

PLC SCHOLARSHIPS

The Presidents Leadership Class currently administers nine scholarships to continuing PLC scholars. Scholars can either apply to or be matched to scholarships. Below are the descriptions of each scholarship and explanation of how to qualify or apply to each one. To learn more about each scholarship and donors, please visit the **'Donor Gallery'** on the PLC website.

'APPLY TO' SCHOLARSHIPS

Michael Hoelscher Memorial Scholarship - one-year, non-renewable award of \$2,000.

Two awards are given each year to rising juniors or seniors who hold a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher, are in good standing with the PLC program, and share the following qualities of PLC alumnus Michael Lee Hoelscher (1969-1997):

- Commitment to academic excellence
- Commitment and engagement in extracurricular activities
- A constant quest for learning
- A demonstrable concern for people
- Diversity of experience at the university and in extracurricular activities
- Goal-oriented with a dedication to achievement
- Financial need (considered but not required)

Annabelle K. Lutz Voss Scholarship - one-year, non-renewable award of \$2,500.

Two awards are given each year to rising juniors or seniors who exemplify the values of PLC; courage, wisdom, connection, and opportunity both within the program and throughout the greater University of Colorado community. PLC students must have a 3.0 GPA or higher and in good standing with the program.

Leo Hill Student Leadership Scholarship - one-year, non-renewable award of \$2,000.

Four awards are given each year to rising juniors or seniors who maintain a 4.0 GPA (or 3.95 or higher), while not just fulfilling the engagement and service requirements of PLC but go above and beyond in their participation to the program. PLC students must be in good standing with the program.

PLC Enrichment Grant - one-year, non-renewable award, maximum \$1,500

Every PLC student may apply for a PLC Enrichment Grant of up to \$1,500, twice, during their time in the PLC program. The application timeline is standard (Dec. 1 - March 15), and the application is on the PLC website instead of the university scholarship portal. The grant application is a professional growth process that involves advising, iteration, and multiple submission opportunities.

'MATCH TO' SCHOLARSHIPS

PNC Denver Foundation PLC Scholarship - four-year, renewable award of \$4,000 = total of \$16,000

Each year three Colorado resident students are matched from the pool of the PLC committed, incoming freshmen. Need-based criteria is determined by the University of Colorado Boulder and verified by the Denver Foundation. All recipients must be Colorado residents and members of PLC for continued eligibility. PLC students must be in good standing with the program and maintain a 3.0 GPA or higher.

Cator-Gallagher Scholarship - three-year, renewable award of \$3,000 = total of \$9,000

Each year a rising sophomore is matched to the qualifying criteria set forth in the donor fund agreement: students who originate from ranching or otherwise rural communities. All matched students must maintain a 3.0 GPA or higher and remain in good standing with the program to remain eligible for renewal.

Michael J. & Lucille L. Pesce Scholarship - three-year, renewable award of \$1,500 = total of \$4,500

Each year a rising sophomore is matched to the qualifying criteria set forth in the donor fund agreement: students majoring in the physical sciences. Other criteria is determined by the Director of the Presidents Leadership Class. All matched students must maintain a 3.0 GPA or higher and remain in good standing with the program to remain eligible for renewal.

Kercheval Family Scholarship - three-year, renewable award of \$1,000 = total of \$3,000

Each year a rising sophomore is matched to the qualifying criteria set forth in the donor fund agreement: students majoring in either Leeds School of Business or the School of Engineering and Applied Sciences, and exhibits significant financial need. Other criteria is determined by the Director of the Presidents Leadership Class. All matched students must maintain a 3.0 GPA or higher and remain in good standing with the program to remain eligible for renewal.

Estrada-Mahlberg Scholarship - three-year, renewable award of \$1,000 = total of \$3,000

Each year a rising sophomore is matched to the qualifying criteria set forth in the donor fund agreement: students majoring in the Leeds School of Business, originates from a northern Colorado county, and exhibits significant financial need. Other criteria is determined by the Director of the Presidents Leadership Class. All matched students must maintain a 3.0 GPA or higher and remain in good standing with the program to remain eligible for renewal.