



Marilyn McNitt Diversity Scholarship Application

The Marilyn McNitt Diversity Scholarship, open to underrepresented communities (sex, race, ethnicity, and national origin, ability, sexual orientation, gender identity, first-generation college students) who work in archival or related fields, funds an attendee to attend the Michigan Archival Association Annual Meeting. Marilyn was an archivist at the University of Michigan's Bentley Historical Library for twenty-five years. Her home was always open to people from all walks of life, and we continue to honor her commitment to diversity throughout our organization today.

The scholarship covers the annual meeting registration for the 2025 virtual conference. The recipient will also receive a \$250 stipend and a one-year membership to MAA. The scholarship winner will be asked to write an article for the MAA newsletter, *Open Entry*, about their annual meeting experience.

Application Deadline: April 1, 2025

Applicant Information:

Name

Name of organization/employer

Work Address

Email address

Are you currently an MAA member? (equal consideration is given to members and non-members)

Application Statement:

Please attach a typed 500-word maximum statement about why you would like to attend the MAA Annual Meeting. In the statement describe what you hope to learn at the annual meeting.

Applications will be reviewed by the MAA scholarship committee, and the recipient will be selected based on the application statement.

To apply, please email this completed application form and your application statement to Andrea Van Dyke, Committee Chair, at howarda1@gvsu.edu. Deadline is **11:59 PM EST, April 1, 2025**.