## HIGHER EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA

## PURPOSE

Establish the criteria for award of Higher Education Scholarships by the RRCC Scholarship Committee. This document defines the types of scholarships awarded, the application process, and the qualification criteria for scholarship applicants.

### BACKGROUND

The Christian Education Committee, Scholarship Committee is authorized to grant scholarship funds to an individual according to rules established by the Committee in accordance with RRDD OPP 3.9. This document is the decision and rules established by the Scholarship Committee and, when subject to review by the Guiding Board, is the official documentation of criteria.

# **APPLICATION PROCESS AND SCHEDULE**

### Application window for upcoming spring

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•	Announce and Promote the Scholarship Program	TBD
•	Application submission window	TBD
•	Committee deliberation and selection	TBD

Award announcements

## Application window for upcoming fall

- Announce and Promote the Scholarship Program
- Application submission window
- Committee deliberation and selection
- Award announcements

Throughout May May - June No later than last week of June To be determined by committee, but no later than the second week of July

TBD

# **QUALIFICATIONS CRITERIA FOR APPLICANTS**

Applicants must be registered at or attending a higher education program, vocational license program, or other nationally recognized certificate program, and must be a member of RRCC, actively involved in worship and activities of the church.

### **DISBURSEMENT OF SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS**

- One award per degree program
- Equal amount awarded among participant
- Payment to be made to the individual student

### REFERENCES

- RRCC OPP 3.9 Scholarship Funds
- RRCC Guiding Board Minutes, February XX, 2012

### APPROVAL

The Guiding Board Approved this document on July 19, 2016