

SUNY Buffalo State

Banner ID _____

Student Phone: _____

Name _____

Other/Parent Phone: _____

Dr. Marie Dellas & Poppy Dellas Scholarship Submission Deadline Date: May 31, 2015

Are you of Greek ancestry? Yes No

In 1999, alumnus Dr. Marie T. Dellas established this scholarship to recognize academic excellence and those who exhibit promise to make significant and meaningful contributions in a substantive way to the academic discipline of their choice. Dr. Dellas wishes to honor her sister, Poppy, through this fund. Poppy Dellas pursued a successful career in accounting and real estate and actively served her community through volunteer work for many different causes and organizations.

Candidates:

- must be a full-time student majoring in Biology, Chemistry, Earth Sciences, Mathematics, Physics, Psychology, Economics, Design, English, Photography or French Language and Literature
- must have a 3.5 cumulative gpa or higher
- must be a continuing or transfer student with junior standing
- those of Greek ancestry will be given preference
- must submit two letters of recommendation in sealed envelopes. One reference from a Buffalo State College faculty or staff member and one should be a personal reference who can discuss your academic status and achievements, personal attributes, potential for success, and how you aspire to make an impact in a substantive area. Transfer students can get their reference from a faculty or staff member at their current institution.
- must attach an original essay describing their goals and how they expect to contribute to their field in a substantive way. The essay should also include relevant and specific examples of situations where they have succeeded in reaching a significant goal in the past. Please include your name and Banner ID on each page of the essay. It should be typed, single spaced, 12 pt. font, no more than 450 words.

The scholarship is renewable for up to two years if a 3.5 GPA is maintained.

Applicant's Certification:

- I give the selection committee permission to review my academic transcript and financial aid application.
- If selected, I understand that I am required to submit a letter of acknowledgment (thank you note) before the scholarship will be disbursed.
- If selected, I further understand that the scholarship will be deposited directly to my student account to be used toward my direct costs.

Signature _____

Date _____

Submit completed application to:
Financial Aid Office · MOOT 230, 1300 Elmwood Ave, Buffalo, NY 14222-1095
finaid@buffalostate.edu · (716) 878-4902 · fax (716) 878-4903