

Financial Aid

Merit Scholarships

Albertus Magnus College annually awards merit scholarships to both first-time first-year students and transfer students. The Office of Admission selects all award recipients and requires a completed admission.

All eligible students must enroll at Albertus Magnus College full time and attend a regionally accredited high school or postsecondary institution. All scholarships are renewable, provided the student maintains the minimum cumulative grade point average (G.P.A.) required of the scholarship that has been offered; additionally, the student must maintain a full-time status in the Traditional Undergraduate Program, with a minimum of 12 credit hours per semester, to retain his or her merit award. Merit scholarships are awarded for up to eight consecutive semesters only.

Students are eligible to receive only one merit award from Albertus Magnus College upon admission. Please note that high school grade point averages are subject to recalculation by the Office of Admission at the time of admission. Merit scholarships are available to international students.

First-Year Student

Merit Awards—Awarded to students of exceptional academic promise:

- **Presidential Scholarship** \$23,000 - \$24,000
- **Mohun Scholarship** \$20,000 - \$22,000
- **Devaney Scholarship** \$16,000 - \$19,000
- **St. Thomas Aquinas Scholarship** \$12,000 - \$15,000
- **Promise Award** \$8,000 - \$10,000

Select Awards—Students may receive these awards in addition to the merit scholarships above:

Residential Award \$3,000

Awarded to undergraduate students living on campus.

St. Catherine of Siena Award \$3,000

Awarded to graduates of Catholic high schools, Catholic college preparatory schools, or Catholic colleges or universities.

Legacy Award \$1,000

Awarded to the children, step-children and grandchildren of Albertus Magnus alumni.

The Pillar Award. \$1,000

The Pillar Award is awarded to full-time undergraduate transfer students that provide documentation of Phi Theta Kappa membership.

St. Dominic Award \$1,000 –\$3,000

Accepted students may be awarded \$1,000 per extracurricular activity listed below (with a maximum of \$3,000 awarded). For the scholarship to be awarded, students must

provide documentation and/or interview to verify involvement in each activity and agree to participate in a similar activity at Albertus Magnus College. Once a student applies, please submit the St. Dominic form to be considered for this award.

**This scholarship may or may not increase your net Financial Aid award. For questions, speak to your financial aid counselor (203-773-8508).*

- Community Service (Minimum of 100 hours)
- Future Law Enforcement (Participation in Mock-Trial, Police Explorers or similar programs)
- Music (Concert Band, Orchestra, Chorus)
- Student Leadership (Leadership role in an organization non-athletic)
- E-Sports (Organized Club or Organization)

Catherine DeRicci Honors Program Award
\$2,000

To be awarded to students who have been invited to join and agree to participate in the Albertus Magnus Honors Program.

Bartolomé de las Casas Scholarship.....up to \$500

Bartolomé century Dominican historian and social reformer who defended the rights of indigenous people and advocated for humane colonization policies. He is considered to be one of the first human rights advocates. This scholarship is awarded to the spouse or child of a service member or veteran who is new to Albertus and pursuing an undergraduate degree. A stepchild or adopted child is also eligible. The applicant must provide a copy of the DD214 or DD220 Member-4 Page. This scholarship is applied to tuition and fees and books and supplies only. The Bartolomé de las Casas Scholarship is annually renewable for recipients who maintain Satisfactory Academic Progress and who remain enrolled full-time at Albertus. For more information, please contact the Financial Aid Office at (203) 773-8508.

Francisco de Vitoria Scholarship.....up to \$500

Francisco de Vitoria was a Dominican theologian known for his work on human rights and the importance of peacemaking and conciliation. He is considered to be a defender of the oppressed. This scholarship is awarded to an undergraduate student who is an honorably discharged or under honorable conditions veteran. The student must provide proof of honorable discharge such as a copy of the DD214 Member-4 Page. This scholarship is applied to tuition and fees and books and supplies only. The Francisco de Vitoria Scholarship is annually renewable for recipients who maintain Satisfactory Academic Progress and who remain enrolled full-time at Albertus. For more information, please contact the Financial Aid Office at (203) 773-8508.

Transfer Students

Transfer students are defined as having completed more than 15 credits at another institution. A transfer student may be eligible for a transfer scholarship ranging from \$6,500 to \$16,500.

All merit scholarships are subject to change. Students must be enrolled full-time for consecutive terms and remain in good academic standing to be eligible to receive any annual scholarship.

Family Tuition Discount

A Family Tuition Discount program is available when a second sibling enrolls at Albertus Magnus College in the full-time Traditional Undergraduate Program. The first sibling will receive 10 percent off his or her tuition charges from the Financial Aid Office.

Endowed Scholarships

The following scholarships are established by alumni and friends of the College and are geared toward upperclassmen. Eligibility is subject to restrictions set forth by the donor(s) of each scholarship. Due to our generous alumni and donors, new Endowed Scholarships are created annually. For a full list of Endowed Scholarships, please visit the Albertus website.

Alyce Tuttle Fuller Scholarship

Amity Charitable Trust Fund Scholarship

Anne Bianchi Gunderson Scholarship

Christina M. Swaidan Scholarship

Class of 1957 Endowed Scholarship

Class of 1959 Endowed Scholarship

Class of 1960 Endowed Scholarship

Class of 1963 Endowed Scholarship

Class of 1968 Endowed Scholarship

Doris Polastri Memorial Scholarship

Dr. Luca Celentano Scholarship

Evelyn and Dennis O'Connell and Jean and Wattie Branch Memorial Scholarship

Jakubowski Family Scholarship

Joseph and Louise Hubert Scholarship Fund

JP Bree Memorial Scholarship

Julia M. McNamara Scholarship

Katharine Deborah Frattini Scholarship

Kazickas Family Foundation Scholarship

Kendall Scott Book Awards

Louis F. and Mary A. Tagliatela Scholarship

Mary Jane and Ciro Paoella Memorial Scholarship

Pearce Family Scholarship

Philomena LaViola Scholarship Fund

Rae Coppola Orlando '50 Memorial Scholarship

Sarah E. Hanley Financial Aid Fund

Silver Horn Scholarship

Sophia Taylor-Edwards Scholarship

The Margaret M. Allman Scholarship

The Woman's Club of New Haven Endowed Scholarship

William Randolph Hearst Foundation Scholarship

Winifred Carocari Flynn '43 Scholarship