

Walter Stark Scholar Award

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Application

Deadline to apply is March 1

Walter Stark was an accomplished attorney who had a distinguished career with the federal government, at the Departments of Defense and Housing and Urban Development, and later in the private sector, at companies including Emerson Electric, ESCO Electronics, and Hazeltine. His primary connection to the University of Delaware was through his son, Leonard P. Stark, a 1991 UD alumnus. Len was the University's first Rhodes Scholar in 30 years and is currently a United States District Judge for the District of Delaware, having been appointed by President Obama in 2010. Among Walter Stark's generous contributions to UD was the establishment, with his wife Linda Lewin Stark, of the *Lewis Lewin Stark Memorial Scholarship*, in memory of his and Linda's parents. In 2003, when Walter Stark passed away at age 59, friends and associates of his created the *Walter Stark Scholar Award* in his memory.

The award is presented annually to a University of Delaware freshman or sophomore in any major, including University Studies, who meets the following criteria: 1) Delaware resident; 2) first in his or her immediate family to attend a four-year college or university 3) has demonstrated financial need; and 4) is in good academic standing by current University policy (not on probation). Selection will be made via the application below in consultation with a committee comprised of donors to the fund.

PLEASE PRINT/TYPE

Date: _____

Student ID: _____ Are you a DE resident? _____ Years living in DE: _____

Full Name: _____

Major(s): _____ Minor(s): _____

Classification (FR, SO) _____ Year of Expected Graduation: _____

Are you the first person in your immediate family to attend college? Yes No

Why did you choose to attend the University of Delaware?

What are your aspirations once you graduate?

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What does receiving a college education mean to you?

How will receiving the Stark Scholar Award help you with your educational experience?

Signature: _____

By signing this form, you are attesting to its accuracy and validity.

PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF YOUR UD TRANSCRIPT TO THIS APPLICATION. By submitting this transcript, you are giving your permission for it to be reviewed by members of the committee. Incomplete applications will not be reviewed.

DEADLINE: March 1, 2013

RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATION to:

Karen Aniunas

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University of Delaware

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Newark, DE 19716

Electronic submissions can be sent to **kra@udel.edu**.

For further information, please call 302-831-3268 or send email to kra@udel.edu.

Once selection is made, award recipients will be notified by the Office of Development and Alumni Relations.