



DEADLINE FOR ALL SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS: APRIL 1, 2025 by 5 PM

Michael “Gio” Giordano Helping Professions Award

Established in 2013 by Michael “Gio” Giordano to recognize the impact of his educational experience at Central Michigan University, and to provide for those who pursue the goal of helping others. This award is eligible to undergraduate students having earned junior or senior status, or to graduate students who have completed 12 hours of graduate credit, who have elected the field of social work, professional counseling, or psychology. Recipient must have a minimum GPA of 3.5 in his/her major course of study. The award will be given based on an essay not to exceed 500 words on the topic of the role of a helping professional in creating self-reliance.

Eligibility:

- Undergraduate student having Junior or Senior status
- Graduate student having completed 12 hours of graduate credit
- Minimum GPA of 3.5 in major course of study
- Major in social work, professional counseling, or psychology

Antonio Leon Jordan Award

Antonio’s mother, Dr. Susan Grettenberger, his family and many friends established this award in 2021, in honor of Antonio Leon Jordan ‘12. Antonio left a legacy of public service and had a love for books and teaching, especially of children and youth who were at risk. This scholarship is to support the success of students who are from traditionally under-represented groups. Consideration will be given to those committed to working with historically underserved or underprivileged populations, and who demonstrate service to the public via extracurricular/volunteer experience. Recipient will be a returning student demonstrating financial need with a cumulative minimum GPA of 2.5 or higher.

Eligibility:

- Undergraduate returning student with a minimum GPA of 2.5
- Applicant must have financial need as demonstrated by the Office of Scholarships and Financial Aid
- Applicant must include a document describing their extracurricular and volunteer experiences, which will be considered as part of the awarding process
- Preference given to students who have:
 - Received a Pell Grant
 - 3.25 or lower GPA
 - Enrolled in one of the following programs: Political Science, Educational Leadership, Public Administration, Social Work, Sociology, Teacher Education, Special Education, and Pathways to Academic Student Success



The Honorable Fred M. and Lynne M. Mester Family Endowment

This endowment recognizes 1959 CMU graduate Judge Fred Mester's distinguished judicial career spanning over twenty-six years with the Oakland County Circuit Court; he is also a former prosecutor with the U.S. Attorney's Office. As a chief of the Civil Division, prior to his judicial career, Judge Mester served in the Military as a Captain in the United States Army. This endowment also honors Lynne Mester as a 1959 CMU graduate holding a degree in Education with a major in Social Studies and minors in Biology and English.

Eligibility:

- Undergraduate student with a major or minor in English Language and Literature, Political Science, or Sociology, Anthropology and Social Work. ROTC cadets, regardless of area of study, are also eligible.
- Minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0
- Applicant will have history of active involvement in community service with leadership qualities, holding leadership positions at the local or state community level
- Applicant must have financial need as determined by the Office of Scholarships and Financial Aid

G. William Quine Scholarship

Established in 1982 by G. William Quine '57 for a Michigan resident student studying liberal arts. Recipient will be at least a sophomore and preference will be given to students whose GPA is under 3.0 without regard to financial need or academic standing. This scholarship is not renewable.

Eligibility:

- Sophomore, junior, or senior pursuing a liberal arts curriculum
- The applicant's primary residence must be in Michigan
- Preference to students whose GPA is under 3.0

Nancy Stebbins Memorial Endowed Scholarship

Established in 2014 by friends and family of Nancy Stebbins to recognize the impact of her educational experience at Central Michigan University, and to provide for those who pursue the goal of helping others.

Eligibility:

- Fulltime undergraduate student having earned junior or senior status
- Student who has elected the field of social work
- Minimum cumulative GPA of 3.5
- Applicant must have financial need as demonstrated by the Office of Scholarships and Financial Aid
- The applicant's primary residence must be in Michigan



John E. Warriner Scholarship

The John E. Warriner Scholarship was established in 1987 through an estate gift from the late Dr. John E. Warriner. Dr. Warriner was the author of *Warriner's Handbook of English* and the six-volume series *English Grammar and Composition*. He was the son of former Central Michigan University president Eugene C. Warriner.

Eligibility

- Undergraduate students and Graduate students majoring in: Anthropology, Cultural & Global Studies, Economics, English, Foreign Language, History, Journalism, Museum Studies, Philosophy, Political Science, Psychology, Religion, Speech, Social Work, or Sociology
- Minimum cumulative GPA of 3.25
- Applicant must demonstrate financial need as determined by the Office of Scholarships and Financial Aid



Application Process:

- Applicants must submit an application form
- Applicants must submit an unofficial transcript
- If applicable to the scholarship student is applying for, student should:
 - demonstrate a financial need by filing a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at www.fafsa.ed.gov
- Be sure to demonstrate you meet the requirements of the award in which you are applying. Additional materials may be included to support your application, including (but not limited to):
 - letters of recommendation
 - brief narrative describing why you are applying for the scholarship and how it would be of benefit
- Application and supporting materials should be submitted electronically to CLASSscholarships@cmich.edu.
- A committee will review all eligible applications and determine the awards based on information obtained and, when applicable, provided by the Office of Scholarships and Financial Aid. Students will receive notification via email approximately 4 - 6 weeks after the deadline.
- Deadline for application is 5 PM April 1, 2025



Scholarship Awards for Continuing Students

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Choose the award(s) for which you would like to apply; please be certain that you meet the qualifications of all scholarships for which you are applying. If you do not meet the minimum qualification, you will be ineligible.

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Name _____ Student ID _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

G.P.A. _____

Class standing: Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior Graduate

Major _____

FAFSA on file with CMU: Yes No

I hereby attest to the accuracy of the information supplied on this application and authorize CMU to release information concerning this application, and/or an official transcript of my academic record to representatives of the scholarship selection committee.

Signature of Applicant

Date

This completed application with all supporting materials should be submitted electronically to CLASSscholarships@cmich.edu. Please contact (989) 774-3341 with any questions.