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Majors:

Family & Consumer Sciences | FCS Teacher Education | Hospitality Leadership* | Nutrition & Dietetics** | Public Health Education | Retail Merchandising

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Mildred Arnold Scholarship

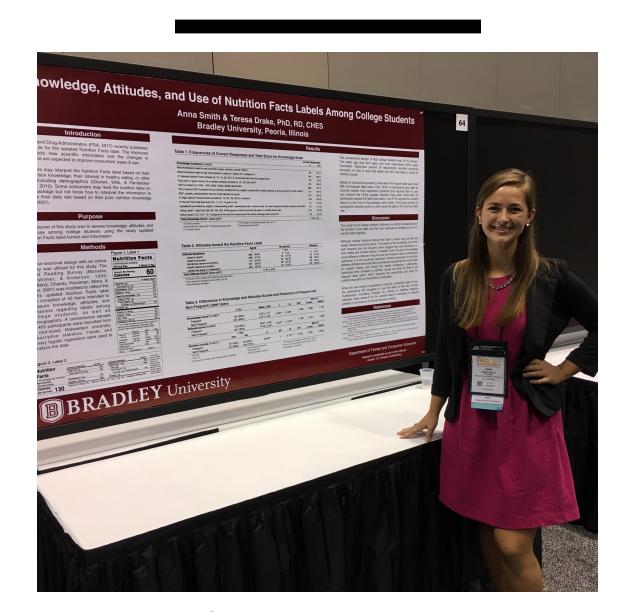
C.C. Wheeler Scholarship

Application Information

The Department of Family and Consumer Sciences (FCS) at Bradley University is pleased to announce that two FCS freshmen will be awarded Arnold/Wheeler scholarships in the Fall of 2020. Each awardee will become either a "C. C. Wheeler Scholar" or a "Mildred Arnold Scholar," with an accompanying annual scholarship of \$4,000. Each scholarship award may be renewed annually for up to four years, provided the student maintains a minimum GPA of 3.00 and completes the scholarship requirements each semester.



Annie Drummond, '16, FCS Retail Merchandising Bradley University Tartan Plaid design competition and merchandising plan. Products sold at Bradley Bookstore, profit toward FCS student scholarship. IL Association of FCS Conference, 2016.



Anna Smith, '18, FCS Dietetics Knowledge, attitudes, and use of nutrition facts labels among college students, Food & Nutrition Conference & ExpoTM (FNCE®), 2017. Applying the Transtheoretical Model to nutrition facts label use among college students. Society for Nutrition Education and Behavior Conference, 2018.



Erin Leland, '18, FCS Hospitality Leadership, The Partial Substitution of Quinoa Flour for Rice Flour in Gluten-free Muffins made with Appleblueberry Baby Food, Bradley EXPO, 2018.

About the Arnold Wheeler Scholarships



Freshman and sophomore scholars develop research ideas with faculty, and complete components of the scientific research process. In addition to regular contact with their faculty mentors, all scholars benefit from consultation from the C.C. Wheeler Institute, and research meetings with FCS faculty and student researchers. Upper class scholars are expected to initiate a research or service project with an FCS faculty member no later than their junior year. Students must present their results at the Bradley Student Scholarship EXPO, and submit their project to a peer-reviewed journal or other professional forum during their final semester.



Cecelia Chesko Wheeler, a 1942 alumna of Bradley University, was committed to empowering women and families. The Wheeler Estate gift, the 4th largest individual gift in Bradley history also supports the C. C. Wheeler Institute for Family Well-Being and the C. C. Wheeler Endowed Professorship.



Mildred Arnold, a 1932 alumna of Bradley University, was committed to furthering the philosophy of Family and Consumer Sciences through scholarly activity.

Other FCS Scholarship Opportunities

The FCS Department also offers awards based on academic performance and financial need for established FCS students. Eligibility for those awards is determined by the FCS Department's Scholarship Committee.

Other Bradley Scholarship Opportunities

Bradley University offers awards based on academic performance and financial need. Eligibility for those awards is determined by the University's Admission & Scholarship Committee for qualified students.

How to

Apply

You will need the following to apply:

- A letter of intent containing: 1) your reason for choosing Bradley FCS and intended major, 2) a brief description of your research experience or research that interests you, 3) discussion of your strengths as a student, and 4) an example of one of your weaknesses and how you address it.
- A summary of an exemplary project OR sample of an academic paper
- A resume which includes: 1) your name, 2) phone number,
 3) email address, 4) GPA, 5) SAT scores, and 6) a list of leadership positions and/or extracurricular activities during high school.
- One letter of recommendation addressing potential for independent scholarly work.
- An official copy of your high school transcript.

Apply Online: https://bit.ly/330YmJE

You can also email items to fcs@fsmail.bradley.edu

OR mail to (postmarked by deadline):
Bradley University
FCS A/W Scholarship Committee
1501 W. Bradley Ave. - BR 18
Peoria, IL 61625

The application deadline is January 22, 2021

On-campus interviews for scholarship finalists are tentatively scheduled for February 12, 2021

Examples of A/W Scholar Accomplishments

- Sarah Wagner, '18, FCS Dietetics
 Analysis and improvement of a hospitality house meal program through service learning and internship. Bradley Student Scholarship EXPO Dean's Award, 2017. Assessment of perceived benefits from a meal program at a healthcare hospitality house through action research and internship. 109th AAFCS Annual Conference & Expo, 2018. Caregivers and healthcare hospitality houses: Barriers, beliefs and benefits. Journal of Family and Consumer Sciences, 2018.
- Genevieve Prushinski, '17, FCS Dietetics
 "The Freshman 15": Prevalence and correlates of weight gain among college freshmen students. Bradley Student Scholarship EXPO Provost's Award, 2016. Midwestern Psychological Association Conference, 2017; Food & Nutrition Conference & Expo™ (FNCE®), 2017..
- Carolyn Stewart, '17, FCS Hospitality Leadership
 Investigating factors affecting food neophobia, International Society of Travel and Tourism Educators (ISTTE) Conference, 2015.
- Abigail Craft, '16, FCS Hospitality Leadership
 Assessing the motivations and barriers of special event volunteers, Best Poster
 Award at the Conference of the ISTTE, 2015; Bradley Student Scholarship EXPO
 OSP Award, 2016.