



## FL-DKG SCHOLARSHIP AWARD REQUIREMENTS

**2022-2023**

Florida State Organization DKG offers scholarships annually to members of the Society to enhance the fulfillment of its fifth purpose, "to endow scholarships to aid outstanding women educators in pursuing graduate study ... "

### **Basic Requirements**

1. The applicant must be an active member in good standing of DKG International, for a minimum of three years.
2. The applicant must be currently enrolled in a graduate program of an accredited institution of higher learning, preferably pursuing a masters or doctoral degree.
3. The applicant must provide evidence of contribution to her chapter, Florida State Organization DKG, and DKG International.
4. The applicant must provide evidence of excellence in scholarship and community service.
5. The applicant, if applying for the Martha Robertson Harris Scholarship, in addition to all of the above, must conduct research on Southern History or some phase of it and publish the results in some suitable journal or text.

### **Application Directions**

1. Florida State Organization DKG Scholarship applications are available for download on the website - or may be available for completion in an online form.
2. The applicant for a Florida State Organization DKG Scholarship must submit any/all documents related to the application (including an Adobe .PDF of the full application, if not completed in an online format) to the Scholarship Committee via e-mail at [scholarship.fldkg@gmail.com](mailto:scholarship.fldkg@gmail.com) by **February 24, 2023**.
3. The **full application** should include the following:
  - Application cover sheet: Personal Data, Educational Background, and Recommendations
  - Additional pages: Intent and Proposed Use of Scholarship, Professional Experience, Recognition of Achievements, and Participation in Other Organizations
  - Official transcripts of graduate work indicating course and grades
  - Official statement from the University Registrar attesting to the current accreditation of the program in which the candidate is registered
  - Detailed doctoral program requirements (if applicable) as approved by the University and statement of plans for program completion.
  - An official statement from the University Registrar attesting that the applicant's graduate or doctoral program has been approved, the current stage of her progress, and the current enrollment status. Applicants must be currently enrolled for consideration of scholarship awards.
  - A recent photograph suitable for publicity purposes.
  - *In the case of those working on doctoral dissertation:* Evaluation by the applicant's academic advisor, sent directly to the Scholarship Committee Chair, [ang.nash@gmail.com](mailto:ang.nash@gmail.com).

4. All materials will be regarded as confidential and will become property of Florida State Organization DKG.
5. A recipient may not apply in consecutive years.

### **General Conditions of Acceptance**

1. Candidates will be notified of the decisions of the Florida State Organization DKG Scholarship Committee. A successful candidate must notify the Scholarship Chairman of her acceptance or rejection of this award within two weeks of notification. The state treasurer must also receive, within two weeks, the Certificate of Registration for Scholarship Recipients with the official seal of the university affixed.
2. The Committee regards the acceptance of a scholarship by the recipient as agreeing to:
  - a. Remain a continuous active member of DKG International.
  - b. Pursue the course of study and research as specified in her application.
  - c. Notify the Scholarship Chairman immediately of any major changes in the program of work. Committee members will be polled for their approval or rejection of the new plan.
  - d. Submit reports as required, including:
    - Certification of the university registrar of active enrollment before any payment can be made
    - A progress report at the end of the first semester's work
    - A final report by July 1st of the year that the work is complete
  - e. Acknowledge the Society in any publications developed out of data collected during the term of the scholarship and to furnish the Florida State Organization DKG Scholarship Chairman with a copy of such. Summaries of such will be sent to the Florida Rays and the Bulletin.

### **Payment to Recipients**

The Florida State Organization DKG treasurer will make payment to the recipient upon receipt of an official notarized statement from the University Registrar stating that the recipient is duly enrolled for her program of study, and upon approval from the state president. The official notarized statement must bear the official seal of the university.