

Pamela and Kenneth Fong Scholarship

The Pamela and Kenneth Fong Scholarship was established to offer EOP students who are economically disadvantaged a chance to realize their dream of attaining a college education. Both Drs. Pamela and Kenneth Fong graduated from the College of Science and Engineering at San Francisco State University. This scholarship is available to new and continuing EOP students who face great obstacles but are still determined to excel in many areas. Four (4) scholarships of \$1,000 each will be awarded.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- New or continuing undergraduate EOP student.
- Student must have a financial need as determined by the Office of Student Financial Aid (OSFA).
- Student has at least a 2.5 cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) for the academic work completed at the school last attended.
- Student must be enrolled full-time, a minimum of 12 units per semester.
Nursing students in their 5th semester must be enrolled in a minimum of 6 units at the 500 Level.
- Student is actively involved in the Latino or African-American communities.
- Submit the following to the EOP office by the scholarship deadline:
 - 1) Completed Pamela and Kenneth Fong Scholarship Application
 - 2) Current transcript (unofficial is acceptable)
 - For new students, from last school attended
 - For continuing students, current SF State transcript
 - 3) A letter of recommendation

SCHOLARSHIP DEADLINE

May 31st of the current year

SUBMIT TO

Educational Opportunity Program
Attn: Pamela and Kenneth Fong Scholarship
1600 Holloway Avenue, SSB 201
San Francisco, CA 94132

PROCEDURES

- All scholarship applications that are completed by the May 31st deadline will be screened by EOP. Those meeting the eligibility requirements will be forwarded to the scholarship committee.
- Students selected to receive the scholarship will be notified by June 22nd of the current year. Students not selected will be notified shortly thereafter.
- The total amount will be awarded for the following academic year, divided equally into the Fall and Spring semester.





APPLICATION

PART I

Name: _____ SF State ID# (NO SSN): _____

Address: _____ Telephone #: _____

Year in college as of upcoming Fall semester: _____ Expected date of graduation: _____

Major/Emphasis: _____ Minor: _____

Career/Professional goal: _____



PLEASE TYPE THE ANSWERS TO THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS ON A SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER. ATTACH THE APPLICATION WHEN COMPLETED!

PART II

How EOP has helped you in your undergraduate studies:

Name of your EOP Advisor and year of admission through EOP at SF State:

Specific list of campus, community, or volunteer organizations with the Latino and/or African American communities you have participated in:

List of academic achievements:

List of employment and/or career experience:

PART III

In a brief narrative, please discuss your career objectives, any extenuating circumstances (personal academic, or financial) or any other information that you would like to be considered with respect to your scholarship application.

PART IV

Please submit a Letter of Recommendation (page 3) from an individual who can vouch for your qualifications, character, and abilities (e.g., clergyman, counselor, teacher, or mentor). Submit the Letter of Recommendation form along with the application.



I understand that if I am selected to receive the Pamela and Kenneth Fong Scholarship and I am also receiving Federal and/or State financial aid for the current academic year, the scholarship will be coordinated with my other aid. Every attempt will be made by the OSFA to minimize the effect of the scholarship upon my financial aid.

Student's Signature: _____ Date: _____



LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION

Student's Name: _____

Evaluator's Name: _____

Address: _____

Home Phone #: _____ Work Phone #: _____

Relationship to Student: _____



Please tell us why you believe this student should be awarded the Pamela and Kenneth Fong Scholarship. In your response, at minimum, please address these areas (Use an additional sheet of paper if necessary):

- Community, civic and/or school involvement of the applicant
- Academic achievement
- Goals the applicant has already achieved or has set for him/herself
- Personal characteristics of the student

Evaluator's Signature: _____ Date: _____