WOMEN, GENDER, AND SEXUALITY STUDIES
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
Gertrude Chasens Outstanding Community Leadership

This scholarship is awarded annually to a WGSS major who has demonstrated financial need, exceptional leadership skills, and a commitment to feminist activism and social justice. Open to all continuing WGSS majors who have at least one semester remaining before graduation and a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5. The scholarship award ranges between $500 and $1,000.*

**Application Requirements**

- Have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 and at least one semester remaining before graduation.
- Submit a résumé or list of activities that demonstrate your leadership skills and a commitment to feminist activism and social justice within your various communities (on campus and/or with local, regional, or national organizations).
- Provide a copy of your 2016-17 Financial Aid Award Statement (or a copy of your FAFSA if you have not yet received this).
- Obtain two evaluations from faculty, supervisors and/or mentors using the attached forms. Evaluators should return completed forms directly to the WGSS program.

*Award amount is determined by funds raised during the previous year’s WGSS Annual Quilt Show Silent Auction and donations made to the WGSS Program Scholarship Fund. Scholarship recipients who fulfill the criteria may re-apply in subsequent years but preference will be given to applications from students who have not previously been awarded a WGSS program scholarship.

Applicant’s Name ____________________________________________________________

UID ___________________ Expected Date of Graduation: ______________________

Names of two faculty, supervisors, or mentors who have agreed to fill out evaluation form:

1) ________________________________________________________________

2) ________________________________________________________________

I □ waive / □ do not waive my right to have access to my evaluations.

_________________________________________ ____________________________
Applicant’s Signature Date
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SCHOLARSHIP EVALUATION FORM

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Student’s Name: _______________________________________________________

Evaluator’s Name: ______________________________________________________

How long have you known the applicant and in what capacity?

Please rate the applicant’s skills by checking the appropriate column:

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Please use the space below to provide any observations you’ve been able to make about the applicant’s demonstrated strengths, commitment to social justice, and contributions to their community (on campus and/or with local, regional, or national organizations).

Evaluator’s Signature ____________________________ Date __________