

# THE PEARL HULL FALK SCHOLARSHIP



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## BACKGROUND

MidWestOne Bank administers the Pearl Hull Falk Trust which provides funds for the Pearl Hull Falk Scholarship. Prior to her death in 1965, Pearl Hull Falk resided in Iowa City where her husband was a prominent banker during the early 1900's. The trust was established under the Last Will and Testament of Mrs. Falk to provide annual scholarships to needy and worthy students attending the University of Iowa.

## AWARDS

**SCHOLARSHIP AMOUNT - \$5,000.00**

Scholarships are awarded annually in the amount of \$5,000.00 each. Awards will be paid in installments of \$2,500.00 at the beginning of each semester and sent directly to the University of Iowa Office of Student Financial Aid.

## ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Each recipient of the Pearl Hull Falk Scholarship must be:

1. of the Protestant faith,
2. a resident of the State of Iowa, and
3. a full-time student at the University of Iowa

At least one of the recipients must be a member of an Episcopal Church, and at least one must be a young man who shows interest in and promise for a career in banking. All recipients must be of good character and have a good scholastic record.

## HOW TO APPLY

All applicants must complete the attached *Pearl Hull Falk Scholarship Application*. Applications and supporting materials must be received or postmarked by May 1, 2020, to be considered for the 2020 - 2021 academic year. All applicants will be notified by mail of their award status by July 31, 2020.

## QUESTIONS?

Inquiries concerning scholarship applications should be directed to Allison Donnell at [adonnell@midwestone.com](mailto:adonnell@midwestone.com) or call 319-356-5842

# PEARL HULL FALK SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

## APPLICANT INFORMATION:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
First M.I. Last

Local Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State & Zip Code

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State & Zip Code

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: M / F

University ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_  
month/day/year

Do you intend to be enrolled at the University of Iowa full-time? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

Classification for next school year:

\_\_\_\_ Freshman \_\_\_\_ Sophomore \_\_\_\_ Junior \_\_\_\_ Senior \_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Major course of study: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you interested in a career in banking? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

Are you a resident of the State of Iowa? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

Are you of the Protestant Faith? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

Are you a member of an Episcopal Church? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

If yes, which one? \_\_\_\_\_

## ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS:

### TRANSCRIPT

Please submit an official copy of your most recent high school or college transcript.

### PERSONAL STATEMENT

The applicant is requested to make a personal statement (200-250 words) on why he or she deserves consideration to receive the Pearl Hull Falk Scholarship. This statement should be typed and must include the applicant's name.

## LETTER OF REFERENCE

The applicant is to select someone such as a principal, minister, counselor, instructor, scoutmaster, employer or family friend and ask him or her to complete a Letter of Reference. The person preparing this reference is requested to comment about the student's ability, character, sincerity of purpose, evidences of leadership and any other aspects which will be helpful in evaluating the student as an applicant for a scholarship.

## FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION

The applicant must file a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and must include a copy of the **Award Notification** letter with his or her scholarship application.

## RELEASE OF INFORMATION

The applicant should complete the attached *Authorization for Release of Information* and submit it directly to the Office of Student Financial Aid at the University of Iowa.

## SIGNATURE

By my signature below, I certify that the information provided is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please submit your completed application and supporting materials to:

The Pearl Hull Falk Scholarship Committee  
MidWestOne Bank  
Attn: Trust Services  
P.O. Box 1700  
Iowa City, Iowa 52244-1700

APPLICATION DEADLINE IS MAY 1, 2020

INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED