



George Webb 2023 SCHOLARSHIP

The Texas Pharmacy Foundation (TPF) offers the George Webb Scholarship in the amount of \$1,000 to a student pursuing a career in pharmacy at an accredited Texas school or college of pharmacy.

Background

When George Webb passed away in January 2022 at age 93, the Texas Pharmacy Association lost its oldest and longest-tenured member. A strong advocate for independent pharmacies, he served as president of the Association in 1970 and was instrumental in establishing the Texas Pharmacy Foundation. He was the owner of North Side Pharmacy in McKinney for many years and loved taking care of people, relishing the opportunity to serve as a “healer” for his community. George attended at least 50 consecutive TPA annual conferences and remained active and engaged with the Association until his death. George’s legacy lives on through his family, including his daughter and granddaughter who also became Texas pharmacists. The Webb family generously provided the initial funding to launch the scholarship to honor George’s many contributions to the profession and to support future Texas pharmacy students.

Eligibility Criteria

Pharmacy students entering their second (P2), third (P3) or fourth (P4) professional year in the fall of 2023 with a minimum GPA of 2.5 on a scale of 4.0 in required courses are eligible. In addition, the applicant must be a student member of the Texas Pharmacy Association. Selection will be based on financial need and the potential to become a leader for Texas pharmacy, how they have exemplified George Webb’s passion for the profession, and demonstration of involvement in pharmacy school and community activities.

Students should provide completed applications and supporting documents to the following point person at their school or college by April 24, 2023:

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| • Texas A&M University | Amanda Galindo, Ed.D. (galindo@tamu.edu) |
| • Texas Southern University | John Harrell, Ed.D. (john.harrell@tsu.edu) |
| • Texas Tech University | Michal Hodge (sopscholarships@ttuhsc.edu) |
| • University of Houston | David Wallace, Pharm.D. (dwallace@uh.edu) |
| • University of the Incarnate Word | Amy Diepenbrock, Ph.D. (diepenbr@uiwtx.edu) |
| • University of North Texas | Megan Wesling, Pharm.D. (megan.wesling@unthsc.edu) |
| • The University of Texas at Austin | Justin Samuel, Ph.D. (jsamuel@austin.utexas.edu) |
| • The University of Texas at El Paso | Carmen Ramos, M.A. (crtorres2@utep.edu) |
| • The University of Texas at Tyler | Elizabeth Yett, Pharm.D. (eyett@uttyler.edu) |

Presentation

Scholarship winners will be recognized during the 2023 TPA Conference & Expo, July 28–30 in Houston.

George Webb
2023 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Name of applicant: _____

Current address: _____

Permanent address: _____

Check the mailing address you prefer: Current Permanent

Phone number: (_____) _____

School e-mail: _____ Personal e-mail: _____

School or College of Pharmacy: _____

Will you be enrolled full-time this fall and next spring? _____

Check the academic year of the professional sequence of courses you will be entering this fall:

P2 Year P3 Year P4 Year

Your GPA last semester (indicate scale): _____ Cumulative pharmacy GPA: _____

Are you a TPA member? Yes No

Are you employed? Yes No If yes, how many hours do you work each week? _____

Name and address of employer, if applicable: _____

Do you have pharmacy work experience? Yes No

If yes, how many years/months and what practice setting(s)? _____

Please list pharmacy organizations in which you are involved: _____

Please list offices held in organizations: _____

Please list community involvement/activities: _____

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS REQUIRED:

1. One-page essay (approx. 500 words, single-spaced) explaining your financial need, how the funds are to be used, how you have demonstrated a passion for the profession similar to that of George Webb, why involvement in professional associations matters to you, and your future goals as a pharmacist.
2. Current CV/resume.
3. Letter of recommendation from a Texas pharmacist (such as a faculty member, preceptor, or supervisor).
4. Letter from your College of Pharmacy or School of Pharmacy verifying your GPA.