

## 2008-2009 Patricia Swenson Scholarship

This scholarship was established in honor of Dr. Patricia Louise Green Swenson, distinguished graduate. This scholarship will be awarded to a student demonstrating academic merit and financial need.

### Qualifications

1. Applicants must be currently enrolled, undergraduate students planning to attend full time for the 2008-2009 academic year. Must be enrolled for at least one quarter prior to application deadline. Post-baccalaureate students are not eligible.
2. Academic achievement. In general, only students with a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher need apply. Fairhaven College students, please submit copies of faculty evaluations.
3. Applicants must demonstrate financial need. The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) will be used to determine financial need. Students should send their valid FAFSA to the federal processor by Western's priority deadline of February 15, 2008, and have a need for assistance of at least \$1,000.

### Application Process

1. Complete the [SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM](#), including the Supplemental Information. The Supplemental Information items must be typed or word processed on separate sheets of paper (note the item number on the pages). Attach the Supplemental Information to the application form.
2. Obtain two letters of recommendation from a faculty member, employer or a community or campus organization using the [RECOMMENDATION FORM](#). You may submit the letter of recommendation with your completed application packet or the faculty member may mail it directly to the Scholarship Center by the deadline date.
3. Grade transcripts from all previous colleges and universities attended. Unofficial transcripts are acceptable. **Fairhaven College students, please submit copies of ALL 2007-2008 faculty evaluations along with your transcripts. Do not include current WWU transcripts.**
4. Please submit 3 completed scholarship application packets (2 copies and the original). Application packets consist of the completed scholarship application form including the supplemental information, two letters of recommendation and grade transcripts. Please collate your application materials in this order.

Application deadline is **April 11, 2008** (postmark is acceptable). Applicants must meet all qualifications in order for the application to be sent to the committee. It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure all application materials are on file in the Scholarship Center by the deadline. Late applications will not be considered.

#### Application Packet Checklist:

- Application
- Recommendations and/or evaluations
- Transcript(s)
- Copies made and collated

#### Submit your scholarship application packets to:

Scholarship Center  
Western Washington University  
516 High Street, Old Main 275  
Bellingham, WA 98225-9006  
(360) 650-3471