

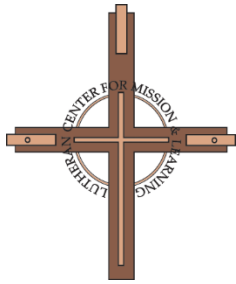


Pacifica Synod - ELCA

Office of the Bishop - Lutheran Center For Mission & Learning

Guidelines for the Robert L. Miller Scholarship Fund

1. Applicant must be an active member of a Pacifica Synod congregation.
2. Applicant must be officially entranced by the Pacifica Synod Candidacy Committee.
3. Applicant must be officially affiliated with and registered at an ELCA seminary in an approved degree or TEEM program, leading to becoming a rostered leader in the ELCA (Word and Sacrament/Word and Service.)
4. Funds may only be used for books, tuition, or costs directly related to Seminary Education in the ELCA, as funds are deposited directly with the Seminary in the student's account.
5. All applications are to be sent to the attention of the
Assistant to the Bishop for Candidacy
Pacifica Synod Office
1801 Parkcourt Place
Building C
Santa Ana, California 92701-5010.
6. Application will be reviewed twice a year by the Pacifica Synod Candidacy Committee. The Candidacy Committee will make recommendations to the bishop, who will pass the recommendations to the Mission Funds Committee, and then be forwarded to the Pacifica Synod Council for final approval. Application deadlines are June 15th (funds dispersed in the fall) and January 15th (funds dispersed in the spring) of each calendar year.
7. Depending upon available funds, we may not be able to award scholarships to each applicant more than once per calendar year.
8. Disbursements to candidates awarded scholarships will be made directly into the student's seminary account.



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Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

ELCA Seminary attending & affiliating with: _____

Degree or Certification Program: _____

Year of Study: _____

Signature

Date

Please attach:

1. A brief update (no longer than a page) for the Candidacy Committee about your personal and academic life at this time. Please include your discernment regarding and growing understanding of your call to mission and ministry.
2. Transcripts of completed course work.
3. An explanation (no longer than a page) for your use of the funds as well as a budget for the next academic year.

Return Completed Application to:

Pacifica Synod ELCA—Candidacy
1801-C Parkcourt Place
Santa Ana, CA 92701-5010

or

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