

Sam Houston State University
 A Member of the Texas State University System
College of Humanities and Social Sciences
SPECIAL GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

The Special Graduate Scholarship is a prestigious scholarship from Sam Houston State University – College of Humanities and Social Sciences. It is awarded to selected graduate students who have demonstrated an excellent academic record and community citizenship.

To be considered for the CHSS Special Graduate Scholarship, a Sam Houston State University student must be enrolled, as a full-time, on-campus graduate student during the semester in which the scholarship is applied. Beginning graduate students must have an overall grade point average of at least 3.5 and a combined GRE (V+Q) score of at least 1080. Once enrolled, the student must maintain a 3.7 graduate grade point average to be eligible for the scholarship in the future. Current graduate students must have at least a 3.7 grade point average and a combined GRE (V+Q) score of at least 1080. *Please note that scholarships are not automatically renewed. In addition, new recommendation letters are required for each semester the scholarship applicant applies.*

Routing: First Time Students: Official transcripts are required for incoming students who received their degree from an institution other than SHSU. It is the responsibility of the Graduate Advisor to recommend a student for a First Time Scholarship. Students receiving this scholarship *are not* required to submit letters of recommendation. The recommendation from the Graduate Advisor will suffice. **Returning Students:** Once the application is complete, along with the appropriate materials (transcript(s) and 2 letters of Recommendation), the application will be housed in CHSS until the scholarship is disbursed. Official SHSU transcripts are not required. It is the responsibility of the student to make sure his/her graduate packet is complete.

Deadlines: Fall 2010 = July 10, 2010 Spring 2011 = November 13, 2010

Instructions: Type or print clearly on this form. This application will be complete upon the receipt of: (1) the complete application form, (2) current transcripts and (3) two letters of recommendation.

Name:	Last	First	Middle
Mailing Address (Participation Agreement will be sent to this address. Agreement must be signed before funds can be disbursed).			
Home Telephone No.	Alternate Telephone No.	E-Mail Address:	
GRE Score – V _____ Q _____ = Total _____ G.P.A _____			
Major	SAM ID/SSN		
Semester for which you are applying:			
_____ Fall 20_____	_____ Spring 20_____	_____ Summer 20_____	
Are you a returning Graduate Student to SHSU?			

Mailing Instructions: Letters of Recommendation and all materials pertinent to this scholarship should be mailed or hand delivered directly to Ms. Toni Abshire, College of Humanities and Social Sciences, Box 2509 SHSU, Huntsville, Texas 77341.

Signature of Scholarship Applicant _____

Date of Application _____