Joan Essex Roman Endowed Scholarship for Health Care Administration Internships

ABOUT THE SCHOLARSHIP

The Joan Essex Roman Endowed Scholarship for Health Care Administration Internships was established in the loving memory of Joan Essex Roman, who became a Rebel cheerleader, served as a Kappa Sigma Fraternity little sister, and became a member of the Delta Zeta Sorority while she attended UNLV. Joan was a successful and well respected businesswoman as well as a loving wife, mother, and grandmother. Created as a testament to the profound impact that Joan had in the lives of all that knew and loved her, her endowment will support indefinitely the work of students in health care in their efforts to increase access to compassionate and competent care.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO APPLY

1. Students must be enrolled as an undergraduate or graduate student at UNLV in the Department of Healthcare Administration and Policy;
2. All internship or externship coursework shall have been completed with the exception of the internship or externship experience itself which will be completed in either the summer or fall semester of scholarship application; and
3. Students must have a minimum 3.2 cumulative grade point average or higher and be in good standing in the School of Public Health and the Graduate College.

HOW IS THE CANDIDATE SELECTED

The candidate(s) shall be selected by the School of Public Health (Scholarship Committee) from among those applying through Financial Aid and Scholarships (Office). If the Committee fails to determine an eligible candidate(s) for the scholarship(s), the Office shall make such determination. Donors to the scholarship fund may not participate in the selection of students for this award. Recipients may not reapply for this scholarship.

HOW IS THE SCHOLARSHIP AWARDED

The scholarship will first be applied to any tuition balance the student may have; and any remaining funds shall be distributed to the student as a monetary award.

HOW TO APPLY

Students should submit the following application materials (no more than 2 pages total) no later than March of each year to: scholarships.sph@unlv.edu

- A summary of the proposed internship or externship detailing the work you are doing, where you will be doing it, the duration of the experience, and what you hope to accomplish (1 page)
- On a second page, please share with the committee the significance of selecting this particular internship or externship experience
- Email subject line should contain “LAST NAME and AWARD being applied to”

The awards will be given at the Annual Spring School of Public Health Honors Ceremony. Attendance is required.

AWARD STIPULATIONS

Recipients of the Joan Essex Roman Endowed Scholarship for Health Care Administration Internship grant(s) UNLV the right to publish their name and use the applicant’s likeness in a photograph in any and all of its publications, including website entries, without payment or any other consideration. These materials will become the property of UNLV and will not be returned. Recipients grant(s) UNLV the authority to edit, alter, copy, publish or distribute this photo for purpose of publicizing UNLV’s programs or for any other lawful purpose.