



PLUMS: PLU Matching Scholarship

Purpose

The purpose of this program is to provide financial assistance to undergraduate students attending Pacific Lutheran University. Through the **PLUMS** program, PLU will annually match individual scholarships provided by congregations or organizations within the church, up to \$1000.

Who Is Eligible?

To qualify, a student must be a full-time undergraduate student offered admission or currently enrolled at PLU. Dependents of Pacific Lutheran University employees receiving Tuition Remission are not eligible for a matching scholarship.

How is the program administered?

PLU matches scholarship monies received from congregations, up to \$1000, based on the following stipulations:

- **PLUMS** is a cooperative effort between the congregation’s selection committee and the PLU Financial Aid Office.
- Annual application is required.
- Only applications received by August 15 are considered for a **PLU Matching Scholarship**.
- **PLUMS** has limited funding and is awarded on a first-come-first-served basis.
- Church scholarship payments must be received by October 1 in order to be matched by PLU.
- **PLUMS** certificates are sent upon request, by PLU, to sponsoring churches for special recognition services.
- Church payments must be made directly to PLU. Payments made directly to students are not considered for matching funds.
- Financial need is not considered when awarding **PLUMS**.

Congregational Contribution:

An Internal Revenue Service regulation prevents the designation of any recipient by an individual donor. Further, it is assumed by PLU that the funding for this program will be provided through the congregation as a whole, or by an auxiliary of the congregation. Direct contributions to this program from parents, relatives, or friends of students are not considered to be in the spirit of the **Pacific Lutheran University Matching Scholarship Program**.

Student Name: _____ **PLUID:** _____ **Date:** _____

Church Name: _____ **Church Federal Tax ID:** _____

Church Address: _____ **Church Telephone:** _____

_____ **Amount of Church Scholarship: \$** _____

Check Enclosed Application Only: Check to be sent to PLU before October 1.

Please send a **PLUMS** Certificate to the Church for this student