
The African American and African Diaspora Studies Program-The University of North Carolina at Greensboro

Eligibility: Currently full-time enrolled undergraduates; declared African American and African Diaspora Studies major; completion of at least 9 hours in the African American and African Diaspora Studies Program.

The African American and African Diaspora Studies Program of The University of North Carolina at Greensboro welcomes your application for a Whitney “Whitty” Ransome Scholarship in African American and African Diaspora Studies. The scholarship provides a $1,250, per semester, merit scholarship to a fulltime undergraduate African American and African Diaspora Studies major, in good standing, with exemplary academic performance in the African American and African Diaspora Studies Program. Awards are made on the basis of past academic performance, a 250 word essay that explains what inspired the applicant to choose African American and African Diaspora Studies as a major; describes the impact the African American and African Diaspora Studies Program has had on the applicant’s education, and outlines the applicant’s future academic plans. A letter of recommendation from a UNCG faculty member, staff member, or advisor familiar with your academic performance is also required. Please note: Applications will be processed through the financial aid office. If you are already a recipient of financial aid, the award may impact your total UNCG compensation package. The Ransome Scholar will be chosen by a committee and the recipients will be contacted by email in June.

Please submit the following items to complete your application for the Whitney “Whitty” Ransome Scholarship:

_____ Application form

_____ 250 word essay

_____ Reference: Ask a UNCG teaching faculty member, or staff member, or advisor who is familiar with your work to complete a letter of recommendation and return it to the African American and African Diaspora Studies Program aads@uncg.edu by the deadline.

Application Deadline: April 8, 2016

The Whitney “Whitty” Ransome Scholarship in African American and African Diaspora Studies is established with a gift from Ms. Whitty Ransome, a 1967 Woman’s College graduate, for the purpose of supporting students majoring in African American Studies.

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Please provide the following information. Please print in blue or black ink.

Name of applicant: ____________________________________________________________________

Student ID Number: ________________________________ Gender: Male ___ Female ___

Local Address: _______________________________________________________________________

Street Apt./Box No. City State Zip

Permanent Address: ___________________________________________________________________

Street Apt./Box No. City State Zip

Primary Phone: (______) _____-_______ Secondary/Cell Phone: (______) _____-_______

Email address(es): ___________________________________________________________________

Classification: Rising Sophomore_____ Rising Junior _____ Rising Senior

Honors / Awards: _____________________________________________________________________

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Other important academic and extra-curricular activities in which you have participated while at UNCG:

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Applicant’s Signature __________________________________________________________ Date

All applications, essays, and recommendation letters should be turned in as e-mail attachments to aads@uncg.edu. Please include “Whitney Ransome Scholarship” in the subject line. Applications due April 8, 2016.