

**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN (GUAM BRANCH)**

**SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

***Scholarship Name* : AAUW-Guam Branch**

***Eligibility Criteria*:**

1. Applicant must be a full-time student currently enrolled and pursuing a Bachelor’s Degree at the University of Guam (UoG).
2. Applicant must have successfully completed at least two (2) semesters at UoG.
3. Applicant must have at least a 2.5 cumulative grade point average (GPA).
4. Applicant must provide a current official transcript for proof of current GPA.
5. Applicant must submit a completed AAUW Scholarship Application Form.
6. Applicant must submit two (2) letters of recommendation from two (2) UoG faculty members.
7. Applicant must submit a 500-word essay (typewritten, double-space) on one of the following topics:
   1. Barriers women in Guam encounter in reaching top positions
   2. The employment of women in STEM fields
   3. My position on one AAUW issue (<http://www.aauw.org/issues/>)
   4. Cultural influences on women’s careers

***Amount and Number of Awards: One (1) $500 scholarship for Academic Year 2015.***

***Application Deadline:*** Application packet must be submitted to the UoG Financial Aid Office no later than February 29, 2016. Incomplete packets will *not* be reviewed.

***Method of Payment:*** Selected applicant must show proof of UoG registration for Spring 2016 to AAUW before payment is made. Scholarship recipients are expected to attend an AAUW event on April 1, 2016, when the scholarship awards will be presented.

***Selection Process:*** The AAUW Scholarship Committee will rate the applications based on the GPA, letters of recommendation, and one-page essays.

***CONTACT OFFICE:*** Financial Aid Office, University of Guam, Mangilao, GU 969923

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**SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM**

***Directions:*** Complete this application form (type or print) and submit along with the other requirements - 2 letters of recommendation, official transcript, 500-word essay (typewritten, double space) to the UoG Financial Aid Office *no later than* ***February 29, 2016.***

Name of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Current Class Level Sophomore Junior Senior

Current GPA \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Major Field of Study \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Which topic did you choose for your essay (check one)?

☐ Barriers women in Guam encounter in reaching top positions

☐ The employment of women in STEM fields

☐ My position on one AAUW issue (<http://www.aauw.org/issues/>)

☐ Cultural influences on women’s careers

***Note:*** *Scholarship recipients are encouraged to join AAUW-Guam Branch as a student affiliate. AAUW meets on the first Saturday of every month (September to May) at 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. at the World Café, Fiesta Guam Resort in Tumon, GU.*

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Signature of Applicant Date Submitted

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Confirmed Receipt Date Received by UoG Financial Aid Representative/Print & Sign

Documents Received: ☐ Application ☐ Essay ☐ Two Recommendations ☐ Transcript