

**The New York Education Society 2019 Application**

*Founded in 1864*

New York Annual Conference of The United Methodist Church

FOR MEMBERS OF UNITED METHODIST CHURCHES and CAMPUS MINISTRIES IN THE NY  
CONFERENCE (Deadline for NYES scholarships is **April 15, 2019**)

Please type your application – handwritten applications will not be considered. Submit your application, your essay, your current transcript, and your letter of recommendation in a **single** envelope OR in a **single** file attached to an e-mail. (*Your ability to follow these clear instructions will impact potential funding!*)

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Current High School or College: \_\_\_\_\_

College or University you will be attending in the fall of 2019: \_\_\_\_\_

Degree: \_\_\_\_\_ Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Your Local Church: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Your Local Pastor: \_\_\_\_\_

Local Pastor's e-mail address and phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Your Campus Minister: \_\_\_\_\_  
(if you are already a student at a college or university)

Campus Minister's e-mail and phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list other scholarship help received OR applied for (for example, the United Methodist Church, the City Society, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

Have you previously received an NYES Scholarship? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
YOUR SIGNATURE

(Please see page 2 for required supporting materials)

## The New York Education Society Supporting Materials

**1. Please submit a current academic year transcript from your college or high school. This can be an unofficial transcript or an official transcript.**

**2. Please submit an essay of 500-750 words to help the committee know more about you, your educational and career goals, and your faith journey. You do not have to answer all of the questions below, but consider using them as a guide to help you in crafting your essay.**

- Briefly describe your academic interests and career goals.
- Where do you see yourself in 5 years? In 10 years?
- Tell us how your academic interests and your goals have been influenced by your faith and your participation in the United Methodist Church.
- Describe your current involvement in your campus ministry or local UM church.
- Tell us about your financial need and why you are seeking scholarship help from the NY Education Society.

\*Please keep in mind, criteria for awarding scholarships include: career goals (preference given to helping professions), past work with the United Methodist church and New York Annual Conference, current involvement in campus ministry or a local church while at school, academic achievement, and financial need.

**3. Please submit one letter of recommendation from either your local pastor or your campus minister. \*\*Please note:** If you are the son/daughter of a pastor, please **do not** have your parent write your letter of recommendation. Please ask your lay leader, someone from the Church Council, your youth leader, or another church leader.

### Submission instructions:

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Please return completed application to: **Rev. Sandra B. Mantz The UMC of Waterbury 250 Country Club Road , Waterbury , CT 06708** You will receive notification by June 4, 2019 NYES Scholarship recipients will be invited to the New York Annual Conference in June to receive recognition of their achievements. If you have questions, please contact Rev. Sandra B. Mantz at [sandra.mantz@nyac-umc.com](mailto:sandra.mantz@nyac-umc.com)

Thank you for your interest in the NYES. In order to apply for scholarships offered by the General Board of Higher Education & Ministry, please see their website for details: [www.gbhem.org](http://www.gbhem.org).