



South Dakota Speech-Language and Hearing Association Scholarship Program

Winter/Spring of 2017

The South Dakota Speech-Language and Hearing Association annually awards up to \$1,200.00 in scholarships to eligible students for financial academic assistance.

A disbursement of \$500.00 each will be awarded to two undergraduate seniors who are currently enrolled in a Communication Sciences Disorders program at a South Dakota College and/or University. Eligible applicants will be enrolled in graduate school for an advanced degree in either audiology or speech-language pathology starting in the fall of 2017.

A disbursement of \$200.00 will be awarded to a student who is enrolled in a South Dakota speech-language pathology assistant program. Preference will be given to students who are enrolled in their second year of study. In addition, preference will be given to students who to work in South Dakota following graduation.

Specific criteria for application:

- Be pursuing a graduate degree in audiology or speech-language pathology, or speech-language pathology assistant in the fall of 2017.
- Show proof of acceptance to a graduate program accredited by the Council on Academic Accreditation for audiology or speech-language pathology or acceptance to a speech-language pathology assistant program.
- All application materials must be submitted as instructed.
- Completed forms must be sent *as a packet with all required documentation* to SDSLHA Scholarship Committee, attention John Burke, PO Box 308, Sioux Falls, SD 57101, postmarked *by April 14, 2017*.

We applaud your time, interest, hard work, and above all, your continued persistence and determination in pursuing the dream of becoming a audiologist, speech-language pathologist, or speech-language pathology assistant.

Best wishes,

John Burke M.A., CCC-SLP
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APPLICANT INFORMATION			
Last Name	First	M.I.	Date
Street Address		Apartment/Unit #	
City	State	ZIP	
Phone	E-mail Address		
College/University currently attending:			
What college/university will you be attending for your advanced degree?			
Current GPA:			
Current Employer (if any):			
Briefly describe job responsibilities:			

EDUCATION				
High School		Address		
College		Address		
From	To	Did you graduate?	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Degree
Other		Address		
From	To	Did you graduate?	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Degree

ACTIVITIES (SCHOOL, CIVIC, VOLUNTEER)	
<i>Name of activity/organization, years active, offices held, honors, etc.</i>	

DISCLAIMER AND SIGNATURE	
I certify that my answers are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.	
Signature	Date

PLEASE ATTACH A PERSONAL STATEMENT (1 PAGE OR LESS) DESCRIBING WHY YOU CHOSE A CAREER IN SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY OR AUDIOLOGY.

**** Did you remember to include: completed application, personal statement, unofficial transcripts, and 3 letters of recommendation?***