Scholarship Payments

There are currently two mechanisms to provide NRA scholarship payments at UMKC. Departments submit the scholarship information to Financial Aid so the amount is applied directly to the student account (Pathway), or the department will submit the scholarship information to the Cashiers Office and the student will be issued a check monthly or per semester.

Nonqualified scholarships are taxable income to both nonresidents and U.S. students. A taxable scholarship is any amount greater than the semester academic fees or amounts provided directly to the student account. Nonqualified scholarships made to NRA students who have completed the tax assessment process will generally be taxed at a maximum of 14% unless a tax treaty exemption applies. If there is no tax assessment on file, withholding may be as high as 30%.

All NRAs with taxable scholarship income will be contacted by Emma Satterfield.