

The George Washington Carver National Fellowship Program

2018 APPLICATION

More than a century ago, Simpson College accepted George Washington Carver and his academic journey began. In 1928, Simpson College was the first school to give Carver an honorary doctorate and the college's effect on him was everlasting. In fact, Carver once said, "I owe to Simpson College my real beginning in life." As a lifelong learner, entrepreneur, scientist, artist and humanitarian, Carver represented the qualities and characteristics of a true scholar and leader. Carver Scholars and Fellows exemplify the ideals that are so much a part of the Carver legacy at Simpson.

The George Washington Carver National Fellowship Program recognizes the academic accomplishments as well as leadership and service endeavors of students. This scholarship is awarded to students from distinctive and broadly diverse backgrounds who exhibit potential for leadership, evidence of service and contribution to their community and superior academic achievement. These are the principles that guided Carver's life.

Carver Fellowships range from 3/4 to full tuition. This fellowship is renewable provided the student is in good academic standing.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name _____
First Middle Initial Last Preferred Name

Permanent address _____
Street Address City State Zip

Phone number _____ Email _____

Current School _____

Have you applied for admission to Simpson College? YES NO

(All candidates for these awards must submit the application for admission and receive notification of acceptance by February 16, 2018.)

PERSONAL STATEMENT

Please attach a personal statement (no more than three type written pages) addressing the following:

- Simpson College supports a community of students with richly diverse backgrounds and experiences. Given your personal background, how would you contribute to this community?
- Describe your leadership experiences, community involvement and the activities in which you have worked to better your school or community.
- Describe how this educational opportunity will assist you in achieving your academic and career goals.

Completed application materials must be submitted by February 16, 2018 to:

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