
Program Goal
Marshall Scholarships support young Americans of high ability to study for a degree in the United Kingdom. A Marshall Scholarship is tenable for two academic years (i.e. 22 months), but may be extended to a third year by the Commission on a limited basis. Candidates are invited to indicate two preferred universities, but interest in studying at universities other than Oxford and Cambridge is particularly welcomed. Each year at least 40 students are selected as Marshall Scholars.

Eligibility
U.S Citizen

College Seniors & recent graduates with a 3.7 GPA or higher who plan to study in a program at a UK institution.

Working with the Office of Scholarships & Fellowships
The Office of Scholarships and Fellowships supports all of FIU’s Marshall Applicants. Assistance is offered in the form of individual student meetings to discuss candidacy and project ideas, essay construction and revision assistance, and technical support. Material resources include Marshall writing guides, sample Marshall essays, Marshall reference letter guides, and interview preparation. For More information regarding the Marshall scholarship please contact:

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Evaluation and Selection of Fellows
A Marshall candidate must be endorsed by an institution at which he or she has completed two years of full-time undergraduate or postgraduate study.

Candidates may apply in one region only; either that in which they have their permanent home address or ordinary place of residence/employment, or that in which they are studying.

Short-listed candidates will be called for interviews in min November. The final selection will be announced shortly after interview, and those nominated will be offered a scholarship in writing and will be asked to accept or decline this offer in writing within 10-12 days.

Crucial factors in the selection of Marshall Scholars include: A candidate’s choice of course, choice of university, and academic and personal aptitude.

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<td>July 21, 2016</td>
<td>Priority Deadline Pre-Applications Due (4:00 p.m.)</td>
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<td>Aug. 24, 2016</td>
<td>CAMPUS DEADLINE (4:00 p.m.): All application materials submitted to the Office of Scholarships &amp; Fellowships.</td>
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<td>Mid Sept.</td>
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**Marshall Application Process: 2016-2017**

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<td><strong>Pre-Application:</strong> To be considered for a Florida International University nomination, candidates must submit the following application materials, no later than Thursday, July 21, 2016. This pre-application deadline ensures priority in working on application materials.</td>
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| 1. Names and email addresses of five to eight recommenders  
2. A short dated list (maximum length: two pages) of principal activities, honors, prizes, scholarships, offices held, athletic record and extracurricular interests |

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<th>Campus Application Deadline: Marshall candidates must be endorsed by their college or university. Candidates must submit all application materials, no later than 4 p.m. on Wednesday, August 24, 2016. The campus deadline is a hard deadline. Incomplete applications will not be considered for university endorsement after this date. A completed application includes:</th>
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| 1. Complete online Marshall Application (which includes the following)  
a. Four (4) electronic letters of recommendation  
b. Official college transcripts (from all colleges attended)  
c. All required statements |

The Marshall application system is online and can be accessed by visiting [http://www.marshallscholarship.org/applications/apply](http://www.marshallscholarship.org/applications/apply). *Candidates are strongly encouraged* to review the Rules for Candidates and Memorandum of Guidance available at [www.marshallscholarship.org](http://www.marshallscholarship.org).

All internal application materials should conform to application guidelines determined by the general Rhodes Application.

Students should complete the application, in its entirety, ensure all references have submitted their letters online, and submit the application to the Marshall Program Adviser electronically by 4 PM, August 24, 2016.

Incomplete applications will not be considered by the FIU Marshall Faculty Committee. Any questions or concerns should be directed to the Office of Scholarships and Fellowships.