

## Announcing . . .

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### **OLDFIELD SCHOLARSHIP**

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Students apply for both the Miller and the Oldfield Scholarships using the same application. The Hixson-Lied College Academic Distinction and Awards Committee reviews the applications and recommends the top two for a Miller Scholarship. The Oldfield Scholarships are awarded after the outcome of the Miller competition is announced by the Office of Scholarships and Financial Aid.

Application forms are available in departmental offices and the Dean's Office, 102 Woods Art Building.

**Application Deadline: March 12, 2010**

**DONALD WALTERS MILLER/VADA KINMAN OLDFIELD SCHOLARSHIPS**  
2010-2011 APPLICATION

**1. Please type or print the following information:**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Student ID # \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Year in School \_\_\_\_\_

Current Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip

Permanent Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip

Phone Number(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Major(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Minor(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Degree (check one): BA \_\_\_\_\_ BFA \_\_\_\_\_ BM \_\_\_\_\_ BME \_\_\_\_\_ MFA \_\_\_\_\_ MM \_\_\_\_\_ DMA \_\_\_\_\_

Current cumulative GPA \_\_\_\_\_ Date entered University \_\_\_\_\_ Expected Graduation Date \_\_\_\_\_

Names of two faculty members submitting recommendations: (Please ask them to comment on your scholastic ability, character, educational/professional goals.)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Dept./School \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Dept./School \_\_\_\_\_

**2. Please attach to this form a statement which includes the following information:**

1. List your present and past scholarships. Include the name of the scholarship, the year held, and the amount of the award.
2. List the honors and awards you have received since entering college.
3. List the offices you have held since entering college.
4. Discuss the extracurricular activities in the College and community. (Describe activities involving leadership abilities and service to the University and local community.)
5. Discuss your educational and professional goals. (Include information on any activities outside the classroom which will contribute to the achievement of these goals. Indicate the role and importance of a scholarship to your future career plans.)

**3. Please include a copy of your most current transcript.**

**4. Please include two letters of recommendation from your professors with the WAIVER FORM attached to each.**

***PLEASE NOTE: APPLICANTS MUST HAVE A COMPLETED FAFSA ON FILE TO QUALIFY FOR THE OLDFIELD SCHOLARSHIP. CONTACT THE UNL OFFICE OF SCHOLARSHIPS AND FINANCIAL AID OR GO TO [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov).***

SEND APPLICATION, TRANSCRIPTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS TO:

DEAN'S OFFICE  
HIXSON-LIED COLLEGE OF FINE AND PERFORMING ARTS  
102 WOODS ART BUILDING  
UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA-LINCOLN, 68588-0144

**DEADLINE: MARCH 12, 2010, 5:00 P.M.**

**MILLER/OLDFIELD SCHOLARSHIPS**  
Letter of Recommendation / Waiver of Access

*(To be completed and signed by the student before presenting to the faculty member, then attached to the letter of recommendation.)*

\_\_\_\_\_ is applying for the Miller/Oldfield Scholarships, and is requesting a letter of recommendation to accompany his or her application. A brief description of each scholarship appears below.

Please comment on the scholastic ability, character, and educational/professional goals of the student. Because of Federal legislation, confidentiality of your statement will be guaranteed only if the student signs the waiver of right of access. Please attach this form to your typed letter of recommendation.

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I freely and voluntarily *waive my right of access* to any information provided by the faculty member named below, and agree that any statement made shall be confidential.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

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Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name

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