



## African American Leadership Award Scholarship Deadline: May 10, 2021 at 11:59 pm

The African American Leadership Award Scholarship is for African American students who are graduating high school seniors, with preference given to students who from the state of Utah. Applicants need to have demonstrated leadership in their high schools and in their communities and show special talent and potential for continued leadership. Applicant must be an incoming freshman at Utah State University in Fall 2021. One \$1500 scholarship will be awarded. Award will be paid in one lump sum and must be used for the Fall 2021 semester.

**To apply click on the link and upload this form and all application requirements.**

<https://bit.ly/3drqsOT>

*(Preferred is to scan and upload all requirements as one file named "LastName\_FirstName\_Application". If you need to upload multiple files, follow this file naming format "LastName\_FirstName\_Form/Essays/Resume/Transcript".)*

### Personal Information:

Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	USU A#
Preferred Name ( if different from above)		Phone Number	
Email Address:			
Home Address			Apartment/Unit #
City	State	Zip code	

### Background Information:

Current High School	GPA	ACT / SAT
Planned Major:		
Have you been awarded any other scholarships for the academic year 2021-2022? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If yes, please list:	
Other scholarships you are applying for:		
Are you a dependent of a USU faculty or staff member who is eligible for half-tuition? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		

**TO QUALIFY FOR THIS SCHOLARSHIP,  
THE FOLLOWING ITEMS MUST BE ATTACHED TO YOUR COMPLETED APPLICATION FORM:**

- Paul and Sylvia Jones demonstrated and valued leadership throughout their lives (see short bios on the Mountain West Center website [www.mountainwest.usu.edu](http://www.mountainwest.usu.edu) under African American Leadership Scholarship). In an essay of 300-500 words, describe a time you were in a leadership role, what you learned, and how you expect this experience to help you in your future education and chosen career.
- Think. Discover. Create. The Jones family established a scholarship in the College of Humanities and Social Sciences (CHaSS – [www.chass.usu.edu](http://www.chass.usu.edu)) where students gain new perspectives on human society and their place in it and learn to apply those insights to help solve some of the worlds most pressing challenges. In an essay of 300 – 500 words that offers concrete specifics, tell us how you imagine you will engage, both during your time at USU and during your future career, with the college motto of “Think. Discover. Create.” Does one of these terms apply to your future plans more than the others? If so, explain.
- A resume with a summary of your leadership involvement, community service, honors, awards, formal recognitions and any other information you feel the scholarship committee may consider.
- A current high school transcript (unofficial transcripts are acceptable) and a record of ACT and/or SAT scores (if you have completed these tests), either on the transcript or separately if not listed on transcript.

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Applications due on or before May 10, 2021  
INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED**

**CERTIFICATION** - As of this date, the information provided on this application is correct to the best of my knowledge. I authorize the release of this information and/or my transcripts to any individual or institution involved in the awarding of the concerned scholarships. If needed, I can provide references.

Utah Code 63G-12-402 requires the University to verify the lawful presence in the United States of individuals who apply for any scholarships, fellowships, grants or other aid administered by the University. Individuals who apply for these benefits are also required to certify under penalty of perjury that they are lawfully present in the United States.

I certify under penalty of perjury that: I am a United States citizen [  ] Yes [  ] No\*  
\*If no, I have a valid I-20 form and the following visa status [  ] F-1 [  ] J-1

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Student's Signature

Date