

**PRESBYTERY OF THE TWIN CITIES AREA**

**Theological Education Scholarship Application**  
**(Not Need Based)**

Completed applications should be sent to: Office Administrator Jennifer Schultz (office@ptcaweb.org) or mailed to the Presbytery Office (2115 Cliff Drive Eagan, MN 55122).

Applications should be received by:

June 1 for a fall term (decision and notification by August 1)

October 1 for a spring term (decision and notification by December 1)

March 1 for a summer term (decision and notification by May 1)

Questions should be directed to: Mission, Scholarship, and Grants Committee Chair Rocky Rockenstein (walter.rockenstein@gmail.com; 612-227-8428)

**About the Theological Education Scholarship Fund**

*Theological Education Scholarships are provided to individuals pursuing a formal course of study leading toward a church vocation through a seminary, ministry degree program, Christian educator degree program, Commissioned Ruling Elder training, lay pastor education curriculum, or professional certificate. They may also be used for continuing pastoral education, internships, contextual education, or study abroad (not including travel abroad), provided any of the foregoing are connected to the degree or certificate program. **Theological Education Scholarship candidates must be registered with the Committee on Preparation for Ministry or in consultation with a particular congregation for service.** Theological Education Scholarships up to \$2,000 per academic period and no more than twice per calendar year, not based on need, are available using this Application form. Theological Education Scholarships up to the full cost of the educational or degree program based on need are available using the Theological Education Scholarship Application (Need Based), which can be found on the Presbytery's web site or at the Presbytery office. Theological Education Scholarships will not exceed the cost of tuition, fees, books and supplies, and other actual costs incurred.*

*The original funding for the Theological Education Scholarship Fund came thanks to o the legacy of the Carl Bossman Scholarship Fund, the Dorothy & Ralph Erlandson Fund, and the Barbara Tilton Memorial Scholarship Fund.*

**Applicant**

Name:

Congregation:

Address:

Email:

Phone:

\_\_\_Teaching Elder \_\_\_Ruling Elder \_\_\_Deacon \_\_\_Christian Ed/Youth \_\_\_Other:

### **Leadership Program**

Name or Title of Leadership Program:

Description of the Leadership Program *(max 200 words; attach promotional materials if appropriate):*

How this this Leadership Program increase your knowledge, enhance relations, or allow for theological or spiritual growth (the three criteria of the program) for you and other group members? *(max 200 words):*

Date(s) of the Program:

Cost(s) of the Program *(please include details of registration, travel, etc.):*

Amount of Scholarship Requested:

How will any additional costs be paid:

If this scholarship is approved, who should the check be made payable to and who should it be sent to *(please be specific; attach invoice or registration form if needed).*

### **CPM Registration Or Session Approval Certification**

I hereby certify that I am registered with the Committee on Preparation for Ministry or pursuing a program approved by the Session of my church.

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Signature of applicant

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Date

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