SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM
ACADEMIC YEAR 2017 – 2018

Completed scholarship application form and required documents must be forwarded to Lauren Robinson, College of Education, Academic Affairs and Graduate Program Office, W114 Furcolo Hall, 813 North Pleasant Street, Amherst, MA 01003-9308 OR via email to robinson@umass.edu.

DEADLINE: Friday, March 10, 2017

PART I (Print Clearly)

NAME: ____________________________  SPIRE #: ____________________________
Current Address: ____________________  Current Phone: ______________________
Permanent Address: ____________________  Permanent Phone: ______________________
Preferred # of Years MA
Email: ________________________________  Legal Resident: ______________________

Do you grant us permission to release demographic information: ___ Yes ___ No

Citizenship: Are you a citizen of the United States of America? ___ Yes ___ No

Judicial Record: Do you have a judicial record with the University? ___ Yes ___ No

GPA: Undergraduate: _____  Graduate School: _____

Race/Ethnicity: Choose which group best describes you (optional)
___ Black, non-Latino  ___ White  ___ Cape Verdean  ___ Latino  ___ Asian/Pacific Islander
___ North or South American Indian/Alaskan  ___ Multiracial (specify group you identify with most) ______

PART II (Check Off)

___ Current  ___ Prospective Student  ___ Enrolled in Teacher Preparation Program

Undergraduate, please check the program below you have applied to or are enrolled in at UMass:
___ STEP (secondary teacher education program)
___ BA in Education w/specialization in Early Childhood Education
**PART II (Check Off)**

If you are applying to or are currently enrolled in an UMass graduate program, please indicate the program and if applicable, the degree level:

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**PART III**

Prepare a written statement of 2-3 pages (800-1,000 words) that addresses the items outlined below. Please format your statement in Times New Roman 11, double spaced, with one inch margins.

This is an opportunity to show your professional writing abilities so please be sure to run grammar and spell checks. Have someone else review it for clarity and also read your statement out loud…you’ll be amazed at the errors you will find.

1. Highlight specific interests in the education profession
2. Outline career plans
3. Name qualifications for the specific College of Education Scholarships or Awards for which you are applying (ie., financial need, academic performance)
4. Describe any outside educational leadership experience you have had, such as volunteer work, community service learning, camp counselor or coaching
PART IV
1. Provide an up-to-date curriculum vitae or resume
2. Include a current letter of recommendation from a faculty member or employment supervisor. However, these letters can be sent directly to Lauren Robinson, robinson@umass.edu from the writer.
3. Attach unofficial transcript(s) for both undergraduate and graduate schools

PART V
1. To be considered for the following scholarships and awards, students who are U.S. citizens must have filed a current FAFSA with the Umass Financial Aid Office. They are listed as: Janice Camby Endowed Scholarship, Grace Norton Carney Scholarship and Joseph W. Keilty Memorial Scholarship. The FAFSA can be completed online at http://www.umass.edu/umfa/ or is available at the Financial Aid Office, Rm. 255, Whitmore Administration Building. The FAFSA requirement is waived for international students.
2. Students must be enrolled, full-time, for both semesters for the 2017-2018 academic year in order to receive a scholarship.

PART VI
Please carefully review each scholarship’s criteria to ensure you are eligible to apply and then check the appropriate boxes.

NOTE
Education Specialist (EdS) students are eligible to apply for these scholarships, however, students in the Social Justice Education and Higher Education Leadership and Management Certificate Programs as well as Education minors and Post-BA students are not eligible.

Scholarship winners are generally announced by the end of May. A Scholarship Donor and Recipient Reception will be held in the fall of 2017 by the College of Education. Date to be announced.
2017-2018 Academic Year Scholarships
Deadline for application: March 15, 2017

Scholarship for Undergraduate Students

___ Betty Katz Memorial Scholarship in Early Childhood Education
Provides support to an undergraduate junior admitted to the Early Childhood Education major, with renewal of the award* in the recipient’s senior year if academic progress is maintained. Recipients will be chosen based on academic merit, financial need and demonstrated passion for the field of early childhood education.

*Senior year award to be granted at half the amount of the initial junior year scholarship

Scholarships for Students in Teacher Preparation Programs Leading to Licensure

___ Grace Norton Carney Scholarship
This endowed scholarship is for any student in the P-12 teacher preparation program at the College of Education at the University of Massachusetts Amherst. Applicants must be a native or legal resident of Massachusetts within the last 10 years. Preference is given to students who hold an undergraduate degree from UMass Amherst, Framingham or Bridgewater State University and have a GPA of 3.3 or better. Must complete FAFSA.

___ Richard J. Clark Memorial Scholarship for Teacher Education
Provides financial support to any student in the Teacher Education and Curriculum Studies Department who has a GPA of 3.3 or better. They must also have experience with community service, internships and employment that demonstrates a commitment to excellence and equity.

___ Marylin C. Haley Scholarship
Provides funding for any eligible graduate student based on financial need. Preference will be given to students in a reading and writing, secondary, early childhood and elementary or special education teacher preparation program.

___ Anne Farmer Momot Scholarship
Provides support to a graduate student majoring in Special Education. Particular consideration will be given to candidates who demonstrate warmth, patience and dedicated support for students.

___ Meline Kasparian Scholarship
Provides support to any student in a teacher preparation program who has exhibited a desire to become a public school teacher.

___ Janice Camby Endowed Scholarship
Provides support to any student accepted or enrolled in a teacher preparation program who is from an economically disadvantaged area and is in good academic standing. Must complete FAFSA.

___ Winifred Green Scholarship
This scholarship is funded and awarded by the Kappa Delta Pi Honor Society of the College of Education and sponsored by a professional organization of retired teachers in Massachusetts. It provides support for any student enrolled in a teacher preparation program who is committed to making a significant difference in the lives of young people in the Commonwealth. The recipient must be in good academic standing, a permanent resident of Massachusetts and have need for financial assistance.
2017-2018 Academic Year Scholarships
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**Doctoral Student Scholarships**

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**Jerome and Florence McCormick Doctoral Award**
The Jerome and Florence McCormick Doctoral Award will provide support to doctoral students in their dissertation-writing year. Students from any doctoral program in the College of Education are eligible for the scholarship, with selection based on merit. Items listed below are also required, in addition to those outlined in Part IV.

- A detailed abstract to include theoretical framework, significance of study, purpose, research questions, research design and methods (i.e. context, subjects/participants, data collection and analysis) and potential implications (similar to an AERA abstract). Should be double spaced and not more than 2-3 pages (i.e. 250-300 words per page).
- Evidence of successful completion of comprehensive exams.
- D7 and D7A on file or ready to file (i.e. concurrent to application).
- Nomination letter from faculty advisor.
- Tuition waivers are not available for this scholarship.

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**Early Childhood Education Graduate Student Scholarship**
Provides funding for graduate students in a doctoral program studying early childhood, children or families. Funds may be used to support research activities and other educational/professional expenses not covered by other support, or for emergent need of these students at the discretion of the Dean.

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**Nieto/Rudman Endowed Scholarship**
Provides financial support to any student in the Teacher Education and Curriculum Studies Department. Preference will be given to doctoral students in the Language, Literacy and Culture concentration. Applicants must be in good academic standing and have a GPA of 3.3 or better.

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**Joseph W. Keilty Memorial Scholarship**
This endowed scholarship provides support to full-time graduate students with preference given to doctoral students. Students with a demonstrated financial need, high academic performance and exceptional promise are encouraged to apply. Must complete FAFSA.

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**C. Lynn Vendien Professional Prize Award**
This prize will be awarded to a doctoral student. Preference will be given to students in the Department of Teacher Education and Curriculum Studies.

**International Student Scholarship**

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**C. Lynn Vendien Endowed Scholarship**
Provides support to graduate students who are citizens of foreign countries. Preference will be given to students in the Department of Teacher Education and Curriculum Studies.

**General Scholarship**

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**Helen Eaton Timson Scholarship**
Provides scholarship support to any deserving student in a College of Education program.