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# **EXECUTIVE MBA ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIPS**

## DESCRIPTION

Up to five entrance scholarships will be awarded annually to incoming Executive MBA (EMBA) students at the School of Business Administration. Each scholarship is valued at \$5,000. For one of the scholarships, preference may be given to an international EMBA applicant. These scholarships are intended to encourage and support innovative leadership in the EMBA Program and the business community.

#### **ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA**

Scholarship applicants must meet the following eligibility criteria to be considered for an entrance scholarship:

- Candidates must have applied for admission to the Executive MBA Program by June 30 and intend to begin the program in September of the same year.
- Preference will be given to candidates who have not received employer support and/or other graduate student awards that, combined, exceed 50% of the Program's tuition and fees.

## **SELECTION CRITERIA**

Scholarships will be awarded to applicants based on the following criteria:

- Preference will be given to candidates who achieved at least a 75% average in their last two years of undergraduate or graduate-level study
- Professional accomplishments
- Demonstrated leadership ability or potential

## APPLICATION AND SELECTION PROCEDURES

- Applicants who apply to the UPEI Executive MBA Program by June 30 will automatically be considered for these scholarships. The scholarship committee will have access to the applicant's resume, transcripts, letters of reference, and personal statement.
- Applicants are encouraged to review the selection criteria and address these points within their personal statement in their EMBA Program application.
- Selection will be based on the confidence of the committee that the student will continue to display exceptional leadership and be actively engaged in the EMBA Program.