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Health Professions Ruth Kraft Strohschein Scholarship Spring 2025 - Information Sheet

This scholarship is by invitation only. Based upon your current grade point average and our records of your interest in pursuing the profession of physician, the Health Professions Department contacts those students who qualify for the Strohschein scholarship. Before you apply for the scholarship recognize that the scholarship is designated for students interested in a career as an allopathic (MD) physician. Additional criteria set forth by the donor includes the recipient being a full-time junior or senior student beginning the 2025-2026 academic year. The awarded student must also demonstrate integrity and character. This is a one-time award. If two students are determined to be equally eligible candidates, the award may be divided among both students.

Eligible candidates who would like to be considered for the Strohschein scholarship should complete the following:

PRIOR to DEADLINE - Submit reference names and email addresses to the Health Professions office

(health.professions@wheaton.edu) no later than Wednesday, March 5th

- Identify two individuals (one must be a faculty member) who can describe and speak to your work ethic, character and integrity. Provide an email address for each individual. The Health Professions office will contact them. You can let them know, they do not need to write a letter, however, will be asked to complete a short form to address the aspects above.

BY DEADLINE:

Complete the online Student Registration Form (<https://form.jotform.com/212934279082157>)

Submit an expanded resume & short essay online through the link above:

Resume: This document aids the committee by providing a profile of your experiences (examples: volunteer and/or community service, research, shadowing/observation, employment, etc.). Please include the approximate hours (each week/month) for each experience. You are welcome to include activities that do not directly apply to medicine/healthcare. *Note: It can be longer than one page. Clear articulation of the responsibilities/skills of the experience is important.*

Short Essay: In no more than 250 words, please respond to this question: Why are you pursuing a medical degree (MD)?

Your materials should be submitted online by **Thursday, March 20, 2025**. If you have questions or need clarification, please contact the Health Professions Office well before the deadline.

If you are no longer pre-med, please let our office know, so that the Health Professions office records can be updated. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Candice Eisenhauer M.Ed.
Health Professions Director