

Scholarships & Awards Application: Academic Year 2016 - 2017

Department of Philosophy

Brooklyn College

Students interested in applying for Philosophy Department scholarships and/or awards (see attached list of available scholarships/awards) should complete the form below and submit it to:

Office Administrator, Department of Philosophy, 3308 Boylan Hall

*******Submission Deadline: March 15, 2017*******

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Are you a philosophy major: ☐ Yes ☐ No

If you are a philosophy major, are you also a double major? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, what is your other major? _____

If you are not a philosophy major, what is your major(s)?

Number of Philosophy Credits Completed: _____

Total number of credits completed in general: _____

Expected graduation date (mm-yyyy): _____

List which scholarships and/or awards you would like to be considered for:

Briefly explain your interest in philosophy. Use the back of this sheet if you need additional space.

Office use only: Received by: _____

Date: _____

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List of Scholarships and Awards: Academic Year 2016-2017

Scholarship / Award Name	Description
Philosophy Scholarship	Awarded to academically outstanding students in Philosophy.
John Pickett Turner Philosophy Award	Awarded to a graduating senior, who is a philosophy major and whose work in philosophy is outstanding. This award is given by the Philosophy Department in honor of John Pickett Turner, the Department's first chairperson.
Mildred Sheehan Philosophy Scholarship	Awarded to an outstanding philosophy major who is completing the junior year. This award is given by the Philosophy Department in memory of our beloved secretary and friend, Mildred Sheehan.
Eric Steinberg Philosophy Award	Awarded to a philosophy major for a record of excellence in philosophy and an overall average of 3.5 or higher in all courses taken.
Beth J. Singer Scholarship for Excellence in Philosophy	Awarded to an outstanding philosophy major, who has completed at least 45 credits toward a bachelor's degree. This award is given by the Philosophy Department in honor of Beth J. Singer, professor emerita, who served as a chairperson of the Philosophy Department.
Paul Taylor Philosophy Scholarship	Awarded to a philosophy major of outstanding promise who has completed at least two philosophy electives. This award is given by the Philosophy Department in honor of Paul Taylor, professor in the Department from 1950 to 1990.
Howard W. Hintz Philosophy Essay Prize	A prize to be awarded to an undergraduate – not necessarily a philosophy major – who has written the best philosophy essay under conditions established by the Philosophy Department. This award is given by the Department in memory of Howard W. Hintz, a Philosophy Department chairperson.
Emily Michael Award	Awarded to a female philosophy major who shows outstanding promise in the field.

Scholarship / Award Name	Description
Franklin J. Matchette Philosophy Award	Awarded to a student in the Honors Program in Philosophy who, in the judgement of the Philosophy Department, shows outstanding promise in the field of philosophy. This award is a benefaction of the Franklin J. Matchette Foundation.
Candace J. Groudine Human Rights Award	Awarded to a philosophy major in recognition of a noteworthy contribution to the area of human rights. A contribution that can provide evidence for suitability of receipt of an award includes, but is not limited to, the following: a paper, a creative or significant research project, an internship, an organizing role in relation to a conference or other event, relevant assistance provided to certain individuals or groups. The area of human rights includes, but is not limited to, the following: civil rights; women's rights; equal rights for the lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender community (LGBT); children's rights; rights of persons with disabilities, and nondiscrimination with respect to age.
Philosophy Merit Award	An award of a philosophy book to a meritorious philosophy major – not yet a senior – who has completed a minimum of two courses in philosophy, at least one of which is an advanced course.
Stanley Malinovich Memorial Award for Excellence in Philosophy	Awarded to students who are majoring in philosophy and are in good academic standing with a grade point average of 3.0 or better.
Kitty and Lou Newman Memorial Scholarship in Philosophy	Awarded to students majoring in philosophy who are in good academic standing.

****Please Note: All of the above scholarships are payable towards tuition****

****Please Note: Scholarships and awards are given annually at the Department's discretion****

****If you have any further questions regarding our scholarships and awards, please contact the Philosophy Department, 3308 Boylan Hall, 718.951.5311****