

UMKC Trustees' Scholars Program Application

Incoming Class of 2010

Award

- **Years 1 and 2** -- Full Tuition and Fees, Full Room/Board, \$500 books = \$16,352
- **Years 3 and 4** – Full Tuition and Fees, \$2000 annually towards room and board at a location of student's choice, plus \$500 books. In addition, scholars may have the opportunity to take advantage of a mentorship with a business leader associated with a Trustee company.

Eligibility

High School students graduating in 2010 who meet two of three academic qualifications are eligible to apply:

- Minimum ACT Composite Score of 30
- Rank in the top 5% of graduating class
- Cumulative GPA of 3.5 in Core High School Curriculum (English, Math, Science, Social Studies, Foreign Language, Fine Art)

NOTE: Applicants to the Conservatory of Music and Dance must select the December 12 audition date and submit audition materials to the Conservatory by November 12 (<http://conservatory.umkc.edu>). Students who apply and intend to enter the Six Year Medical Program, Pharmacy, or the Architectural Studies transfer program are not eligible.

Requirements for Renewal

- Cumulative GPA of 3.0 after year one, 3.25 at completion of all other years
- Complete minimum of 24 credit hours in first year and 30 hours per academic year thereafter
- Participate in the professional enrichment program and be an active member of the Trustees' Scholars Program
- Enroll and successfully complete the Career Services Seminar Class in either freshman or sophomore year
- Be a participating member in at least one student organization in year one
- Participate in approved community service activities in year two
- Reside in one of the UMKC operated on-campus living facilities years one and two

Application Process

September – October: Complete the online UMKC Application for admission: www.umkc.edu/admissions. Be sure to mail an official HS transcript and ACT scores to: UMKC Office of Admissions, 5100 Rockhill Road, Kansas City, MO 64110

No later than November 16: Mail a complete UMKC Trustees' Scholars Application:

- Complete the extracurricular activities section of the application
- Include a one-page, double-spaced typewritten essay that describes the contributions you hope to make in society and how a degree from UMKC will help you accomplish this.
- Include a letter of recommendation from a non-relative describing your leadership skills and abilities

December – January: Applications will be reviewed. By the end of December, all applicants will be notified of the possible selection for an on-campus interview to be conducted in January 2010.

Want to learn more?

Make a day of visiting UMKC! Join us for one or both special events on Friday, November 6: Campus Visit Day (8:00 a.m. – Noon) and an optional reception for Trustees' Scholars applicants (3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.). For more details about either event or to ask general questions about the scholars program, please contact Tammy Cloutier at 816-235-1206 or CloutierT@umkc.edu.

Name _____ Phone () _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

E-mail _____

High School _____ Class Rank _____ of _____

UMKC Major _____ ACT Composite Score _____

List major school and community activities, awards, honors or offices held (**continue on another sheet if necessary**):

Activity	Honor/Award/Office	Dates
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List any volunteer or work experience, including the hours per week involved (**continue on another sheet if necessary**):

Volunteer/Employer Site	Hours Per Week	Dates
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I certify that all of the information that I have provided on this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Signature _____ Date _____

Checklist:

- ✓ Apply for admission and submit an official transcript and ACT score preferably by November 1.
- ✓ By November 16, submit materials for the UMKC Trustees Scholars Program (application, personal essay, and recommendation letter) in one package to: UMKC Office of Admissions, ATTN: Tammy Cloutier – Trustees, 120 Administrative Center, 5100 Rockhill Road, Kansas City, MO 64110-2499

Deadline: November 16 (postmark deadline)