SCHOLARSHIP GUIDE

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Trinity College of Nursing & Health Sciences
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Trinity College of Nursing & Health Sciences offers numerous scholarship opportunities. Students are encouraged to apply to all scholarships for which they qualify. Applications are accepted from September 1 - October 31 each year and are awarded during the spring semester based on available funds. If you need assistance with an application please contact the Financial Aid Specialist by phone at (309) 779-7740 or email Stefanie.Miljush@trinitycollegeqc.edu.

**Advanced Radiology: Radiography Technology Student Scholarship**

This scholarship is provided by Advanced Radiology, SC, and recognizes academic performance, future potential, community participation and career aspirations.

**Eligibility Criteria:**
- Minimum GPA 3.00 of 4.00
- Completion of one year in Trinity's Radiography Program and accepted as a second-year student
- Must show financial need
- Award based on: Past academic performance, future potential, community participation, work experience, career aspiration, and unusual personal circumstances

**Agnes Pauline Swanson Memorial Scholarship**

This scholarship was established by graduates of the Class of 1922 of Lutheran Hospital School for Nurses to honor Ms. Swanson who passed away while enrolled in nursing school.

**Eligibility Criteria:**
- Enrolled in a Trinity College Nursing program
- Preference given to a graduate of Trinity College's ASN or a predecessor school's nursing program
- Preference given to current Trinity College of Nursing & Health Sciences Alumni Association dues paying member
- Satisfactory academic progress must be maintained to renew from semester to semester

**Alla Family Nursing Education Scholarship**

This scholarship provides support to nursing students that demonstrate volunteer experience and financial need.

**Eligibility Criteria:**
- Minimum GPA 2.75 of 4.00
- Enrolled in the BSN-A or BSN-B program option at Trinity College
- Volunteer experience and financial need are considered favorably

**Annabelle Catherine Tunnicliff Coombe Memorial Scholarship**

This scholarship was established in 1995 by Catherine's daughter to recognize academic performance, future potential, and nursing career aspirations.

**Eligibility Criteria:**
- Minimum GPA 3.00 of 4.00
- Enrolled in a Trinity College Nursing program

**Brisssman Scholarship**

This scholarship was established in 2020 and provides financial assistance to students demonstrating need who reside in Milan, IL.

**Eligibility Criteria:**
- Accepted student enrolled in any Trinity College program
- Economically disadvantaged student
- Rock Island County in Milan, IL residents

**Childers/Wolff Memorial Scholarship**

This scholarship was established in 1995 in memory of William Childers, Finance Director at St. Anthony's Hospital, and Irma Childers, a 1933 alumna of predecessor school Moline Public Hospital School of Nursing.

**Eligibility Criteria:**
- Enrolled in a Trinity College Nursing program
- Must show financial need
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| **Connie Hoyle Memorial Nursing Scholarship**    | This scholarship was established after Connie’s unexpected death in 2002. Connie was a certified operating-nurse and served as operating room nurse manager and outpatient manager for Trinity Medical Center and its predecessor hospitals since 1982.  
**Eligibility Criteria:**  
- Minimum GPA 3.00 of 4.00  
- Enrolled in the BSN program at Trinity College  
- Scott County Iowa resident  
- Financial need and extraordinary circumstances considered favorably |
| **Dean’s Scholarship**                           | This one time scholarship is awarded to the top-ranking incoming student for each academic program during their first semester at Trinity College. Students must exhibit evidence of outstanding academic achievement for either high school or college coursework. |
| **Doris and Victor Day Foundation Scholarship**  | This scholarship was established in 2014 and provides financial assistance to first-generation students demonstrating need who reside in Rock Island County, IL or Scott County, IA.  
**Eligibility Criteria:**  
- Accepted student enrolled in any Trinity College program  
- Economically disadvantaged student  
- First-generation college student  
- Rock Island and Scott County residents |
| **Helpenstell Accelerated Nursing Scholarship**  | Scholarships recipients are students possessing a bachelor’s degree, maintaining above average academic performance, demonstrating financial need, and with unusual personal or family circumstances.  
**Eligibility Criteria:**  
- Enrolled in the BSN-A program at Trinity College  
- Bachelor’s Degree must be from an accredited college or university, physically located in the Quad Cities  
- Financial need, unusual personal or family circumstances  
- 3.20 on first BS degree considered favorably |
| **Jerry and Dawn Vande Moortel Nursing Scholarship** | This scholarship is funded by Jerry’s family and friends for students pursuing a degree in nursing with a cumulative GPA of 3.00 or higher who resides in Moline, Illinois or Rock Island, Illinois.  
**Eligibility Criteria:**  
- Minimum GPA 3.00 of 4.00  
- First-year full-time nursing student  
- Moline, IL or Rock Island, IL resident  
- Award based on academic performance  
- Students with financial need given preference |
| **Josephine A. Brandt Memorial Scholarship**     | This Scholarship honors Miss Brandt, who served as Director of Nursing Education and Nursing Services, and as the Vice President of the Lutheran Hospital School for Nurses.  
**Eligibility Criteria:**  
- Minimum GPA 3.00 of 4.00  
- Enrolled in a Trinity College Nursing program |
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Julie Auliff Nursing Scholarship
This scholarship recognizes academic performance, future potential and nursing career aspirations.

Eligibility Criteria:
• Minimum GPA 2.75 of 4.00
• Enrolled in a Trinity College Nursing program
• Completion of at least one full year at an accredited college or university
• Intent to practice in oncology or those working in oncology who wish to pursue an advanced degree will be viewed more favorably

Kay B. Coin Nursing Student Scholarship
This scholarship reflects Mrs. Coin’s volunteerism and commitment to nursing education and recognizes student academic performance, future potential, community participation and career aspirations.

Eligibility Criteria:
• Minimum GPA 3.00 of 4.00
• Enrolled in a Trinity College Nursing program
• Must reside within a 50 mile radius of the Quad Cities
• Awards will be determined by past academic performance and future potential, school and community participation, work experience, career and educational aspirations and goals and unusual personal family circumstances.
• Financial need and other extraordinary circumstances considered favorably
• Renewable for a second year if the student maintains eligibility as described above

Kay & Eric Crowell Obstetric/Midwifery Scholarship
This scholarship was established by Kathy and Eric Crowell to provide scholarships to nursing students at Trinity College of Nursing & Health Sciences who wish to practice obstetrical nursing or midwifery.

Eligibility Criteria:
• Minimum GPA 3.20 of 4.00
• Enrolled in the Trinity College Nursing BSN Completion program
• Practicing in obstetrics or completed clinical rotation in the ASN program and have chosen to practice obstetrical nursing upon completion of BSN program
• Financial need considered favorably

Laurie Hauman Endowed Memorial Nursing Scholarship
This scholarship is funded by Laurie’s husband, family, co-workers and friends in memorium. Laurie was a St. Anthony’s Hospital “Anthonette” and a 1976 graduate of Franciscan Medical Center School of Nursing.

Eligibility Criteria:
• Minimum GPA 2.75 of 4.00
• Enrolled in a Trinity College Nursing program as a second-year student
• Financial need required
• Faculty recommendation required
• Applicants from Quad Cities who plan to work in hospital direct patient care considered favorably
• If applying for renewal 3.00 of 4.00 GPA required

Lee Memorial Scholarship
This scholarship was established by Marion Forgy, a longtime employee at Moline Public Hospital School of Nursing and Trinity College of Nursing in memory of her brother, Lee Forgy. The scholarship provides financial assistance to students pursuing a nursing degree at Trinity College with a preference for underrepresented populations.

Eligibility Criteria:
• Minimum incoming GPA 3.50 of 4.00
• Minimum Trinity College of Nursing & Health Sciences GPA 3.00 of 4.00
• Enrolled in a Trinity College Nursing program
• First-year student
• Underrepresented students considered favorably

Marguerite N. Brooks Nursing Education Endowment Nursing Scholarship
This scholarship was established in 2003 by a group of close friends and co-workers honoring Miss Brooks, who was promoted to administrator of Moline Public Hospital in 1933. She held the position for 45 years until her retirement.

Eligibility Criteria:
• ASN graduate or predecessor school graduate
• Third or fourth-year BSN student
• Interest in graduate work required
• Interest in teaching required
**Mary Eileen Voss Nursing Scholarship**

This scholarship was established by Nancy and Rick Seidler to honor Nancy’s Aunt, Eileen Voss, a graduate of nursing at Vincennes Hospital, who practiced nursing at a time before the introduction of penicillin and during the polio epidemic. The BSN recipients maintain a GPA of 3.00 or above and have expressed a strong interest in oncology, pediatrics or hospice nursing.

**Eligibility Criteria:**
- Minimum GPA 3.00 of 4.00
- Enrolled in the BSN program at Trinity College
- Full-time student
- Financial need and favorable personal characteristics (caring and mature)
- Preference for students interested in pursuing oncology, pediatrics or hospice nursing
- Renewable as long as above criteria are met again

**Medical Staff Nursing Scholarship**

This scholarship was established in 2018 by members of UnityPoint Health-Trinity’s Medical Staff to provide financial assistance to students pursuing a Bachelor of Science in Nursing through the Trinity College of Nursing and Health Sciences.

- Minimum GPA 3.25 of 4.00
- Enrolled in a BSN program at Trinity College
- Two year Trinity employment commitment required

**Phi Theta Kappa Scholarship**

This scholarship was established in 2015 by members of PTK to acknowledge academic excellence with a GPA of 3.50 in an associate degree program and active membership in PTK.

**Eligibility Criteria:**
- Minimum GPA 3.50 of 4.00
- Current and active member of the Beta Zeta Beta chapter that attends at least half of the chapter meetings
- Participate with service projects
- Must also include a letter detailing your involvement in the Beta Zeta Beta chapter and your future scholastic plans

**Rauch Family Foundation Scholarship**

This scholarship established in 2014 provides financial assistance to first-generation students demonstrating need who reside in Rock Island, IL.

**Eligibility Criteria:**
- Enrolled in a Trinity College program
- Must show financial need
- Rock Island County resident preferred
- First generation college student

**Rick and Nancy Seidler BSN Accelerate Scholarship**

This scholarship was established by former UnityPoint Health-Trinity CEO, Rick Seidler, and his wife, Nancy in 2019 to provide financial assistance to qualified students enrolled in the BSN-Accelerated program option at Trinity College.

- Minimum GPA 3.00 of 4.00
- Enrolled in the BSN-A program option at Trinity College
- Must be enrolled full-time
- Renewable as long as above criteria are met again

**Robert and Julie Blew Annual Nursing Scholarship**

This scholarship was established in 2014 by Robert and Julie Blew in celebration of Julie’s education as a 1968 graduate of the Lutheran School of Nursing and her distinguished career with Trinity’s Parish Nurse Program.

**Eligibility Criteria:**
- Minimum GPA 3.00 of 4.00
- Enrolled in a Trinity College Nursing program
- If applying for renewal 3.00 of 4.00 GPA required
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**Robert Schutjer Memorial Scholarship**

This scholarship was established in 1978 by Blanche Schutjer to honor the memory of her husband to support students in nursing programs.

**Eligibility Criteria:**
- Minimum GPA 2.00 of 4.00
- Enrolled in a Trinity College Nursing program

**Roxanne Kramer Student Scholarship**

This scholarship provides financial support to the children or grandchildren of people who are battling or have battled breast cancer and who wish to pursue healthcare education at Trinity’s College of Nursing & Health Sciences.

**Eligibility Criteria:**
- Minimum GPA 2.75 of 4.00
- Enrolled in a Trinity College program
- Must be a child or grandchild of someone who is or has battled breast cancer
- Renewable if above criteria are met

**Rosemary Woodward Memorial Nursing Scholarship Endowment**

This scholarship was established in 2019 by Rosemary Woodward to provide financial assistance to aspiring nurses who are pursuing their education at Trinity College of Nursing & Health Sciences.

**Eligibility Criteria:**
- Minimum GPA 3.00 of 4.00
- Enrolled in a nursing program at Trinity College
- Financial need considered favorably

**Rock Island County Medical Society Alliance Scholarship**

This scholarship originally was established in 1978 to be awarded to Trinity College’s predecessor school of nursing recipients.

**Eligibility Criteria:**
- Enrolled and accepted into the EDGE program
- Must show financial need
- Rock Island County resident preferred

**Smilja Pokrajac Memorial Scholarship**

This scholarship honors Smilja, a 1939 Moline Public Hospital School of Nursing graduate, and is for nursing student applicants residing in East Moline, IL that maintain academic excellence.

**Eligibility Criteria:**
- Enrolled in a Trinity College Nursing program
- East Moline, IL resident preferred

**Trinity College Alumni Association Scholarship**

This scholarship honors the membership which includes graduates from the predecessor schools of St. Anthony’s Hospital, Lutheran Hospital, Moline Public Hospital, United Medical Center, Franciscan Medical Center and Trinity College of Nursing & Health Sciences.

**Eligibility Criteria:**
- Minimum GPA 3.00 of 4.00
- Accepted student enrolled in any Trinity College program
- If Alumnus completing advanced degree courses, must be current with dues
- Awards will be determined by past academic performance and career and educational goals
- Financial need considered favorably

**Rock Island County Medical Society Alliance Scholarship**

This scholarship originally was established in 1978 to be awarded to Trinity College’s predecessor school of nursing recipients.

**Eligibility Criteria:**
- Enrolled and accepted into the EDGE program
- Must show financial need
- Rock Island County resident preferred
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Trinity College of Nursing & Health Sciences General Scholarship and Endowment Scholarships

This scholarship provides support to students in nursing and health science programs at the College.

Eligibility Criteria:
- Minimum GPA 2.00 of 4.00
- Accepted student enrolled in any Trinity College program
- Must have successfully completed one semester
- Students with financial need given preference
- Renewable

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