THE UNIVERSITY OF TULSA

Application for

ZINK Graduate Fellowship

Due by January 15

PLEASE NOTE you must be a United States citizen to apply for this Fellowship 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 _____ _____ _____
(family) (first) (middle)

Telephone (area code first) _____ **Gender** _____ Male _____ Female

Present Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Permanent address _____
(Where mail will always be forwarded to you)

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Field of graduate study _____

Undergraduate major _____

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

Undergraduate G.P.A.* _____ **Graduate G.P.A. (if applicable)*** _____

Graduate admission GRE/GMAT test scores* _____

* To facilitate processing your scholarship application, please submit copies of your transcripts and GRE/GMAT scores separate from those included in your original admission application. For the purpose of application review, unofficial versions are acceptable. GRE/GMAT scores are required regardless of major and TU students can download their scores from the *TU WebAdvisor* web site: click on *WebAdvisor for Students* and then *Test Summary*.

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

DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE

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

DATE_____ **GRADUATE SCHOOL APPROVAL**_____

References The applicant must have 2 letters of recommendation pertaining to this award from people well acquainted with the applicant and the applicant's work. The letters are to be 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 you scholarship application.

1. _____

2. _____

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

Financial Need Describe 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. ***It is critical that this information be formulated with care and accuracy since financial need is one of the basic requirements for this scholarship. Explain how your disability would increase your financial burden while attending the University.***

Physical Disability A statement of your disability is required for the Zink Fellowship.

PLEASE NOTE Subsequent aid in the following year is not automatically renewed. Re-application is required. Submission of an acceptable degree progress report by February 1 is required to be considered for renewal with the re-application. (See details on the last page of this application.)

If you accept another award prior to the awarding of the Zink Fellowships, please notify the Graduate School.

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

The University of Tulsa employs, advances, admits and treats in its employment and educational programs all persons without regard to race, color, national or ethnic origin, gender, sexual orientation, age, religion or status as a veteran.

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

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, physical disability, and financial need
   ____Graduate School Application for the Zink Graduate Scholarship (this form)
   ____Resume
   ____Undergraduate G.P.A. and transcript and Graduate (if applicable) G.P.A. and transcript*
   ____Standardized GRE/GMAT test scores*

2. **The applicant must have 2 letters of recommendation submitted by faculty or employers to the Graduate School by January 15.**

3. **If applicant was a recipient of this award during the current year, an acceptable degree progress report must be received in the Graduate School no later than February 1.**

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Permission is granted for the Dean to contact the TU Center for Student Academic Support to verify qualification for an award related to disabilities.

Signature of Applicant _____

I CERTIFY THAT ALL OF THE FOREGOING IS COMPLETE AND CORRECT. I UNDERSTAND THAT A ZINK GRADUATE FELLOWSHIP 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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The Associate Vice President for Human Resources and Risk Management has the responsibility for implementing and monitoring the Affirmative Action Plan at The University of Tulsa and assisting with the application and interpretation of pertinent laws and policy. For additional EEO/AA information, contact Wayne Paulison in the Office of Human Resources and Risk Management at 918-631-2616. For disability accommodation information, contact Dr. Jane Corso at 918-631-2315. Requests for an interpreter must be made seven days in advance of an event and at least 48 hours for all other accommodations.

John S. Zink Fellowship
for
Students with Physical Disabilities

The John S. Zink Fellowship is an endowed fellowship of The University of Tulsa, available to aid T.U. students with physical disabilities. Students already possessing a Bachelor's degree and applying for admission to an advanced degree program are eligible. Preference is given to students in any graduate program. The fellowship amounts are variable and awarded on the basis of need.

To qualify for this fellowship you must be admitted to The University of Tulsa for the Fall semester, in good academic standing, qualify for services provided by The Center for Student Academic Support, and be registered to receive those services. Receipt of the award is contingent upon full-time enrollment at The University of Tulsa.

By February 1 of each academic award year, the John S. Zink Fellow must submit a degree progress report to the Dean of the Graduate School. This report must be developed in consultation with the student's advisor, and must carry the advisor's endorsement verifying the contents of the report. If no report is received by February 1, the John S. Zink Fellow's award will not be considered for renewal. Renewal of the Fellowship will only be considered if the Fellow has re-applied using this form and has submitted his/her degree progress report by February 1. Renewal is also contingent upon evidence of good academic progress (staying on track in the degree program by passing academic milestones given in departmental specifications within *The University of Tulsa Graduate Bulletin*), and the Fellow remaining in good academic standing.

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   - Resume
   - Undergraduate G.P.A. and transcript and Graduate (if applicable) G.P.A. and transcript*
   - Standardized GRE/GMAT test scores*

2. The applicant must have 2 letters of recommendation submitted by faculty or employers to the Graduate School by January 15.

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