

Sullivan Scholarship Application

The Sullivan Scholarship is offered to incoming first-year students of Brenau University. This scholarship is highly competitive, and awards \$10,000 each academic year the student is enrolled at Brenau for a maximum of four years. The total award is \$40,000 to offset the cost of tuition and fees. Students applying for this prestigious award will have had previous experience in community service or social innovation and have an interest in continuing those efforts while at Brenau. Sullivan Scholars will commit to pursuing impactful change in social programming and community involvement with close faculty mentorship throughout their undergraduate program. A requirement of the scholarship is that the student participate in Sullivan Foundation events such as Ignite Retreats (https://sullivanfdn.org/events/) during their freshman and sophomore years. An inability to participate may result in termination of the scholarship. These gatherings bring together Sullivan Scholars from throughout the Southeast to discuss how they can best impact their communities and ignite positive social change.

To apply, please complete the form below and provide:

- A personal resume including education, employment, and extra-curricular experience
- A short essay of no more than 1500 words demonstrating a reflection on your personal contribution to making a positive impact in your community. This should include the role this contribution has had in your personal development and continuing commitment to service.
- Two letters of recommendation from non-family members with emphasis on the applicant's personal character, as well as commitment to and experience with service-related activities.

Please submit all required documents together via email or USPS to:

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Application deadline: May 1 For more information on the Sullivan Foundation programming, please visit <u>https://sullivanfdn.org/</u> <u>Applicant Information:</u>

Name:

High School GPA:

Service related clubs or organizations:

Service related events or programs participated in:

Potential topics of interest for future service:

