

ANDREW VIDAL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

C/o ALPHA IOTA EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION



The Alpha Iota Educational Foundation (AIEF) and the Vidal Family created the Andrew Vidal Memorial Scholarship in memory of Andrew and his love for learning. This scholarship provides financial support to: (1) pledges and initiated members of the Sigma Pi Fraternity at the University of Missouri-Rolla (UMR); and (2) a high school senior or currently enrolled college applicant. Prior to 2007 the scholarship was awarded to only one Sigma Pi - Rolla applicant. Due to the gracious support of friends and family we were able to grow the fund enabling us to contemplate an additional award. In 2007 the scholarship committee chose to expand the scholarship to include another award to candidates of any accredited college or junior college. Beginning in the fall of 2007 two scholarships will be awarded, one for the Sigma Pi members, and another to any eligible college (or high school) student.

Applications may be submitted as early as spring, but are awarded for the fall semester. The deadline for submitting will be July 15th beginning 2008 school year. Scholarship awards can be used toward tuition, lab fees and books at any accredited college.

Scholarship recipients are chosen by a committee commissioned by the AIEF Board of Directors. The selection process is based upon the written applications. The committee places emphasis on applicants that have excellent academic performance, and show a need for assistance in their pursuit of higher education.

INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION

1. To be eligible for the Andrew Vidal Memorial Scholarship, applicants must be enrolled: (1) either as a full time undergraduate student at the University of Missouri-Rolla, and be either a pledge or an initiated member of Sigma Pi Fraternity during the semester; or (2) a High School senior or student currently enrolled in any accredited college AND be able to provide proof of enrollment or schedule of classes.
2. There are many highly qualified applicants for the Andrew Vidal Memorial Scholarship, so it is important that the scholarship application be completed thoroughly and prepared with attention to detail. Please include your essay with your completely filled out application form. It is suggested that the application be typed. Please feel free to contact any of the persons listed below with any questions you have regarding the completion of the application.
3. Please return the scholarship application form by mail to:

Andrew Vidal Memorial Scholarship
#6 Chapel Hill Estates Dr.
St. Louis, MO 63131

**Or by Email to all 3
Email addresses
listed:**

kvidal@vidaleng.com
wakemance@bv.com
swalespj@yahoo.com

4. Applications must be postmarked on or before July 15.
5. All information in this application will be considered confidential by the review committee.
6. It is recommended by the scholarship committee that the applicant send a letter of recommendation from either an officer in the fraternity house (Sigma PI members) or a member of the faculty at their respective school.
7. Fill out a transcript request form, obtainable in the Registrar's office, check the "Send now, do not hold for current grades" box. Order one copy to be sent to the address listed in item 3. It is up to the applicant to determine whether he/she will rely on registrar for transcript delivery. If the registrar will release the transcript (or copy of) to the applicant, it is

acceptable for the applicant to include the transcript with his/her application. Regardless of method of delivery, no application will be considered without a transcript.



ANDREW VIDAL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

All information in the application will be considered confidential. To assure proper receipt and handling, please return the scholarship application form (Items 1 through 5 below), letter of recommendation and transcript to:

Andrew Vidal Memorial Scholarship
#6 Chapel Hill Estates Dr.
St. Louis, MO 63131

kvidal@vidaleng.com
wakemance@bv.com
swalespj@yahoo.com

Name: _____

School Address

Street: _____ Phone Number: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Home Address

Street: _____ Phone Number: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

1. (a) University or College _____

(b) Field of intended study _____

2. Expected Date of Graduation _____

3. Current Overall GPA _____

3. List all academic honors, awards, and scholarships you have received.

5. List any offices, positions, and extracurricular activities in which you have participated.

6. Tell us about yourself. Suggestions include any personal interests, ambitions, and goals, jobs you've held,and don't forget to tell us why you believe you should be awarded the Andrew Vidal Memorial Scholarship.

(Additional pages may be used.)