



Belmont University
Senior Class Gift
Scholarship Application
For Rising Seniors

***Due to Office of Development (105 Fidelity Hall) by Wednesday, May 7, 2008**

Submit the following with your application:

1. A one page essay answering why you deserve this scholarship.
2. Two reference forms (see below)

Student Information

Student ID Number: _____

Name: _____

Campus/Mailing Address: _____

Local Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

Graduation date (month/year) _____ Are you a full-time student? _____

Are you a rising senior for Fall 2008 semester? _____ YES _____ NO

Have you been enrolled at Belmont University for at least two semesters? _____

Cumulative GPA: _____ Current Academic Major: _____

List any previous college(s) you have attended: _____

Current extra-curricular activities: _____

Awards/honors received while in college: _____

Have you been awarded any scholarships or grants for the 2008-09 school year?

_____ Yes _____ No

If yes, what is the approximate amount of all of these 2008-09 scholarship awards to date?

Briefly describe your leadership ability and involvement :

Briefly state your long-term goals for the next five to ten years/after graduation:

References:

Academic

Name: _____ Title: _____

Address: _____ Phone/Email: _____

Other

Name: _____ Title: _____

Address: _____ Phone/Email: _____

Please ask your references to complete a reference form on your behalf. The completed reference forms should be placed in a sealed envelope and returned to you, the applicant. Send the complete application to the Office of Development (First floor Fidelity Hall; Room 105)

Address:

Belmont University
Office of Development
Attn: Luisa Catapano
1900 Belmont Blvd
Nashville, TN 37212

Email: CatapanoL@mail.belmont.edu

Phone: (615) 460-6070

The applications and letters of recommendation must be turned in by 4:30 pm on May 7, 2008.

Please check with the Office of Development to make sure that your application has been received prior to the deadline.

Signed _____

Print Name _____ Date _____



Senior Class Scholarship Reference Form

Deadline: Wednesday, May 7, 2008

Name of Applicant _____

Name of Reference _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Position/Title _____ Campus Address/Box _____

Non-campus Address (if applicable): _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

You have been selected as a reference by the applicant listed above, who is applying to receive the Senior Class Gift Scholarship for the 2008-2009 school year. The recipient will be an individual of extraordinary academic, social, and leadership ability. In addition, the recipient shall:

- Have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale) or higher.
- Have demonstrated ability to lead in verbal conversation with a variety of people, skill in public speaking and in general, excellent written and verbal communication skills.
- Have demonstrated leadership ability.
- Be a full-time currently enrolled Belmont University student with Junior status becoming a Senior status the next semester during the year they apply.
- Have been enrolled at Belmont for at least 2 semesters.
- Exhibit a financial need for the scholarship.

We appreciate your cooperation in completing the questions below with candid responses regarding your personal knowledge and insight about the candidate. Please return your completed form to the applicant in a sealed envelope:

1. Rating Form- Please circle the number that shows your opinion of this person.

	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor	No Knowledge
Overall Communication Skills	4	3	2	1	X
Leadership ability	4	3	2	1	X
Demonstration of school pride	4	3	2	1	X
Academic achievement	4	3	2	1	X
Written Skills	4	3	2	1	X
Financial Need of the scholarship	4	3	2	1	X

2. In what ways have you known this person and for how long?

3. What are your personal insights and general comments regarding this candidate?

4. Would this applicant be a good recipient of the scholarship?

Yes _____ Possibly _____ Doubtful _____ No _____

Signature _____

Questions?

Contact:

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