

## Marshall Scholarship

Marshall Scholarships finance young Americans of high ability to study for a degree in the United Kingdom. Up to fifty Scholars are selected each year to study at graduate level at an UK institution in any field of study.

The Marshall Scholarship application requires a TCU endorsement.

Many applicants apply 1 - 2 years after graduation.

### Award Details / Eligibility

- Full-funding (tuition, living expenses, and other costs) for a postgrad degree at any UK university
- US citizen, undergrad degree from a US university
- Minimum 3.7 GPA
- Highly competitive: 50 awards

### Build a Strong Application

#### Outstanding scholarly achievements



Maintain a GPA of 3.7 or higher  
Seek research experience, publications, and awards throughout your academic career.

#### Leadership



Seek leadership roles in activities, community service initiatives, or professional organizations  
Demonstrate your ability to inspire and mobilize others to address challenges.

#### Ambassadorial Potential



Develop knowledge of US/UK relations  
Engage in activities  
Foster interpersonal skills, concern for others,

#### Review bios of current and former scholars



Develop ideas and inspiration  
Consider how to be competitive  
Often "good at many things, and exceptional at one"

### Application Components

- Personal Statement
- Post-scholarship plan
- Proposed academic program essay
- Leadership essay
- Ambassadorial potential essays
- 3 letters of recommendation
- Transcript

### How to Prepare

#### Throughout your time at TCU

- Take rigorous coursework & maintain a high GPA
- Pursue research & intellectual interests
- Seek out leadership opportunities and engage in impactful service
- Build relations with professors and mentors
- Participate in activities connected to your global issue passion
- Apply for awards, fellowships, and special opportunities connected to your academic & service interests
- Contact UK faculty to explore academic connections

#### Post-graduation

- Apply for fellowships, grants, and leadership development

**Alumni can apply and TCU Nationally Competitive Scholarships is here to help!**

#### Application Timeline

- **April 1:** Complete interest form
- **September 1:** Submit materials to TCU for endorsement letter
- **Early October:** Submit final application to Marshall

