

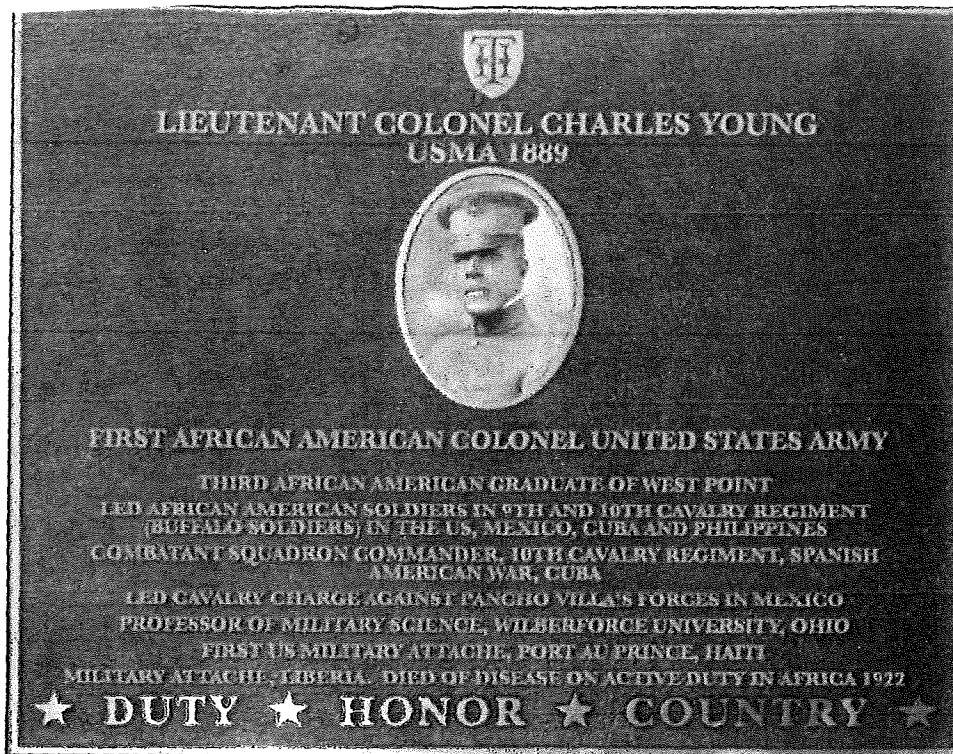
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
Academic Year 2017-2018

OMEGA PSI PHI FRATERNITY, INC.
Phi Nu Chapter



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Dear Graduating Seniors, Parents, and Administrators,

The Phi Nu Chapter of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. announces its inaugural Colonel Charles Young Scholarship awards program for the 2017-2018 academic year. We will award a \$1,000 scholarship to a deserving high school college bound student. The scholarships will be awarded based on the applicants' academic potential, a written essay, academic transcript, and leadership.

Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Incorporated is proud to acknowledge and recognize Brother (Colonel) Charles Young. His outstanding military leadership, tenacity of purpose and perseverance has made him a figure to be immortalized in Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Incorporated history. Brother Young's demonstrated leadership abilities and mental toughness is certainly a hallmark of success for all to follow and in recognition of his dedicated service, Omega has named an International Award for active duty military excellence in his honor. This award is given at the fraternity's Conclave, conducted every two years.

Colonel Charles Young is remembered and honored as a man of unique courage and inspiration. This was especially true for those of "goodwill", who knew him, and for those who followed him into battle. He stands honored both as an African-American and in the history of African-Americans in the U.S. military.

Phi Nu Chapter of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Incorporated was founded on April 10, 1972 by Brothers Sherman Burks, Robert Duke, Charlie Miller, Rich Shelton and Ted Childs Jr. Originally a graduate chapter, Phi Nu Chapter expanded to add on the undergraduate attachment of the United States Military Academy at West Point in 1994. Today, there are over 50 Phi Nu Brothers who were initiated from West Point. Brothers from the undergraduate detachment follow the likes of Brother (Colonel) Charles Young who was the third African American graduate from West Point in 1889. This scholarship is in honor of Brother (Colonel) Charles Young and is held in high regard by the Brothers of Phi Nu Chapter.

Some of the basic guidelines include: the scholarship recipients must enroll in an accredited four-year university or college as a full-time student to receive the scholarship award and provide proof; all graduating high school seniors attending a high school and pursuing a college education for the academic year 2017-2018 are highly encouraged to apply.

Completed applications should be mailed to:

Attn: Scholarship Committee Chairman
PHI NU CHAPTER
PO BOX 831
Mohegan Lake, NY 10547

Or via email to: landis.c.maddox@gmail.com and Jbta46@aol.com (preferred method)

All applications must be postmarked no later than June 1, 2018. No applications will be accepted after this date. Please review the application carefully to ensure compliance with requirements. The winner will be notified no later than June 8, 2018.

We hope you have a successful senior year and wish you well in your future educational goals.

Sincerely,

Jim Taylor

Jim Taylor
Phi Nu Scholarship Chairperson

Landis Maddox

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Vice Basileus, Phi Nu Chapter



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AY 2017/2018 SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

ELGIBILITY:

Applicants must be a U.S. citizen or a family member of a U.S. citizen. They must also be a high school senior graduating in 2018 from an accredited high school.

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Applicants must submit a completed application in accordance with the instructions below.
2. Applicant must provide an official and current high school transcript.
3. Applicant must submit a written 500-word essay with the application. Instructions for the essay are contained within this application.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

1. Scholarship funds will be paid to recipients when the college/university sends an official letter of enrollment. Letter of enrollment must be received no later than 1 Dec 2018. Note: We will accept a college/university transcript as proof of enrollment.
2. If the recipient has no proof of enrollment, then the scholarship award will not be paid.
3. Any unused funds will revert back to the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc Phi Nu Chapter Scholarship Fund.
4. A scholarship may be denied by the Scholarship Committee should a recipient:
 - Withhold pertinent information
 - Withdraw from college/university before the scholarship award has been paid.

SELECTION:

The selection of scholarship recipient(s) will be based on the comparative (with other applicants) assessment of:

1. Applicant's typewritten, 12-pitch font, double-spaced essays, 500 words or less
2. Applicant's participation in Extracurricular and community activities.
3. Applicant's academic achievements.

APPLICATION INFORMATION:

All scholarship applications must be completed and postmarked no later than **June 1, 2018**. Winners will be notified by telephone no later than **June 8, 2018**. If you have any questions, please contact Bro Jim Taylor at 914.384.1904. All information will be kept confidential.

List any high school academic distinctions or honors/awards received:

•	_____	_____
	Name of School	Honor/award include date
•	_____	_____
	Name of School	Honor/award include date
•	_____	_____
	Name of School	Honor/award include date

List any high school extra-curricular activities in which you actively participated (debating, athletics, government, music, art, drama, school clubs etc.)

•	_____	_____
	Name of School	Extra-curricular activities
•	_____	_____
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•	_____	_____
	Name of School	Extra-curricular activities

List community activities you participated in (religious, community groups, hobbies, personal interest, and special groups)

Subject for Essay: Please describe to us in 500 words or less how you have exemplified the traits of Colonel Charles Young through demonstrations of Duty, Honor, Country, Perseverance, Scholarship, and Leadership.

The essay must be in -12 pitch doubled spaced. The essay must be original, neither previously published nor secured by copyright.

References:

List two references and provide a written reference from each. One must be from your school faculty and the other from a community leader, i.e., clergy, coach, etc. It is important your references address your academic potential and character.

1. _____
Name work place/job title phone#

2. _____
Name work place/job title phone#

I, applicant's name, certify that all the information in this application is TRUE to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant Signature

Parent/Guardian Signature

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PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PRIVACY ACT AS RELATED TO THE RELEASE OF SCHOOL RECORDS, I HEREBY AUTHORIZE THE OFFICIALS OF MY HIGH SCHOOL TO RELEASE A COPY OF MY ACADEMIC RECORD TO THE SELECTION COMMITTEE OF OMEGA PSI PHI FRATERNITY, INC. PHI NU CHAPTER, SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE.

STUDENT'S SIGNATURE _____ / DATE _____

PARENT'S SIGNATURE _____ / DATE _____

CODE # _____ (TO BE ASSIGNED TO THIS APPLICATION). APPLICATIONS WILL BE EVALUATED WITHOUT THE IDENTIFYING INFORMATION ON THIS COVER SHEET.