

**Instructions and Rules**  
**GLSF Academic Scholarship Application**

1. Grieg Lodge Scholarship Fund (“GLSF”) was founded, in part, to “develop the pursuit of the intellect and education in all areas of life by providing scholarship grants, to encourage studies of the cultures of Norway and the United States, and for the advancement of literary, musical, artistic and historical creativity.”
2. GLSF gives a minimum of three Academic scholarships of \$1,500 each year. In 2016 we gave 13 scholarships of \$2,000 each; in 2017 we gave 15 scholarships of \$2,000 each.
3. The Academic Scholarship Application consists of:
  - a. The **Information Form**;
  - b. An **essay** written by the applicant (see instruction page);
  - c. An **official transcript** from applicant’s present school;
  - d. Each reference listed on applicant’s Information Form must:
    - i. complete an official **Recommendation Form**; and
    - ii. provide a **letter of recommendation**.
4. All application materials **must be postmarked no later than Thursday, February 15, 2018**.
5. All application materials should be mailed to:

**Grieg Lodge Scholarship Fund**  
**Attention: Selection Committee**  
**111 NE 11<sup>th</sup> Ave.**  
**Portland, OR 97232**
6. No certified mail can be accepted.
7. Incomplete or late applications will not be included in the selection process.
8. Additional materials such as photographs and resumes will **not** be considered.
9. There is no age limit for applicants.
10. Eligibility is limited to students whose home address is in Multnomah, Clackamas, Columbia, Washington, and Yamhill Counties in Oregon, or Clark County, Washington.
11. Applicants do not need to have any affiliation with Grieg Lodge. However, preference will be given to applicants with a connection to Scandinavian heritage, culture and/or activities.
12. Previous scholarship recipients are eligible to apply for a **2018** scholarship. However, preference will be given to new applicants and new applications from those who have not previously received a GLSF scholarship.
13. Students chosen to receive an Academic Scholarship will be notified by **March 31, 2018**. Scholarships will be awarded at a Brunch on Sunday April 8, 2018.
14. The decision of the Grieg Lodge Scholarship Fund Board of Directors is final.
15. Scholarship awards will be made to the designated institution on behalf of the applicant after we receive proof of enrollment.
16. If you have any questions, email us at [info@gl scholarshipfund.org](mailto:info@gl scholarshipfund.org)
17. For more forms and information please visit our website: [gl scholarshipfund.org](http://gl scholarshipfund.org).

## Academic Scholarship Application Information Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Other Contact # \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

(Limited to Multnomah, Clackamas, Columbia, Washington and Yamhill counties in Oregon, and Clark County in Washington)

Parent or Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have an affiliation with Grieg Lodge #2-15? (not required) \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, what is your affiliation? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever received a GLSF scholarship? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, when? \_\_\_\_\_

Last School Attended \_\_\_\_\_ GPA \_\_\_\_\_

Educational plans (Name/Location of Institution/Intended Major/Field of Study)

**Names and contact information of your two references. One must be a current instructor and the other person someone who knows you well but to whom you are not related.**

Name/Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Name/Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

**Please provide each of your references with one of our GLSF Academic Scholarship Recommendation Forms and include an stamped envelope addressed to:  
Grieg Lodge Scholarship Fund, Attention: Selection Committee, 111 NE 11<sup>th</sup> Ave., Portland, OR 97232**

**Information Form and Essay must be postmarked NO LATER THAN Thursday, February 15, 2018.**

## **Essay Instructions**

**The essay should be typed, double-spaced and checked for grammar and spelling.**

**In 800 words or less cover the following topics:**

**Part 1. Describe your Scandinavian background/traditions and participation in Scandinavian activities.**

**Part 2. Describe your interests and activities, including school, community and personal interests.**

**Part 3. Describe your personal and professional or vocational goals.**

**Recommendation Form**  
**GLSF Academic Scholarship Application**

**Name of Applicant:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Writer of Recommendation:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Relationship to Applicant:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Professional** \_\_\_\_\_ **Personal** \_\_\_\_\_ **Length of Acquaintance:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please rate the applicant on the following criteria. Place an "X" along each line, rating the applicant from Excellent to Poor. If you do not know about a particular area, place an "X" under Unknown.**

	<b>Excellent</b>	<b>Good</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Poor</b>	<b>Unknown</b>
<b>Creativity</b>					
<b>Dependability</b>					
<b>Enthusiasm</b>					
<b>Initiative</b>					
<b>Leadership Ability</b>					
<b>Maturity</b>					
<b>Perseverance</b>					
<b>Responsibility</b>					
<b>Scholastic Potential</b>					

**NOTE: A letter of recommendation is required in addition to this Form. Your comments will be held in confidence. Recommendation materials must be postmarked NO LATER THAN Thursday, February 15, 2018:**

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Position** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_

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