarship is awarded to students admitted into the Teacher Education Program, with preference given to students planning to teach family and consumer sciences education; student athletes pursuing a certificate in any area; or student teacher interns in the Secondary Education program.

Katelyn Kelsey

McKee Brothers Scholarship

This scholarship is named for James Owen McKee and Lonnie Clifford McKee, sons of Charles Marion McKee of Nashville, TN. Both sons were profoundly impacted by the Great Depression and because their family was not wealthy, neither son nor their three sisters were able to attend college. Both James and Lonnie married and had two children each, and were determined that all of their children would go to and graduate from college. Later, all four children earned advanced degrees. The brothers both went on to become great businessmen and were respected for their great work ethic. Later in life, James established a scholarship foundation that was an outward expression of his belief in the value of all education, especially higher education. In establishing the foundation he wanted to honor his brother and all of their children, and help deserving and financially needy young people. The establishment of this scholarship continues the desire of James Owen McKee to assist deserving men and women in his home state. Preference is given to students pursuing an education major leading to teacher licensure in Tennessee.

Niki Blaylock

Benjamin Riggle

Alexandria Moczygemba

Inez Lovelace and La Vera Lovelace McKenney Scholarship

In 1994, Miss Inez Lovelace established this award during the Campaign for the 21st Century. Miss Lovelace served the former College of Human Ecology for many years as a dedicated faculty member. Recipients of this award are to major in a discipline that was formerly part of the College of Human Ecology and demonstrate successful academic performance.

Emily Faquin

Abigail Rider

Taylor Smith

Gladys A. Million Memorial Scholarship

Gladys Million graduated from the University of Tennessee in 1925 with a bachelor's degree in mathematics and went on to receive her master's degree in mathematics in 1928. She remembered the University in her will with funds to endow a scholarship in the former College of Education with preference going to students in the fifth-year internship program who are preparing to teach mathematics at the elementary or secondary level.

Kyle Perriguet

Sylvia F. and Billy J. Moore Scholarship

Sylvia and Bill Moore established this endowment to provide scholarships to seniors in the Department of Child and Family Studies. Sylvia Moore earned her bachelor's and master's degrees from the former College of Home Economics in 1959 and 1960 in Child Development and Family Relationships. The late Bill Moore was a graduate of UT's College of Engineering. Both of them have kept the University an important part of their life since graduation, creating scholarships in the College of Education, Health, and Human Sciences and in the College of Engineering.

Kathryn Fisher

Mary Lancaster

Moyers Family Endowed Fellowship

This fellowship was established to honor the memory of George Paschal ("Pal") and Thelma Wallace Moyers. Pal and Thelma Moyers married in 1937 and lived on a farm near Fayetteville, TN with their four children. Pal managed the farm and Thelma was a full-time homemaker and farmwife. Although neither were well-educated, they were determined that their children would be. Their two youngest, Lou and Richard, both received undergraduate and graduate degrees from UT Knoxville, Rachel graduated from George Peabody College (now part of Vanderbilt University), and Jack graduated from Tennessee Tech. The Moyers have at least 10 other close family members affiliated with UT as well. What better way to honor these loving parents who insisted their children should have the education that they, themselves, were unable to have than to assist aspiring school teachers in gaining their qualifications to carry forward in educating future generations?

Katlyn Watkin

Helen Carter Murray Scholarship

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard B. Murray, Jr. of Chattanooga, TN, established this scholarship. The honoree, Mrs. Helen Carter Murray, was a 1995 graduate of the former College of Education with a master's degree in Elementary Counseling. It is awarded to a student in the master's degree program in School Counseling who shows an interest in working in a school setting, K-8. In July of 1998, Mrs. Murray passed away suddenly, and the scholarship is now given by Mr. Murray in her memory.

Samantha Williams

Nashville Area Home Economists in Home and Community Scholarship

The Nashville Area Home Economists in Home and Community Chapter created this endowment to benefit young women and men who choose the former College of Human Ecology areas of study at the University of Tennessee. This scholarship is awarded to a student from the Middle Tennessee area, with preference to Davidson County.

Makinzi Butram

Courtney Neal Scholarship

This scholarship is given by Mark and Lisa Neal in loving honor of their daughter Courtney. Courtney was inspired by her first-grade teacher to pursue the field of elementary education. She received her MS in Teacher Education at UTK in 2012 and is currently a mentor and teacher to Kindergarteners. This scholarship is awarded to those pursuing a Master's Degree in the Teacher Licensure Program specializing in Elementary Education.

Katherine Barnett

Kristina Beal

John and Leolia Newman Scholarship

Roberta Lillian Newman, who graduated from the UT College of Education in 1938, remembered her alma mater in her estate plans with the establishment of an endowed scholarship named in honor of her parents, John and Leolia Newman. The recipient must be a student in the teacher preparation program of the College of Education, Health, and Human Sciences, with preference going to a fifth year teacher intern seeking initial teacher licensure.

Whitney Chipman

Paine Scholarship Endowment Fund

Funds from the estate of Sevier County residents Thomas Charles Paine and his wife, Hettie Montgomery Paine, created this endowed scholarship. Mr. Paine was an attorney, and Mrs. Paine and the Paines' son Charles Ambrose Paine were teachers and coaches in Sevier County Schools. This scholarship is awarded annually to graduates of Sevier County high schools who are entering the teaching profession.

Erin Whaley

Charles M. Peccolo Scholarship

This scholarship was established by Dr. Charles Peccolo's son and daughter-in-law, Charles "Butch" M. Peccolo, Jr., UT's Treasurer, and Dr. Dulcie L. Peccolo, Director of Student Services for the College of Education, Health, and Human Sciences. The scholarship honors Dr. Charles Peccolo, "whose entire career had been devoted to the development and improvement of public education and curriculum management." In 1970, Dr. Peccolo came to the University of Tennessee as director of the Bureau of Educational Research and Service, a position he held until his retirement in 1986. The scholarship is presented to "students in the College of Education, Health, and Human Sciences who recognize the importance of and are committed to quality public education."

Joshua Moore

Geraldine M. Piper Fund

Geraldine M. Piper received her master's degree in Nutrition from the University of Tennessee in 1947. She established this award to assist future generations of students who wish to pursue a career in Nutrition, particularly Public Health Nutrition. This fellowship is awarded to graduate students.

**Kaitlin DeWitt
Krystal Looney
Randa Meade
Jennifer Trumbo**

**Jamie Glover
Amber MacDonald
Kelsey Parkman**

**Tiffany Harris
Marissa McElrone
Kristin Riggsbee**

D. W. Proffitt Foundation Scholarship

The friends and family of D. W. Proffitt established this scholarship to continue support for the former College of Human Ecology. D. W. Proffitt created Proffitt's Department Stores in 1919, which was based in Maryville, TN until being purchased by Saks. This award is given to an upperclassman majoring in retailing who has excellent academic credentials and potential.

Linsey Adams

Harwell Proffitt Excellence in Retailing Scholarship

Harwell Proffitt, son of D.W. Proffitt, propelled Proffitt's Department Store to emerge as a retail leader through his focus on excellence through attention to detail, high standards, and customer service. Harwell and Sara Pope Proffitt created this endowment to recognize academic excellence and professional promise among students in the Retailing Program. This scholarship is awarded to a student who has completed his or her sophomore year in retailing and who demonstrates excellence in all areas of his or her academic career.

Cassidy Whitehead

Ruby McKeel Rives Scholarship

Ruby McKeel Rives established this scholarship through a bequest in her will to assist deserving students in the areas of the former College of Human Ecology. This scholarship is available for undergraduate or graduate students majoring in the disciplines formerly in the College of Human Ecology, with their deserving stature being decided by the College.

**Ashlyn Carter
Ashley Sullivan**

Jessica Jurcak

Kenneth Jordan

Andrew Charles Robinson Memorial Scholarship

Established in 1992, this scholarship was created in celebration of the life of Andrew Charles Robinson by his grandparents, Ron and Kathy Moore. Andrew did not survive infancy, dying at the age of two months. Rather than simply being a sad moment in the lives of those who loved this child, it was the hope and intention of the family that his death would create an opportunity to enrich the lives of other children. To reach this ideal, recipients of this scholarship will dedicate themselves to improving the lives of children through teaching, nurturing, and modeling an example by which to live. The scholarship is awarded annually to a fifth-year intern majoring in Elementary Education.

Taylor Bergstrom

Dr. Glennon Rowell Endowed Memorial Scholarship Fund

As one of eight children, Dr. C. Glennon Rowell became a good student and was the first in his family to earn a college degree. He also was invited to sit on the Oxford Roundtable, led the massive Claxton Education Complex building renovation project, established one of the most recognized fifth-year teacher internship programs in the nation, and as Dean of the College of Education, Health, and Human Sciences devised the Educators Hall of Honor.

Kendall Krumm

Savannah Loudermilk

See Beautiful Fellowship

See Beautiful is a philanthropic company with a mission to provide inspiring, ethically-sourced products that create more beautiful through empowerment, education, and strategic giving initiatives. Founder and CEO, Dr. Lydia Criss Mays is a former Educator and University Professor of Early Childhood and Elementary Education with a focus on equity, empowerment, and care. The students chosen to receive this award must, among other criteria, demonstrate a desire to see and create more beautiful in the world during and after their UTK academic experience.

Star Hall

Whitney Reed

Evelyn Martin Shafer Human Ecology Scholarship

Lyn Shafer Overholt and Elisabeth Shafer Sansom with their husbands, Gene Overholt and Bill Sansom, established this endowment to honor their mother for the legacy of love and family which she has given to each of her children. All three women are graduates of the former College of Human Ecology. This scholarship is given to students who are residents of Tennessee or have graduated from a Tennessee high school and are majoring in Child and Family Studies.

**Marissa Hepburn
Marcye Pruitt**

Constance Jamison

Meilan Jin

Sharp Family Endowed Scholarship

Andrea Sharp and Whitney Sharp Gibson have created the Sharp Family Scholarship to honor the dedication ever present in the work of their family. Andrea and Whitney are cousins who come from a family of public school teachers. They understand how difficult it can sometimes be to support a family (and send a child to college) on a teacher's salary. Therefore, Andrea and Whitney felt it was important to create a scholarship to assist the child of a K-12 teacher. The Sharp family has received a total of nine degrees from the University of Tennessee.

Abigail Sawyer

Patricia Grubbs Sherwood Scholarship

Patricia Grubbs Sherwood is a native of Blount County. In 1960 she graduated from the former College of Home Economics. Mrs. Sherwood taught Home Economics at South High School in Knoxville. Her love for the University and her field brought about the establishment of the Patricia Grubbs Sherwood Scholarship Endowment. Students majoring in disciplines formerly in the College of Human Ecology who are from Blount County and have demonstrated successful academic performance receive this scholarship.

Devon Millsaps

Rebecca Zuchowski

Thomas A. and Darla Skelton Fellowship

Thomas A. and Darla Skelton established this fellowship to assist students in the fifth-year teacher internship program or other graduate students preparing to become administrators, counselors, or researchers in the field of education, with preference to those from Meigs County, Tennessee. For the first six years of their marriage, Mrs. Skelton was an elementary teacher in various public school systems around the country and saw the difference teachers can make. This fact, in addition to the severe shortage of good teachers today, prompted the Skeltons to want to assist and encourage young, energetic people who want to enter the teaching profession.

Victoria Baker

James Dodson

Joshua Moore

Hillary Morrison

Hazel Taylor Spitze Graduate Fellowship

Dr. Hazel Taylor Spitze earned her doctorate at the University of Tennessee. She and her husband, Bob, are lifelong contributors to the area of Family and Consumer Sciences and are nationally recognized for their strong commitment and dedication to education. This fellowship is awarded to doctoral students in a program focused on family, children, home, and parental development, which is presently known as

Child and Family Studies. The recipient shall have an outstanding academic ability and record, a proven commitment to these areas, full-time student status, and shall hold a Master's degree in a related area.

Kristin Anders

Sadie K. Stanton Human Ecology Scholarship

This award was established in 1981 through a bequest from Sadie K. Stanton to provide scholarships to worthy and needy students in the areas of the former College of Human Ecology. Preference is given to students from Tennessee.

**Lauren Bader
Shan Jiang**

**Hannah Creasey
Amaya Linsey**

Leah Jenkins

Connie Steele Scholarship

J. Donald Steele created this scholarship in honor of his mother, with additional support from Dr. Connie Steele and Mr. Kenneth Hobbs. It is awarded to an undergraduate or graduate student who shows professional promise and talent. Students from any major in the areas formerly in the College of Human Ecology are eligible.

Ericka Hill

***Manfred and Fern Steinfeld Scholarship
in Hotel Restaurant Administration***

In 1983, Mr. and Mrs. Manfred Steinfeld established this scholarship to assist students majoring in Hotel Restaurant Administration. Preference is given to students who attended high school in the Morristown, TN area, specifically the Lakeway area.

**Grace Brown
Krista Lucas**

**Hannah Fuller
Samantha Oleniak**

Jill Johnson

William B. Stokely, Jr. Scholarship

William Stokely was a 1922 graduate of the former College of Education who went into his family's food canning business in Newport and worked his way from a floor laborer in the plant to the president of Stokely Van Camp, Inc. Under Mr. Stokely, the business grew to national prominence, and following his death in 1996, this fund was established between UT and the William B. Stokely, Jr. Foundation. Scholarships are awarded to fifth-year interns with preference given to those from Cocke, Loudon, and Monroe counties.

Kristina Beal

Tennessee Higher Education Commission

The Tennessee Higher Education Commission is the state's coordinating agency for higher education. Guided by the Public Agenda for Tennessee Higher Education, THEC oversees an array of finance, academic, research and consumer protection initiatives that promote student success and support the State's completion agenda for postsecondary education. THEC actively seeks to develop policy recommendations, programmatic initiatives, and partnerships that increase educational attainment in the state while improving higher education access and success for all Tennesseans.

**Hameeda Boghani
Heather DelPilar
Kendall Krumm
Santiago Munoz**

**Mary Carbonell
Meghan Evans
Rebekah Long
Khadija Nisar**

**Charles Clark
Morgan Hutton
Mikka Maderal
Chelsea Tallon**

Mary Rodgers and Bethel Evans Thomas Scholarship Award

Mrs. Carolyn Roper graduated from the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, the College of Home Economics in 1960. She spent her entire professional career as a dietitian working in nursing homes and later for the Georgia Medical Care Foundation. The purpose of her gift is to recognize outstanding students who are in the dietetic internship program within the Department of Nutrition. She wishes to honor her mother and father by naming the award in their memory.

Jamie Kearns

Wilma Chalker Thomas Fellowship

In 2003, Wilma Chalkier Thomas, an alumna of the former College Of Education, wishing to provide assistance to students preparing to enter the teaching profession, provided a generous endowment to fund fellowships for teacher interns in the College of Education, Health, and Human Sciences.

**Rebecca Henry
Katlyn Watkin**

**Margaret Manning
Brian Whittenburg**

Taylor Moody

Charles Lowell Thompson Scholarship

Family and friends established this award in 2006 in his honor. Charles L. Thompson was a professor of Counselor Education and Educational Psychology at the University of Tennessee from 1967 to 2005. According to his friends and colleagues, Thompson's star shone brightest in the classroom and in his relationship with his students. This recipient shall have similar interests.

Anthony Miller

R. R. Vance Scholarship

Mr. R. R. Vance was an alumnus of the University of Tennessee and a dear friend of the University's President Andy Holt. Mr. Vance was the first full-time Executive Secretary of the Tennessee Retired Teachers Association (TRTA). During his tenure the TRTA became a model for other state associations. This endowment was the result of contributions from almost every TRTA member and was presented as a retirement gift in recognition of his career on behalf of educators. Since that time the fund has also benefited from gifts from other friends and family members and from Mr. Vance's estate. Recipients must maintain a 3.0 or higher and be native Tennesseans.

Ariel Hall

Dale and Alberta Lowe Wantling Scholarship

Alberta Lowe Wantling and Dale Wantling met as faculty members at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville. In 2004, the estate of Alberta Lowe Wantling established the endowment for this scholarship for deserving master's degree students in the field of elementary education.

Jeanette Carlson

Charles F. Whiteside Memorial Scholarship

Charles F. Whiteside, a real estate investor and philanthropist, had been unable to attend college himself, but he wanted to help future educators with the cost of obtaining a college degree. In 1977 he passed away and left a sizeable gift to the University in his will to fund this scholarship. The recipients are undergraduate or graduate students in the areas formerly in the College of Education who are deserving of and in need of this funding.

Allie Bays

Louise Manning Wiley Fellowship

Richard McCleary established this fellowship in 1998 to honor his mother, Louise Manning Wiley, who received a B.S. in Education from the University of Tennessee in 1913 and an M.A. in English in 1917. She was reportedly a bit apprehensive waiting to begin her first teaching job in Byington, but wrote in her diary, "I'm going into it with the spirit that Mrs. Vaughn (the home economics expert for the Knoxville News-Sentinel) advises. She said, 'Just forget all about the salary and what hard work it is, and remember that they need you out there.'" Later, she taught English at UT. This fellowship will be for students in the areas of the former College of Education with preference to fifth-year interns seeking initial teacher licensure.

Tara Lowe

Eleanor Waters Wilson Scholarship

In memory of Eleanor Waters Wilson, members of her family, Ray and Ron Sherrill, Tandy Wilson III, Connie and Tandy Wilson IV, Judy and Steve Wilson, and Malicia and Jeff Wilson, established this scholarship. Recipients of this scholarship have demonstrated successful academic performance and are majoring in a discipline formerly in the College of Human Ecology.

Mary Burdge

Megan Pence

Dr. A. Paul Wishart, Sr. Scholarship

Dr. A. Paul Wishart, Sr., professor emeritus of science education, began his association with the former College of Education in 1946 when he was awarded one of three degrees earned at the University of Tennessee. Moving to West Tennessee, Dr. Wishart organized the departments of geology and geography at the University of Tennessee at Martin, where he taught for six years. Returning to Knoxville in 1961, Dr. Wishart served as professor of education in the Department of Curriculum and Instruction until his retirement in 1986. This scholarship is awarded in his memory to students who desire to be science teachers and/or work in the field of conservation, with preference given to fifth-year interns seeking initial teacher licensure.

James Farley

Dr. Richard W. Yoakley Fellowship

Dr. Richard W. Yoakley's wife, Carol, and other friends and family established this fellowship to honor his memory. Dr. Yoakley was a longtime Director of Pupil Personnel Services for Knox County Schools. He served as Director of Knox County's Special Education programs for 24 years. He was a widely respected leader in special education at both the state and national level. His leadership was guided by sincerity, warmth, compassion, and common sense in providing special education services to public education. This fellowship is awarded to graduate students from Knox County who are in the Psychology program and have demonstrated successful academic performance.

Jonah Ruddy

George and Louise Zirkle Scholarship

Dr. and Mrs. Zirkle established this award because of their strong belief in education and their desire to benefit future generations of students pursuing their educational dreams. The recipient of this scholarship is a student who demonstrates successful academic performance majoring in an area of the former College of Human Ecology and is a deserving student who needs assistance to attend college.

Aysia McCloud



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Erin Whaley



Letters from Scholarship/Fellowship Recipients

Helen Sharp Hakala Scholarship

I am a first-year Ph.D. student in Retail, Hospitality, and Tourism Management.

I hope one day I will be able to help other students to achieve their goals just as you have helped me.

Kathy Carlson Fellowship

I will be obtaining my Child and Family Studies graduate degree at the University of Tennessee beginning this fall.

Your generosity has inspired me to help others and give back to the community.

***Manfred & Fern Steinfeld Scholarship in Hotel
Restaurant Administration***

I got to the University of Tennessee from out of state and absolutely love the school. Unfortunately, being from out of state the tuition is higher and my family has been discussing how to afford my last few years at this amazing university. This scholarship could not have come at a more perfect time.

Jessie W. Harris Scholarship

This scholarship has helped relieve a portion of my financial burden that college tuition has presented . . . Along with my academic studies I work at the UT Student Health Center, I am a member of the Alpha Epsilon Delta Pre-medical Honor Society, and I participate in intramural and club team sports. My personal interest include global missions and I have had the opportunity to serve in Asia, Africa, South America, and Central America for faith-based and medical missions.

***Dr. Thomas M. and Erie Kate Porter
McCord Scholarship***

“The support you have shown me also functions as a source of motivation, fueling my drive for the future. I experienced an extremely large amount of personal loss and change last year from my husband’s death, raising my three-year-old son as a single mother, and participating in an open adoption with a close friend and her spouse that are unable to conceive.”

Frederick Lewisohn Scholarship

I am on the path to making my dream come true. I am currently a sophomore majoring in Nutrition and I plan on becoming a Registered Dietitian. After graduating from the University of Tennessee, I plan on attending a Dietetic Internship with the hopes of specializing in pediatrics.

Sadie K. Stanton Human Ecology Scholarship

I am currently a Retail and Consumer Science major at the University of Tennessee, but this fall I plan to declare a double major in Marketing with a collateral in Entrepreneurship. My plan is to become a Divisional Merchandise Manager or Creative Director for a major apparel retailer.

Catherine Burton Chi Omega Scholarship

Thank you and Chi Omega for this generous scholarship. I was ecstatic to receive these funds. Your service to Chi Omega is commendable and has gone a long way in helping us undergraduates pursue our dreams.