

The Professor Irving Katz Residence Hall Student Scholarship

Professor of History Irving Katz held IU residence hall students in a special place in his heart. This lifelong New Yorker who had never lived in a residence hall discovered that his perpetual dedication to teaching and learning could be multiplied by mentoring residence hall students. His thirty-seven years of experience included membership on the task force that created the Briscoe Fitness and Wellness Center, membership on a wide range of residence hall councils and advisory boards and charter membership in the Forest Friends (the precursor of Residential Fellows).

Of all his forms of service, that as a Residential Fellow was his true and unending passion. Whether it was by talking with students for hours in the dining rooms and discussing their knowledge of history or current events, explaining the etymology of their names, or giving opera previews and then taking hundreds of students to dress rehearsals, Irving never tired of sharing his lifelong love of learning and culture with undergraduate students. It is to honor the great gifts that Irving gave residence hall students that this scholarship is created.

By honoring a student who exemplifies Irving's commitment to merging the academic and residential lives of undergraduate students, it is the intention of the creators of this scholarship to perpetually honor Irving Katz.

The Professor Irving Katz Residence Hall Student Scholarship award in 2014 will be \$1000.00 and the creators of the scholarship intend to increase the award for future years.

The successful award winner must:

- Be a current undergraduate residence hall student
- Re-contract for residency in the succeeding year
- Maintain a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or better.

Priority will be given to applicants who demonstrate residence hall service that encourages fellow students to explore the academic and cultural opportunities of Indiana University.

Additional consideration will be given to those applicants who:

- Demonstrate financial need
- Are majoring in either History and/or Jewish Studies.

Scholarship applications are due in PDF format by Friday, February 21, 2014 to rpssps@indiana.edu. Please provide thorough answers to allow the committee to fairly consider your application.

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Application for Award
Please type all responses.

Date of Application _____

Personal Information

Name _____

Student ID Number _____

Current Address _____

Next Year Address _____

Phone _____

IU email address _____

Academic Information

Class Standing _____

Anticipated Graduation Date _____

GPA _____

Major or Field of Study _____

Any Minors, Concentrations, or Special Areas of Study _____

Academic Honors you have received _____

Career Objectives (Include plans for Graduate School, Extended Travel, etc.)

Student Involvement Information (Include Current Semester)

List your student involvement activities/positions and the period for which you held them.

Position (beginning with most recent)

Dates of Service

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

6. _____
7. _____
8. _____
9. _____
10. _____

Indicate some of your reasons for becoming involved on campus and how it will benefit you in the future.

Give us an example of something you learned through one of your leadership experiences.

Indicate what you feel are the benefits of living on campus.

Please tell us how this award will assist you in achieving your academic goals.

How have you embodied the tenants of this scholarship?

Certification: I certify that the foregoing information is accurate.

Grade and Transcript Release:

I hereby consent to the release of all academic and educational records to the selection committee, for the purpose of allowing the committee to use and review those records in connection with its consideration of my application for a scholarship.

Printed Name

Signature _____ Date _____