



**Omega Psi Phi Fraternity Incorporated
Pi Xi Chapter**

“Dr. Davidson L. Hepburn Scholarship”

Knowing the importance of the intellectual in all matters pertaining to the advancement of humankind, Omega Psi Phi has made scholarship the foremost of the fraternity’s four cardinal principles.

Scholarship is no side issue. It is an integral and deep-rooted tradition of the organization. Every member, chapter, and district of the fraternity is dedicated to scholarship.

The purpose of founding and awarding the “Dr. Davidson L. Hepburn Scholarship” is to commemorate the life and work of one of the charter members Pi Xi Chapter of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Incorporated and a stalwart Bahamian pioneer, Dr. Davidson L. Hepburn.

Our aim through implementing the “Dr. Davidson L. Hepburn Scholarship” is to give national recognition and stimulation to the scholarship needs of the nation through the following goals:

1. To induce an increased awareness of the supreme importance of the intellectual.
2. To stimulate greater socially responsible activity at the local and national level.
3. To stimulate greater activity with regard to scholarship aid awarded by our chapter.
4. To work toward stimulation of scholarly aims among the men of our nation.

Eligibility Requirements:

The scholarship is designated for a Bahamian undergraduate student at the College/University of The Bahamas or an internationally-accredited college/university who meets the eligibility requirements.

Eligibility for this scholarship consists of a broad criterion. These criteria consist of (but are not limited to): grade point average, major, proven community service, campus involvement, extracurricular activities, and financial need.

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2024-2025 Scholarship Criteria

- Cumulative GPA for current higher education work of 3.0, or better on a 4.0 scale
- Enrolled full-time in an undergraduate degree program
- Applicant must plan to pursue or be pursuing a professional degree
- Provide official academic transcripts
- Provide 3 letters of recommendation from the dean/assistant, dean or faculty members
- Provide a current resume/Curriculum Vitae
- Provide a **color passport photo** for inclusion on the web site, the Scholarship/Banquet Program and other publicity items
- Provide a completed application form

Applicants must be in good financial standing with their College/University. The Scholarship Committee of Pi Xi Chapter of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity Incorporated evaluates each nominee’s application and selects a Dr. Davidson L. Hepburn Scholar. Amount: The 2024-2025 Scholarship award amount is \$2000. The funds are paid by the Chapter to the scholar upon certification of attendance at the beginning of the next academic term.

Deadline: Applications must be postmarked or hand-delivered by September 15th 2024

Please forward all COMPLETED applications to:
Pi Xi Chapter
Attn: Dr. Davidson L. Hepburn Scholarship
P.O. Box N10369
Nassau, NP, Bahamas
Email: scholarship@pixichapter.com
Phone: 242.356.0159 (Bro. Vaughn Culmer)

In not more than 500 words, please describe below how your interests and achievements, including academic and extra-curricular, demonstrate a capacity for leadership, commitment to using your knowledge to serve your community and to applying your talents to improve the lives of others. Please also explain how your proposed studies will help you with the aims of your future career.

I understand that my application will be considered for the Dr. Davidson L. Hepburn Scholarship for which I am eligible, and that I have answered as fully and truthfully as possible the questions contained in this application form. I also undertake to keep Pi Xi Chapter of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity Incorporated informed of material changes in this information.

Signature

Printed Name

Date