

Phi Lambda Sigma - AFPE First Year Graduate School Fellowship 2017

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NAME OF AWARD:

PHI LAMBDA SIGMA - AFPE FIRST YEAR GRADUATE SCHOOL FELLOWSHIP
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PURPOSE OF AWARD:

To encourage outstanding Phi Lambda Sigma members to pursue the Ph.D. within a college or school of pharmacy graduate program.

NUMBER OF AWARDS and STIPENDS:

One (1) Phi Lambda Sigma - AFPE First Year Graduate School Fellowship at \$7,500.

The \$7,500 may be used for any purpose decided by the awardee and faculty sponsor that will enable the student to have a successful program -- e.g., student stipend, laboratory supplies, books, materials, travel, etc. related to the program of graduate study. None of the funds shall be used for indirect costs by the institution. The term of the fellowship is 9/1/2017 - 8/31/2018.

ELIGIBILITY:

The applicant must be a member of Phi Lambda Sigma and a Pharm.D. or joint Pharm.D./Ph.D. candidate in the final year of professional studies who is planning to pursue full-time graduate (Ph.D.) study in the year the award is made. US citizenship or permanent resident status is required.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE:

The following information should be received by February 1, 2017 at exec_director@philambdasigma.org.

1. Letters of recommendation from two college faculty members who are acquainted with the student and his/her potential for graduate study.
2. Name of the graduate school that the student plans to attend (if known).
3. A one or two page statement by applicant elaborating reasons for wishing to attend graduate school.
4. A list of special honors, awards and accomplishments in high school and college reflecting achievement and ability to succeed in graduate school. This information can be a vital part of the application.
5. An official transcript of all collegiate grades and copies of GRE

APPLICATION DEADLINE AND SELECTION PROCEDURE:

Applications for the scholarship are due by February 1, 2017 and the awardee will be notified in March of 2017. The Phi Lambda Sigma awardee will be chosen by a three-member Selection Committee composed of the Executive Director and President of the Society and either the President or Chairman of the Board of Grants of AFPE.

The recipient is strongly encouraged to attend the Phi Lambda Sigma Awards Reception held during the Annual Meeting of the American Pharmacists Association (APhA). The award is announced and presented during this reception.

Upon receipt of confirmation that the student is enrolled in a pharmacy college Ph.D. program, funding for successful applicants will be provided in two equal stipends, one in September 2017 and the remainder in February 2018.