## EDNA R. HARRIS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

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## PROCEDURES FOR PROCESSING SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS

1. The WMU Scholarship Committee will receive and process applications and present a candidate to the WMU Executive Board for approval at the May meeting of the Board.
2. All applications should be postmarked no later than March 1 for the following academic year.
3. Scholarships are granted for one year. A scholarship recipient may apply for additional years (maximum three). An updated application and current transcript must be submitted by application deadline.
4. A scholarship recipient will be expected to provide a written report of her year’s experience to the Scholarship Committee at the end of the academic year.
5. Preference will be given to full time students.

# QUALIFICATIONS:

The Edna R. Harris Memorial Scholarship is limited to women who have completed a Bachelor’s level of formal education and who are or will be enrolled in an accredited seminary/divinity school.

1. The applicant must be a North Carolinian by birth, a longtime resident or a resident for the past twelve (12) consecutive months.
2. The applicant must be an active member of a North Carolina Baptist Church and be involved in mission organizations OR have been active and involved in the past with continued strong church involvement.
3. The applicant must demonstrate financial need.
4. The applicant must have a clear sense of call to Christian ministry with preference given to an applicant whose vocational goals are focused on missions.
5. The applicant must demonstrate ability to pursue an academic program successfully. (3.0 GPA out of 4.0).
6. The applicant must provide official transcript of last academic endeavors.

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**Seminary Scholarship Application Woman's Missionary Union of North Carolina**

Office Use Only Received:

**To apply:**

Complete the application form.

Enclose a recent picture and transcript of last academic work completed.

Application must be postmarked prior to **March 1** for the following academic year. **Application Date**

Mail to:

**Executive Director, Woman’s Missionary Union, 205 Convention Drive, Cary, 27511**

Name Current Mailing Address City, State and Zip Telephone ( ) Email Address Date of Birth Permanent Mailing Address City, State and Zip Telephone ( ) Marital Status: □ Single □ Married (Name of Spouse ) □ Divorced □ Widowed Current Church Membership City Seminary you plan to attend Has your application been accepted by the seminary? □ yes □ no

**Academic History**

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| School/College Attended | Dates | Degree or Credits Received |
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**Employment History**

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| Firm | Location | Position | Length of Service |
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**History in Missions Organizations/Missions Involvement**

Mission Friends Girls in Action Acteens Women on Mission

Currently:

**Honors, Leadership Positions, Offices Held**

**Estimated cost of one-year seminary expenses**

Tuition per semester Books Housing

Estimated amount you have available to meet your expenses for one year

**List other scholarships for which you have applied**

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| Name | Amount |
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**References**

Pastor of Home Church \_

Address City, State and Zip

Telephone ( ) Email

Recent Pastor

Address City, State and Zip

Telephone ( ) Email

Current Pastor

Address City, State and Zip

Telephone ( ) Email

Dean or Major Professor in College or University

Address City, State and Zip

Telephone ( ) Email

Employer

Address City, State and Zip

Telephone ( ) Email

If you have been a participant in a religious organization while at college, give name and address of a leader in that organization.

Organization

Name

Address City, State and Zip

Telephone ( ) Email

**Attach separate sheet(s) to respond to the following:**

1. **Describe your conversion experience and your call to Christian ministry.**
2. **What are your specific vocational goals?**
3. **Have you been in contact with the International Mission Board, North American Mission Board, Cooperative Baptist Fellowship or any other missions organization regarding career service?**