DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK

I. SCHOLARSHIP AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AWARD PROGRAMS

A. Edward and Maureen Dobrow Social Work Scholarship

Ball State University Foundation
Fund #8052

Donors: This scholarship fund was created by Ed and Maureen Dobrow of Muncie, Indiana. Ed Dobrow is the owner and President of Dobrow Industries, Inc. It is with gratitude that the Department of Social Work provides this resource to social work students.

B. Criteria For Awards:

1. Students must be enrolled as full-time social work majors during the semester in which the award funds are applied.

2. Preference will be given to non-traditional students.

3. Preference will be given to students demonstrating financial need; however, other qualified students will also be eligible for the award.

4. The student must have a minimum grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.

5. Students must display a professional commitment to the field of social work through community volunteer and/or work experiences.

6. Award may be renewed if eligibility remains.

C. Selection: Award recipients will be chosen on the recommendation of the Scholarship Committee of the Department of Social Work.

D. Publicity: Publicity concerning award recipients is the responsibility of the Department of Social Work in cooperation with the Office of University Relations.

E. Notice: Notice of recipient(s) is to be sent annually to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dobrow, c/o Dobrow Industries, P.O. Box 2188, Muncie, Indiana 47307.
II.  W.K. AND L.M. REHFELD
SCHOLARSHIP AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FUND

Ball State University Foundation
Account # 8051

A. Donors: In 1966, W. Karl Rehfeld and his wife, Lea, moved to Muncie to begin a social
work program at Ball State University. In the ten years that followed, the program
emerged from a few courses to a full department with a curriculum accredited by the
Council on Social Work Education in 1974. In keeping with their dedication to
helping students in the social work major at Ball State University, the Rehfelds
provided a financial gift to the Ball State Foundation in 1981. The purpose of this
financial gift was to provide financial assistance for social work majors. It is with
gratitude that the Department provides this resource to our majors.

B. Criteria For Awards:

1. Scholarship
2. Financial need
3. Service to the profession of Social Work
4. Minimum grade point average of 2.5 for financial assistance
5. Minimum grade point average of 3.0 for scholarship
6. Students must be enrolled as full-time social work majors during the semester in which
the award funds are applied.
7. Award may be renewed if eligibility remains

C. Selection: Award recipients will be chosen on the recommendation of the Scholarship
Committee of the Department of Social Work.

D. Publicity: Publicity concerning award recipients is the responsibility of the Department of
Social Work in cooperation with the Office of University Relations.

E. Notice: Notice of recipient(s) is to be sent to the Office of University Relations.
III. HARRY J. AND DELPHA S. MACY SCHOLARSHIP

Ball State University Foundation
Account # 8053

A. Donors: In 2004, Dr. Harry J. Macy retired after serving as the Chairperson of the Social Work Department for 27 years. Under his leadership, Ball State University became nationally known as offering a premier accredited baccalaureate social work degree.

Ms. Delpha S. Macy retired from the social work profession in 2003. She was the founder and director of the family preservation program offered by a comprehensive mental health center serving three East Central Indiana bounties.

Prior to earning their MSW degrees at Indiana University and beginning their professional social work careers in 1967, Dr. and Ms. Macy served 2 years as U.S. Peace Corps teachers in Tabora, Tanzania.

Together, Dr. and Ms. Macy provided a combined total of 75 years of social work practice, public education and professional service during their careers.

The Macy Scholarship program recognizes their life-long commitment to excellence in professional social work practice. The Macy Scholarship program was created to help the Department continue to provide high quality education to exceptionally well-qualified social work students. First awarded in 2008 and to continue in perpetuity, students receive academic, merit-based financial assistance from this scholarship program.

B. Criteria For Awards:

1. Students must be enrolled as full-time, senior-level social work majors during the semester in which the award funds are applied.

2. Have a commitment to advancing the social work profession

3. Be dedicated to promoting social and economic justice and demonstrate energy, perseverance, and courage in addressing social problems

4. Have a life-long commitment to voluntary service to others

5. Have a history of scholarship and academic excellence

6. Demonstrate vision and a potential for leadership in strengthening health and human service

C. Selection: Award recipients will be chosen on the recommendation of the Scholarship Committee of the Department of Social Work.

D. Publicity: Publicity concerning award recipients is the responsibility of the Department of Social Work in cooperation with the Office of University Relations.

E. Notice: Notice of recipient(s) is to be sent to the Office of University Relations.
DIRECTIONS FOR COMPLETING APPLICATION

Edward and Maureen Dobrow Social Work Scholarship

W. K. and L. M. Rehfeld Scholarship and Financial Assistance Fund

Harry J. and Delpha S. Macy Scholarship

Please read the administrative procedures and application directions carefully and follow the outlined steps:

A. Administrative Procedures:


2. Based on applications received on March 14, awards will be granted by May 15 of that calendar year, and may be used for Summer Terms and the Autumn and/or Spring Semester/s of the next academic year.

3. Awards are only for the academic terms defined above. New applications must be submitted each year. (No awards are made in subsequent years without new applications being submitted.) Applicants are advised to keep, for future reference, copies of their applications.

B. Steps For Completing The Applications

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<td>Complete this application and return to the Department of Social Work, North Quad Building, NQ 243, Ball State University, Muncie, IN 47306.</td>
<td>March 14, 2019</td>
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<td>2)</td>
<td>Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). This is required for a financial assistance grant and optional for the scholarship grant. For additional information and to find the FAFSA website, click on the Ball State Office of Financial Aid website at <a href="https://cms.bsu.edu/admissions/financial-aid-and-scholarships">https://cms.bsu.edu/admissions/financial-aid-and-scholarships</a>(Note: In your FAFSA and other documentation, you will need to provide Ball State's federal code, 001786.)</td>
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<td>Attach to the Application a reference from someone other than a Social Work faculty member. Such persons could include past or present employers, volunteer coordinator, or University faculty member. The reference must be attached to the Application.</td>
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<td>Please TYPE (using Word) all responses. References also must be typed or word processed. Applications that are not typed will not be evaluated/processed.</td>
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For further clarification, please contact:
Ann Brown, Chairperson
Edward and Maureen Dobrow Social Work Scholarship
Rehfeld Student Fund
Harry J. and Delpha S. Macy Scholarship
North Quad 243, 285-1016
DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK
SCHOLARSHIP AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AWARD PROGRAMS

Application Form

A. APPLYING FOR:

Rehfeld ________(Please check criteria)
Dobrow ________(Please check criteria)
Macy ________(Please check criteria)

B. PERSONAL DATA:

Name ___________________________________________ Date ____________________________

Class Standing (Sr., Jr., etc.):___________ Birth Date ___/___/___

Ball State ID # _____________________________

E-Mail Address ____________________________________________

Permanent Address ____________________________________________

Street Address ____________________________________________

City State Zip Code

___________ ________

Area Code Telephone Number

Current Address (while attending BSU) Street Address

City State Zip Code

___________ ________

Area Code Telephone Number

C. EXTRACURRICULAR AND/OR ACTIVITY IN COLLEGE OR COMMUNITY:

Please list all extracurricular and/or civic activity which may be relevant for a Social Work major. Include offices and leadership roles held.
D. PROFESSIONAL COMMITMENT:

1. List and describe your volunteer experience in Social Work. State the number of hours you volunteered per week and the length of the experience (e.g., twice a week for six months) for every volunteer experience you list. If you received either the Dobrow or Rehfeld Award the previous year, please update the history of your volunteer experiences.

2. List and describe your work experience in Social Work.
3. a. Briefly describe the social problem(s) which concerns you and what the social work profession has to offer in solving these concerns.

b. What qualities, skills, or personal qualities do you have that would contribute to the solution of this problem? (Use additional sheets of paper, if necessary.)

c. Reasons for entering the social work profession and what you intend to do with your degree in social work. Please be specific.

If you received a Dobrow or Rehfeld funded award last year, you described a pressing social problem that concerns you. Explain how the classes you have taken this calendar year (or seminars you have attended) have added to your perception of that problem and knowledge pertaining to the solution of that problem. (It is not necessary to write an essay on the problem again. Only a brief update is required.)
4. How do you plan to finance your college education during the next academic year?
DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK
FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AND SCHOLARSHIP REFERENCE FORM

The Department of Social Work offers scholarships and financial assistance awards to qualified students. As a reference for this student, please comment about the applicant's scholarship, character and professional promise and any other qualities which distinguish her/him from classmates or co-workers. We are requesting that your comments be typed (or word processed). Please return this form to the student for whom you are writing this reference. Thank you.

Name ________________________________  Date ______________________

Signature ________________________________  Title ______________________

Ball State Students:
I give the Department of Social Work permission to request a copy of my transcript from the Registrar's Office for Departmental use.

Name __________________________

Student ID Number __________________________

Date __________________________