Scholarships awarded by the Alumni Association

Alumni Legacy Scholarship

Eligibility: Incoming or current legacy student with a parent, grandparent or sibling who have attended UNCW.

Criteria: GPA of 3.0 or higher

Description: This scholarship is for any incoming or currently enrolled undergraduate legacy student. The scholarship is to recognize and honor the tradition of making UNCW a family tradition. The scholarship is funded by donations received through the DMV’s UNCW license plate program.

Alumni Graduate Scholarship

Eligibility: Incoming or current graduate student who is an alumus of UNCW.

Criteria: GPA of 3.0 or higher

Description: This scholarship is for any incoming or currently enrolled graduate student who is an alum of UNCW. The scholarship was created to provide support to UNCW alumni who continue their graduate studies at UNCW. The scholarship is funded by donations received through the DMV’s UNCW license plate program.

Alumni Association Bob King ’66 Scholarship

Eligibility: Incoming or currently enrolled student.

Criteria: GPA of 3.5 or higher, taking a minimum course load of 12 credit hours.

Cape Fear Bank/John Cameron Coburn Alumni Scholarship

Eligibility: Must be accept or currently enrolled in the Cameron School of Business.

Criteria: CSB current or incoming student with a GPA of 3.4 or higher.

Claire Stanley Student Ambassador Scholarship

Eligibility: Must be a member in good standing with the Student Ambassador Program at UNCW.
Criteria: Must have a GPA of 3.25 or higher.

**Gerald Shinn UNCW Alumni Association Merit Scholarship**

Eligibility: Incoming or currently enrolled Student.

Criteria: Minimum GPA of 3.4 or higher.

**Geraldine King Morris Nursing Scholarship**

Eligibility: Incoming or enrolled rising junior in the school of nursing. Preference given to those students with a desire to join the armed forces, top priority to the army.

Criteria: Minimum GPA of 3.25 or higher.

**Hugh Henry Fox UNCW Alumni Association Scholarship**

Eligibility: Incoming or currently enrolled undergraduate or graduate student.

Criteria: Minimum GPA of 3.4 or higher.

**Jim A. Humphries Memorial Scholarship**

Eligibility: Incoming or rising enrolled Junior or Senior.

Criteria: Minimum GPA of 2.5 or higher and a strong record of campus leadership and community service.

**Lewis/Wiley Alumni Graduate Fellowship**

Eligibility: Incoming or currently enrolled graduate student.

Criteria: Merit scholarship with no minimum GPA.


**Mary Catherine, Susan & Elizabeth James Alumni Association Scholarship**

Eligibility: Incoming or currently enrolled student.

Criteria: Merit scholarship with no minimum GPA.

**Perry Daniel Lockamy Jr. ’63 Memorial UNCW Alumni Association Graduate Scholarship**

Eligibility: Incoming or currently enrolled graduate student.

Criteria: Merit scholarship with no minimum GPA.

**Sara Fussell Messer ’66 Scholarship**

Eligibility: Incoming or current student with preference for students from Duplin or Sampson County in NC.

Criteria: Minimum GPA of 3.0 or higher.

**The Alumni Association Patricia Corcoran Smith ’72 Scholarship**

Eligibility: Incoming freshman only.

Criteria: High school GPA of 3.5 or higher, taking a minimum course load of 12 credit hours.

**Watson School of Education Alumni Chapter Scholarship**

Eligibility: Must be accepted or currently enrolled in the Watson School of Education.

Criteria: Merit scholarship with no minimum GPA.
**Wilmington College Alumni Scholarship**

**Eligibility:** Incoming or currently enrolled student.

**Criteria:** GPA of 3.5 or higher, with a minimum course load of 12 credit hours.

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**Additional Scholarships established in part by the Alumni Association**

**The Betty Jo Welch Communications Studies Alumni Scholarship**

**Description:** The Betty Jo Welch Communication Studies Alumni Scholarship was created by the UNCW Communication Studies Alumni Chapter to honor Dr. Welch, a beloved member of the department. It is intended to provide an annual scholarship for a junior or senior majoring in communication studies to assist with tuition and fees.

**The Denis G. Carter Scholarship**

**Description:** The Denis G. Carter Scholarship was established in honor of Dr. Carter and was initiated by the African American Graduate Association. It is available to an incoming freshman who has expressed an interest in pursuing a major with the Cameron School of Business.

**The Triad Alumni Chapter Scholarship**

**Description:** The Triad Alumni Chapter Scholarship was created by the UNCW Triad Area Alumni Chapter to support an incoming student from the Triad area. Fundraising efforts are underway to endow the scholarship.

To learn more, visit alumni.uncw.edu/scholarships