LGBTQ+ Leadership Scholarship
2025-26 Academic Year

Submit completed applications to SFS (Jones 019 or jpotter@pugetsound.edu) by March 31, 2025

The Puget Sound LGBTQ+ Leadership Scholarship Fund was established in 2000 to recognize students who have demonstrated leadership and involvement in the lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender community at the University of Puget Sound (including, but not limited to, participation in Gender and Sexuality Alliance Club, community organizations, and activist groups). The committee welcomes applications from students who self-identify as part of the queer community including (but not limited to) lesbian, gay, bisexual, and trans individuals.

Awards will be made to currently enrolled students in good academic standing who demonstrate involvement in promoting LGBTQ+ student activities and leadership in the promotion of a positive identity for LGBTQ+ students through Puget Sound and the local community. While the exact amount has yet to be determined, in the past we have awarded four scholarships with an average amount of $2,100 per award.

Name:_____ UPS ID:_____

First Last

Major(s): _____ Minor(s): _____

2025-2026 Class Standing: ☐ Sophomore ☐ Junior ☐ Senior Cumulative GPA:_____

1. Please include a résumé or detailed list describing your past and current leadership activities in the promotion of a positive identity for lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender students at Puget Sound and/or in the surrounding community. As well, please list other activities with which you are involved on campus and in the community.

2. In less than two pages, describe what it means to be a leader in the LGBTQ+ community. Please share your experience as a leader in the Queer/LGBTQ+ community and explain how that experience has shaped you.

I understand the selection committee will have access to my academic records. I agree that if I am selected for this scholarship, the university may supply information regarding my academic performance and other information (such as, but not limited to the information submitted with this application) to the scholarship donor or other individuals or groups involved with the administration of this scholarship.

Signature:_____ Date:_____

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