

***Norman Brown Diversity and Leadership Scholars Program
Additional Funding Guidelines***

Funding for Professional Conferences

In accordance with our stated mission the NBDLP has helped to provide financial support to scholars who want to attend professional conferences related to their academic area of study. Given the limited amount of program funding available, requests for this type of supplemental funding will be considered on a case by case basis. In order to qualify to supplemental funding students must do the following things:

- Be in good standing with the scholarship program (see probation guidelines)
- Submit a supplemental funding request form which includes a budget of total costs and student contributions
- Provide a discussion at a future NBDLP event regarding the conference and how it contributed to their education.

Maximum award available per student is \$500.00

Funding for Graduate/ Undergraduate Testing and Preparation

In order to assist scholars with their baccalaureate and post-baccalaureate pursuits the NBDLP has provided support to scholars seeking to take requisite tests for admission to graduate and undergraduate academic programs. In most cases we are able to secure test preparation courses and registration fees through the university resources. When necessary we will pay for the services from an outside entity. Each request is taken on a case by case basis and requires the following:

- Student must be in good standing with the scholarship program (see probation guidelines)
- Submit a supplemental funding request form which includes a budget of total costs and a copy of the student's academic transcript
- Provide proof the test is required to admission to either a graduate or undergraduate academic program

Maximum award available per student is \$500.00

Additional Funding Beyond 8th Semester

All NBDLP scholars receive eight semesters of funding. If a scholar needs funding beyond the eighth semester to complete their degree, the committee will determine whether or not to grant the funding. Students who fall into this category must adhere to the following guidelines:

- Students must be in good standing with the scholarship program (see probation guidelines)
- Requests must be made in writing prior to the end of the student's eighth semester
- All requests must include a semester breakdown of all required courses and an explanation as to why degree program was not completed in four years.

Please note that this is dependent upon funding being available at the time of request.