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International Student and Scholar Services

The ISSS Office oversees the following four scholarship programs for international students each February:

Scholarship Name	Who Is Eligible?	Minimum GPA	Other Criteria	Special Considerations	Amount
Pushpamala Deosthale International Programs Scholarship	Currently enrolled full-time, degree-seeking international students with junior or senior standing	3.0	Evidence of demonstrated leadership in academic or extracurricular activities that promote cultural diversity and an international perspective	Must provide Statement of Financial Need, essay, and two recommendation letters.	Varies (generally one $1,000 or two $500 awards)
Spain Hickman Estess International Scholarship (Awarded by Rotary District 6860)	degree-seeking undergraduate international student with junior or senior standing	3.5	outstanding academic achievement, leadership skills, and involvement in extracurricular activities		$1,750 (subject to availability of funding through Rotary District 6860)
Caroline and Charles W. Ireland International Student Scholarship	currently-enrolled, degree-seeking international undergraduate, graduate, or post-graduate student pursuing research and/or coursework	3.0 UAB GPA; transfer students must have both a UAB and transfer grade point average of 3.0		Must provide Statement of Financial Need and two recommendation letters.	$2,000 (three available)

Joseph F. Volker International Scholarship	full-time, degree-seeking international student	3.0	Demonstrated leadership ability, involvement in extracurricular activities, and financial need		Varies

The UAB National Alumni Society oversees the following two scholarships exclusively for international students. You can apply on their website.

UAB National Alumni Society Dr. Charles A. McCallum International Scholarship	International students who are citizens of Taiwan or Thailand	3.5	Academic achievement, campus and community involvement, and financial need	Essay and interview required.	one-time award of $1,000 per academic year (can reapply each year)
UAB National Alumni Society Mobola Kukoyi, M.D. Scholar Award	All international students	3.0	Leadership qualities and community service	Must attend UAB through the fall semester after being selected; “brief statement” required	one-time award of $500