The IUPUI Honors College Scholarship Application offers high-ability incoming freshmen the opportunity to apply for our named scholarships which include the Bepko Scholars and Fellows Program, the Adam W. Herbert Presidential Scholars Program, and the Plater International Scholars Program. Students may apply for these scholarship programs by submitting one application, a high school transcript, the required essay(s), and two letters of recommendation.
The IUPUI Honors College offers high-ability students a dynamic academic experience in an urban research environment, the opportunity to become engaged with world-class faculty, participation in cutting edge translational research, and a community of scholars who will make a difference. IUPUI Honors Scholars are offered excellent opportunities to supplement, integrate, enrich, and provide further depth to their degree programs.

The IUPUI Honors College offers:

- Opportunities for research, study abroad, civic engagement, and leadership development
- Interaction with faculty on the IUPUI campus and contact with world renowned visitors to the IUPUI campus
- Individualized honors advising
- A community where students, faculty, and staff form relationships that will last a lifetime
- A smooth transition to graduate or professional study through advising, application assistance, and faculty mentoring

Admission to the IUPUI Honors College

Incoming freshmen who apply to IUPUI with all required materials by February 1 and meet the following criteria are offered an IUPUI Chancellor’s Scholarship and direct admission to the IUPUI Honors College:

- A cumulative high school GPA of 3.75 (on a 4.0 scale) or better
- A minimum ACT composite score of 27 or SAT score of 1250 or higher (SAT critical reading and math scores combined)
Bepko Scholars and Fellows Program

The Bepko Scholars and Fellows Program is designed for students who demonstrate integrity, dedication, leadership, and a commitment to service. This highly competitive scholarship program provides financial, academic, and programming support to academically motivated and civically engaged students throughout their undergraduate and post-graduate years. Students selected for this scholarship program receive undergraduate tuition (up to the Indiana resident rate), fees, a $2,500 study abroad stipend, and books for four years of study. Bepko Scholars also receive two years of on-campus housing and are required to live in Honors House, located in the Campus Apartments on the Riverwalk, their freshman year. Bepko Scholars who attend IUPUI for graduate or professional study receive $5,000 per year for four years and are named Bepko Fellows.

Bepko Scholars and Fellows Program Essay:

A commitment to service is one of the most important qualities in our Bepko Scholars. In a 1000-word typed essay, discuss the importance and purpose of providing service to others. Describe your involvement with service and what you have learned from those experiences. How do you plan to integrate a commitment to service into your college experience? Describe how a commitment to service will help you accomplish your personal and professional goals at IUPUI.

Adam W. Herbert Presidential Scholars Program

The Indiana University system offers Adam W. Herbert Presidential Scholarships to outstanding Indiana high school seniors with extensive leadership experience. This highly competitive scholarship program is designed to further develop scholars’ leadership abilities by providing excellent academic and co-curricular opportunities. Students selected for this scholarship program receive $12,000 per year for four years of study, a laptop, $2,500 for a study abroad experience, and a $1,500 housing stipend freshman year for on-campus housing. Selection requirements vary by campus, and offers of an Adam W. Herbert Presidential Scholarship on one IU campus do not automatically extend to all campuses of the university.

Adam W. Herbert Presidential Scholars Program Essay:

Leadership is an important characteristic of our Adam W. Herbert Presidential Scholars. In a 1000-word typed essay, discuss the characteristics and skills of a successful 21st century leader. Describe a successful leadership experience you have had, and what traits make you a successful leader. How do you plan to enhance your leadership skills to help you accomplish your personal and professional goals at IUPUI?

Plater International Scholars Program

The Plater International Scholars Program is designed for exceptional incoming freshmen who are committed to combining academic excellence with global citizenship. This highly competitive scholarship program is for students with an interest in international affairs and cross-cultural experiences. Plater International Scholars will be actively involved in international programming, both off and on campus. In close cooperation with the Office of International Affairs, recipients of the Plater International Scholarship will be exposed to high profile international visitors, international seminars, and lectures. Students selected for this scholarship program receive $12,000 per year for four years of study, $2,500 for a study abroad experience, and a $2,500 housing stipend for International House, located in the Campus Apartments on the Riverwalk, for their freshman year.

Plater International Scholars Program Essay:

Plater International Scholars possess a strong interest in international experiences and global awareness. In a 1000-word typed essay, discuss the importance of globalization and cross-cultural competency. How have you improved your global awareness and understanding of different cultures? As a Plater International Scholar at IUPUI, what international experiences would you like to pursue and why?

Please note that these scholarship amounts are inclusive of any admission-based scholarship for which you are eligible.

Students selected to interview as the final step of the application process will be notified by phone and/or e-mail in mid-December, and will be interviewed by IUPUI faculty and staff in early January.

Questions?
Please call the IUPUI Honors College at 317-274-2660, or e-mail honors@iupui.edu.
IUPUI HONORS COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION 2012-2013

PERSONAL INFORMATION (PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT IN INK)

Name: ____________________________

   Last  First  Middle

University ID Number (UID)*: ______________________________

*The UID is assigned by the Office of Undergraduate Admissions. If you have not yet received your UID leave this item blank.

Date of Birth: ____________________ mm/dd/yyyy

Address: __________________________

City  State  Zip/Postal Code

Country (if not U.S.)

Email

Gender:  ☐ Male  ☐ Female

U.S. Citizen or Permanent Resident?  ☐ Yes  ☐ No, citizen of: __________________________

ACADEMIC OBJECTIVES

Year in which you intend to enroll: ____________

Applications for the IUPUI Honors College Scholarships are considered for incoming freshmen for the fall term only.

Intended major: __________________________

Please indicate the scholarship program(s) for which you are applying:

☐ Bepko Scholars and Fellows Program

☐ Adam W. Herbert Presidential Scholars Program

☐ Plater International Scholars Program
ACADEMIC INFORMATION

High School:

Name ___________________________________________ Graduation (mm/yyyy) __________  ❑ Public  ❑ Private  ❑ Home School

City ____________________________________________ State _________________________ GPA _________________________________

Rank: _________ out of _________  ❑ School does not rank  ❑ School uses block scheduling

Senior Year Academic Schedule: (Do not leave this section blank, even if your schedule appears on your transcript.)

Fall  Spring
_____________________________________________________  ______________________________________________
_____________________________________________________  ______________________________________________
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Have you ever enrolled in a college or university?  ❑ Yes  ❑ No
If yes, list the name of the institution(s), date(s) of attendance, and courses taken.
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Testing Information  Note: TOEFL results required of non-native English speakers. Results of the SAT or ACT examinations are required.

SAT: CR ________________   MA ________________   Total (CR + MA): _______________   Date: _________________

CR ________________   MA ________________   Total (CR + MA): _______________   Date: _________________

ACT: Composite: __________   Date: ________________   Composite: ____________________   Date: _________________

Please list the following information regarding any applicable examinations:
Advanced Placement
Subject(s) and Date(s)

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International Baccalaureate
Subject(s) and Date(s)

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
Community Service and Other Co-Curricular Activities: On a separate page, list those organizations with which you have been involved and explain your role within each organization.

SIGNATURE (REQUIRED)
I certify that the information submitted on this application is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge, and I understand that knowingly submitting inaccurate or false information may result in the denial of scholarships.

Signature: ___________________________________________ Date: ______________________
Eligibility

- Applications are accepted only from students who will be entering the university as beginning freshmen (transfer and graduate students are not eligible for consideration). Applicants must intend to begin their studies in the fall semester.
- Scholarship offers are based on a variety of factors: strength of the academic curriculum in high school, standardized test results, grade trends, and qualities as specified in each scholarship program.

Application Check List

Submit the following by November 15 (postmark date).

- Completed application form.
- SAT or ACT results (may be listed on the high school transcript).
- Two letters of recommendation are required:
  - One letter from an education professional familiar with your academic work, such as a teacher or high school guidance counselor.
  - One letter from an individual capable of attesting to your character, motivation, and prospect for success at IUPUI, such as a mentor, coach, student organization advisor, or volunteer/service coordinator.

Recommenders cannot be family members

- High school transcript (a copy of your official high school transcript will be accepted).

- Scholarship essay(s)
  - Provide the required essay(s) in the section titled "IUPUI Honors College Scholarships."

Note: Your essay will be evaluated on its contents, organization, clarity and originality.

Submit your application materials to:
IUPUI Honors College
755 West Michigan Street, UL 0124
Indianapolis, IN 46202-5195

Note: Before an offer of scholarship can be extended, students must be admitted to the university. Visit enroll.iupui.edu for application materials and information.