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North Carolina Agricultural & Technical State University  
MS Human Resources (Rehabilitation Counseling) Scholarship Criteria and Essay  
Requirements

**Sponsored by the U.S. Department of Education  
Rehabilitation Services Administration**

To apply for a scholarship, you must meet the following criteria (**scholarships are open to new and continuing students**):

1. Admitted into the Human Resources (Rehabilitation Counseling) program
2. Not on academic probation
3. Plan to be enrolled as a full-time student (nine hours minimum) throughout your program of study (nine hours minimum)
4. Copy of Unofficial transcript
5. Submit a professional endorsement (e.g., professor or supervisor)
6. Submit a professional letter of reference from the campus or local community
7. Submit the **completed** scholarship application
8. Submit a typed essay responding to the questions identified by the scholarship selected (details are identified on the description of each scholarship)
  - a) 12 point font/ Times New Roman
  - b) 1" margins
  - c) Maximum of 3 pages in length
  - d) Double spacing

**Essay requirements for all scholarships:**

PAGE REQUIREMENTS: MINIMUM OF 2 1/2 PAGES; MAXIMUM OF 3 PAGES

Please respond to the following questions in your essay:

- 1). Why did you apply to the Rehabilitation Counseling Program at NC A&T State University?
- 2). Why are you interested in applying for this particular Scholarship? (specify)
- 3). What ways do you plan to contribute to the field of Rehabilitation, Addictions and/or Vocational Evaluation and Work Adjustment upon graduation?
- 4). Describe your career objectives and interests as it relates to the specific scholarship for which you are applying.
- 5). Have you volunteered for community service directly related to persons with disabilities? If yes, please describe your experience.
- 6.). Why should you be selected to receive this scholarship funding?

Upon successful completion of the MS Human Resources (Rehabilitation Counseling) Program, students can apply to become a Certified Rehabilitation Counselor (CRC), National Certified Counselor (NCC) and a Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC) in North Carolina.

- The tuition and fee payment will be made directly to the Scholar's university account.
- Students who are rotating off current RSA scholarships are invited to apply for a scholarship in which they have not received previous funding. However, priority will be given to first time applicants.

Completed applications should be delivered to 370 of the New Education Building no later than **Wednesday, July 8, 2009 at 5 PM.**