



Nonprofit Scholarship Application Class of 2021

SUBMISSION DEADLINE MAY 1, 2019

Michigan State University has a long history of service and community engagement. The Executive MBA Nonprofit Scholarship was created to align with that mission. The scholarship provides funding support to individuals who work in the nonprofit sector and are committed to continually serving the sector. The scholarship is a partial tuition award for individuals who have demonstrated success in the nonprofit sector, intend to make an impact on the nonprofit community, and desire to grow personally and professionally.

Required Qualifications for this award. Applicants must:

- Be admitted to the incoming class of the Broad Executive MBA.
- Work full-time in the nonprofit sector.
- Demonstrate a commitment to the nonprofit sector.
- Demonstrate their capacity to achieve educational and professional goals, as well as the initiative to seek opportunities that will further their educational and professional success.
- Not be receiving full financial sponsorship or educational reimbursement from their employer or any other entity.
- Agree to have their Executive MBA application reviewed by the selection committee.

To apply for the scholarship:

- Complete this Application Form in its entirety (including both essays) and send to Sarah Ellis in the Broad Executive MBA Office via e-mail (sellis@broad.msu.edu) or US mail.
- Obtain one (1) Letter of Recommendation, specifically speaking to your collaborative leadership, hardworking excellence, and commitment to the nonprofit segment (this recommendation is different and in addition to those included in your Broad Executive MBA application).
- Letter of Recommendation should be addressed to the Broad Executive MBA Nonprofit Scholarship Committee and sent directly to Sarah Ellis in the Broad Executive MBA Office via e-mail (sellis@broad.msu.edu) or US mail

Award Amounts

The size and number of the scholarship award(s) will be determined annually by the program. For the Class of 2021, two individual scholarships covering 50% of each semester's tuition will be awarded.

Award Policies

A Scholarship Committee will make recommendations for appropriate scholarship recipients. All applicants will receive notification of the committee's decision. Scholarships will be credited each semester to the recipient's MSU tuition account. **Scholarship recipients must remain employed in a nonprofit organization to continue receiving the award.** If the scholarship recipient moves to an organization outside of the nonprofit sector, the scholarship will be suspended for the remainder of student's enrollment in the EMBA program.

Obligations of the Scholarship Recipient

Scholarship recipients are required to confirm acceptance of the scholarship and attendance in the EMBA program via an Acceptance Letter provided by the Executive MBA Program Office. This must be done within 30 days of award notification. If a recipient's situation changes so that he/she is no longer qualified to accept the scholarship, the scholarship support will terminate.

Publicity of the Scholarship

The Executive MBA Program and Michigan State University will publicize the Executive MBA Nonprofit Scholarship in accordance with university and program policies.





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Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Day Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Email _____

Employer/Organization _____ IRS Classification Code _____

Service Focus (e.g. education, human services, etc.) _____

Employer Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Current Title _____ Years of service in the nonprofit sector _____

College(s) attended _____

Date of graduation from college(s) _____

Degree(s) earned _____ Cumulative GPA(s) _____

The Broad College of Business expects the work contained in this application, and all accompanying materials, are completely accurate and exclusively your own. The Broad College of Business reserves the right to use University experts and/or external vendors/software to verify any information contained within your application. Furthermore, the Broad College reserves the right to rescind an offer of scholarship should it discover that any misrepresentation or omissions occurred in the application process or if it learns that you have engaged in behavior that indicates a lack of judgment or integrity.

I agree to allow the selection committee to review my submitted Broad Executive MBA application and accept the conditions of the Scholarship application.

Signature _____ Date _____





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Please limit each essay to 300 words

- 1) Describe the success/impact you have had thus far in the nonprofit segment.



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- 2) What impact in your organization and the nonprofit segment do you hope to make from obtaining your MSU Executive MBA?



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3) What will an Executive MBA from MSU mean for you personally?



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4) How will this scholarship award affect your ability to attend the MSU Executive MBA?



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