

THE UNIVERSITY OF TULSA

Application for

F. B. PARRIOTT Graduate Scholarship

Due by January 15

PLEASE NOTE: You must be a United States citizen to apply for this Scholarship and either seeking admission as a prospective full-time graduate student or enrolled full-time in a graduate degree program.

(Please type or print when completing the application)

Name _____
(last) (first) (middle)

Telephone No. (_____) _____ Gender: ____ Male ____ Female

Present Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Permanent Address _____

(Where mail will always be forwarded to you)

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Field of graduate study: _____

Undergraduate major _____

Colleges or universities attended to date	Dates attended	Degrees awarded
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

____ Undergraduate G.P.A. *(attach copy of transcripts)**

____ Graduate G.P.A., if applicable *(attach copy of transcripts)**

____ Graduate admission G.R.E./ G.M.A.T. Test scores *(attach copy of test score notification; test scores are required regardless of your degree program)** GRE scores can be downloaded from the TU WebAdvisor web site. Simply click on WebAdvisor for Students and then Test Summary.

*** To facilitate processing your scholarship application, please submit copies of your transcripts and GRE scores separate from those included in your original admission application. For the purpose of application review, unofficial versions are acceptable.**

Anticipated credit hours of enrollment for the upcoming Fall Semester _____ Spring Semester _____

DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE

____ APPROVED LEVEL OF AWARD ____ RENEWAL ____ NEW ____ ALTERNATE
____ DECLINED

DATE _____ GRADUATE SCHOOL APPROVAL _____

REFERENCES: Applicant must have 2 letters of recommendation pertaining to this award from persons well acquainted with you and your work that are received by the Graduate School no later than January 15. A copy of a reference letter previously submitted to the Graduate School for admission, if it is less than one year old, may be used.

References should be mailed directly to The University of Tulsa, Graduate School – Lorton Hall 201, 800 South Tucker Drive, Tulsa, OK 74104.

Please list the names and addresses of persons whom you are asking to write letters on your behalf. (If you wish to use a reference from your admission application, please note that so the appropriate copies may be added to your scholarship application.)

1. _____
2. _____

If you need additional space to respond to these questions, please attach an additional sheet.

Financial Need: Describe and document below any pertinent information concerning financial assets, expected other income during the term of your scholarship, obligations, and debts that would be helpful in assessing your financial need for the scholarship. Use another sheet of paper if necessary. If you qualify to be a recipient of a University of Tulsa employee benefit, you must include this information in your financial disclosure. *It is critical that this information be formulated with care and accuracy since financial need is one of the basic requirements for this scholarship.*

**During the final stages of the reviewing process, you may be asked to submit additional information in the form of a FAFSA to further clarify the degree of your financial need.*

Do you anticipate requesting additional aid after this year? Yes No

Please explain:

NOTE: Subsequent aid in the following year is not automatically renewed. Re-application is required.

What do you propose to do after you have completed your education?

If you accept another award prior to the awarding of the Parriott Scholarships, please notify the Graduate School to remove yourself from consideration.

If multiple applications are received from one department, the Graduate Program Advisor may be requested to rank the department's applicants.

PLEASE SUBMIT COMPLETED APPLICATION DIRECTLY TO THE GRADUATE SCHOOL ADMISSIONS OFFICE. INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS OR THOSE RECEIVED AFTER JANUARY 15 WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

Please note: Failure to supply any of the requested information may result in the applicant being disqualified from consideration for this award.

1. Checklist of items applicant must submit to the Graduate School:

- Letter to the Dean of the Graduate School explaining student's career interests, goals, and financial need
- Graduate School Application for Parriott Graduate Scholarship (this form)
- Resume
- Undergraduate GPA and transcript and Graduate (if applicable) GPA and transcript*
- Standardized GRE test scores*

2. Two letters of recommendation from faculty or employers must be submitted to the Graduate School by January 15.

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I CERTIFY THAT ALL OF THE FOREGOING IS COMPLETE AND CORRECT. I UNDERSTAND THAT A PARRIOTT GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP MAY BE TERMINATED AT ANY TIME FOR (1) FAILURE TO MAINTAIN A SATISFACTORY ACADEMIC RECORD, (2) FAILURE TO ABIDE BY THE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE UNIVERSITY, NOW EXISTING OR EXISTING IN THE FUTURE.

Date _____ **Signature of Applicant** _____



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F. B. Parriott Graduate Scholarships

*These awards are for a maximum of 12 graduate credit hours of tuition per semester
Re-application is required annually.
All applicants must be United States citizens.*

The F. B. Parriot Educational Fund

On the eighth of December, 1958, nearly two years after the death of F. B. Parriott, the Educational Trust Fund was created by his widow, Mrs. Kathleen Caldwell Parriott, with the assistance of his sons, Robert B. Parriott, Van C. Parriott, and Jackson C. Parriott, to carry on the principles by which Mr. Parriott had so successfully lived, that is, the principle of quietly helping the deserving.

The Trust provides, “. . . the Trust shall be utilized by the Trustee to provide assistance to deserving students who might not otherwise get an education . . .”. The Trust further states, “All recipients . . . shall be advised that they are not under any obligation to repay any benefits or aid received . . .”.

One of the few restrictions on the funds are that, “All Funds, properties, and assets of the Trust shall be used within the United States or its possessions exclusively for the educational purposes herein provided and for no other purposes.”

The Corporate Trustee is the First National Bank and Trust Company of Tulsa, Oklahoma.

The Fund is administered by a five-member committee that “Shall always consist of one person who is descendant by blood of F. B. Parriott, one person who is an educator and who resides within the State of Oklahoma, one person who is an officer of the Corporate Trustee, and two persons who are reputable citizens of Tulsa County, Oklahoma, and are interested in the education of young people.”

The Trust may be terminated any time after June 30, 2058, by a majority of the committee; however, it can be terminated earlier under special conditions and with court approval.

Brief Biography of F. B. Parriott

Foster Brooks Parriott was born March 15, 1878, near the town of Moundsville in Marshall County, West Virginia. He was one of six children born to George Wilson Parriott, a Methodist minister, and Jane Clark Parriott. His early boyhood was spent on a West Virginia farm.

When his father died at an early age, Mr. Parriott was forced to quit school and go to work at the age of 15 to assist in the support of his widowed mother and his brothers and sisters.

Mr. Parriott left the farm and worked as a day laborer digging pipeline ditches. There he met M. L. Benedum, who took a liking to young Parriott and took him to Pittsburgh as a personal aide. Mr. Parriott served in various positions with a series of Benedum-related companies in wildcatting ventures; eventually he was elected president of the Transcontinental Oil Company.

Mr. Parriott moved the general offices of Transcontinental Oil from Pittsburgh to Tulsa at about the time that Transcontinental and its associates opened one of the great oil fields of the world, the Yates Pool in Pecos County, Texas, in October 1926.

Through a succession of companies, some large and some small, Mr. Parriott achieved prominence as one of the outstanding Oklahoma oil men in the 1930s.

To his mother must be attributed some of his finer characteristics—his integrity, his kindness, his humility, and his generosity. He shared his success with liberality in a most unostentatious way in many philanthropies and civic services.