Undergraduate Scholarship Application Questions

You are applying for **Undergraduate/Graduate Scholarships for Fall 2026 and Spring 2027**. You will not be eligible for the scholarships if you graduate before this timeframe.

Instructions for completing your scholarship application:

You will need a reference from a faculty member who can speak on your academic success. Most FACS faculty are included in the dropdown menu at the end of this application. Your faculty reference can also be someone from outside of UGA. If this is the case, send a request (including their name and email) to facsassocdeans@uga.edu to add them to the list.

There are certain criteria for the Dr. Debbie Phillips scholarship and the Karen Tinsley scholarship (listed below). If you meet the criteria please be prepared to write a 2-3 paragraph essay.

- Dr. Debbie Phillips Scholarship: For a rising junior or senior student who has completed one course in the Residential Property Management emphasis, and who intends to complete the requisite courses for the emphasis. This student must demonstrate talent and enthusiasm for the profession. Applicants shall write a brief essay about why they are attracted to this profession, and what they aspire to achieve through their career.
- Karent Tinsley Scholarship: This scholarship is for a rising senior majoring in Housing Management and Policy; a master's student in Housing Management and Policy or Community Development; PhD student in Housing Management and Policy. B average or higher. First preference to student from Georgia. Student must submit a 2-3 paragraph essay, demonstrating/explaining their commitment to affordable housing and communities.

All applicants are required to respond to the following essay questions (250 words or less):

- In what ways have you shown leadership, taken initiative, or contributed to your community?
- Please explain how receiving a scholarship will enhance your ability to pursue your academic and professional goals.

If you think you will take over 30 minutes to finish this application, prepare your longer answers ahead of time, then come back and paste them to avoid getting timeout errors.

- First and last name
- Local Address
- Email
- Student ID number
- Cumulative GPA
- Hometown (City and State/Country)
- What is your expected graduate date? (Semester/year)
- Are you from Georgia? If so, please list your county. If not, please list your State or Country.
- Are you from a rural county in GA?

- Are you a first-generation student?
- Do you have a part-time or full-time job?
- Do you have an interest in Entrepreneurship?
- Do you intend to complete the Residential Property Management emphasis?
- Are you working towards the Disability Studies Certificate?
- Are you transferring from ABAC (Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College)?
- Have you been involved in 4-H?
- Have you participated in any research projects at UGA, or do you plan to in the future?
- Are you a student athlete?
- Are you a member of a fraternity or sorority?
- Class year
- FACS Department
- FACS major
- FACS minor (if applicable)
- If you receive a scholarship, you may be invited to meet with your scholarship donor. Do you consent to your donor receiving your name, hometown, major and class level?