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EUREKA COLLEGE

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Application For Disciples Leadership Program

Review of DLP applications begins January 10.

APPLICATION PROCESS:

- Complete and return the Application for Admission to Eureka College *with all supporting documents* — go to: **www.eureka.edu**.
- Complete and return this Application for the Disciples Leadership Program.

A. PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name _____ Preferred Name _____ ☐ Male ☐ Female
LAST FIRST MIDDLE

Address _____
STREET CITY STATE ZIP

_____ Phone Number ( )_____
COUNTY

Mailing Address *(If different from above)* _____
STREET CITY STATE ZIP

Email Address _____

B. LETTERS OF APPRAISAL

Three signed, printed Letters of Appraisal are required for your application. No family members, please. It is your responsibility to ensure that the letters are received by the Office of Admissions at Eureka College before review begins. Please include: 1.) A minister who is familiar with your faith journey, 2.) an educator familiar with your academic performance and school activities, and 3.) an individual who knows you well. List the names of the individuals and their relationship to you below:

1. _____ Relationship _____
2. _____ Relationship _____
3. _____ Relationship _____

C. THREE ESSAYS

Please respond to all the following prompts. Each essay should be 600-800 words in length.

1. Describe your faith and intellectual journey up to this time in your life.

2. Describe the type(s) of service you see yourself doing/learning, during and after college, and how that relates to your faith.

3. Describe your service activities in your school, community, church and other organizations. Make certain to indicate the extent of your leadership, the ways in which you have made a difference, and how your experiences have shaped your understanding of service, leadership and faith.



Colleges and Churches go hand in hand in the progress of Christian Civilization. The spirit and soul of all reformation is free discussion… It is the present living generation that gives character and spirit to the next… Man never lives for a past generation. He lives for the present and for the future. Colleges, too, are for the present and the coming generations."

— Alexander Campbell, DOC founder, educator

No one shall be denied admission to any College course or program, nor denied housing, employment or promotion, nor the opportunity to study or work at Eureka College because of race, national origin, gender, creed, sexual orientation, age, marital status, or physical handicap.

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SUPPORT FOR DISCIPLES STUDENTS AT EUREKA COLLEGE

Eureka College is committed to a renewed, growing relationship with the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ),

Grants for Members of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ):

($500 each, annual, subject to cap on total aid)

† **Minister Dependent Grant** - Active members who are also dependents of DOC ministers.

† **Leadership Grant** - Active members who are youth leaders in the church beyond the congregational level.

The Disciples Leadership Program

This top-tier, competitive scholarship is awarded to a first-time freshmen based on leadership, academic promise, and the commitment to explore during college a life of faith-based leadership. DLP Fellows receive full tuition plus two on-site mentorships ($6,000 total combined, travel-related expenses) exploring service anywhere in the world. DOC students discerning a call to ordained ministry are encouraged to apply, but all qualified DOC students with exceptional leadership and service will be equally considered. Applicants chosen as DLP Fellows demonstrate the capacity to earn and maintain a college GPA above a 3.0. Fellows may choose any Major course of study, but a Religion/Philosophy Minor is required. On campus residency is required. For a Disciples Leadership Program application contact Chaplain Fowlkes at **bfowlkes@eureka.edu**, or call **888.438.7352**.

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More Disciples aid options - Contact Higher Education and Leadership Ministries at **www.helmdisciples.org**.

A Few of the Many Opportunities for Discipleship at EC:

† **Disciples on Campus**: An active student organization for friendship, spiritual growth and servant-leadership.

† **Service and Mission**: Local, domestic, and international spring break trips and service-learning opportunities.

† **Internships:** Chaplain helps students locate ministry positions.

† **Regional, General, Ecumenical, Interfaith** opportunities.

DISCIPLES OF CHRIST AT EUREKA COLLEGE

For more information contact Chaplain Bruce Fowlkes: **bfowlkes@eureka.edu**, **888.438.7352**.