

Eligibility and Instructions

The **J. Njogu Kararu and Eben C. Morgan Scholarship (\$4,000 total, \$2,000/awarded to TWO students)** provides annual support for students in the College of Arts and Sciences. Each year, the College of Arts and Sciences will invite applications from qualified students who have faced challenges in pursuing their education but remained diligent and persistent in that pursuit nonetheless. To apply, students must submit an application and a statement of interests explaining the challenges they have faced. The application and statement will be reviewed by a selection committee from the College of Arts and Sciences.

Undergraduate students who have declared a major in the College of Arts and Sciences at Northeastern Illinois University are eligible to apply. Applicants must be enrolled full- or part-time. As award is a scholarship, the applicant must have at least one semester to complete.

The student writing submission deadline is **5:00 p.m. on Friday, May 3, 2024.**

General Information

(Please print)

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Work Phone _____ Cell Phone: _____

E-mail address _____

Other Information

I am majoring in a program in the College of Arts and Sciences: Yes No (check one)

I am an undergraduate student in my: ___ Freshman ___ Sophomore ___ Junior ___ Senior year (check one)

I am majoring in: _____

I am enrolled full- or part- time: ___ Yes ___ No (check one)

(Applicants must have at least one semester remaining prior to graduation.)

Number of credit hours completed: _____

Cumulative NEIU G.P.A.: _____

Expected Graduation: _____

Submission Guidelines and Criteria

Along with this application, please submit a typed and double-spaced statement of interest of 2-4 pages, explaining how you have persevered in pursuit of your education despite the challenges you have faced.

Scholarship Application Certification

I certify that all information provided on this application is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I authorize the Office of Institutional Advancement to verify the information that is contained on this application and to release the information provided on this application to those individuals involved in the selection process. I understand that any false statements, untruths or plagiarism will result in my forfeiture of the scholarship should I be selected as the recipient. Also, I understand that any false statements, untruths or plagiarism will result in my returning any/all monies awarded to me from the **J. Njogu Kararu and Eben C. Morgan Scholarship Endowment.**

Signature _____ Date _____

Submission and Contact Information

Please submit a completed (and signed) application form and writing submission to Amanda Dykema-Engblade in the College of Arts and Sciences (BBH-158).

PDF versions of completed (and signed) application forms and writing submissions may be sent to: a-dykema-engblade@neiu.edu by 5:00 pm, May 2, 2022.

All materials must be received by the College of Arts and Sciences by **4:30 p.m. on May 3, 2024.**

To receive the award, the candidate must submit an acceptance letter along with a thank you letter to the scholarship's donor.