



# Atlanta University Center Robert W. Woodruff Library

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## Walter W. Sessoms Scholarship Application

### Personal Information: (Type or print clearly)

Full name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Last First Middle Initial*

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip Code

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: (C) \_\_\_\_\_ (H) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you an employee of AUC RWWL?  Yes  No

### Education:

Name of Institution attending:

CAU  ITC  MC  SC

Enrollment status:  Full-time  Part-time (# Hours) =

Classification: ( ) Sophomore ( ) Junior ( ) Senior

Major: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ (based upon most recent transcript)

### Application Statement: (Please provide responses for #1-5 in a separate PDF document)

1. Semester for which you are seeking scholarship?
2. Why do you believe you are the best candidate for this scholarship?
3. Describe your academic/career goals.
4. Describe your past or present accomplishments in the following areas: community service, extracurricular activities, honors or awards received?
5. What are your financial needs and how will this scholarship help you with your education?
6. Provide original transcript from institution
7. Provide two letters of recommendations from faculty members.

Signature of applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*(Note: incomplete applications or applications submitted without required documents will not be considered by the Scholarship Selection Committee. Return completed applications to Naylah Daniels ([ndaniels@auctr.edu](mailto:ndaniels@auctr.edu)): 111 James P. Brawley, Drive, SW; Atlanta, Georgia 30314*



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## The Walter W. Sessoms Scholarship

The Walter W. Sessoms Scholarship fund was established in December 2006 by the Robert W. Woodruff Library Board of Trustees and named in honor of Walter W. Sessoms, former Board member. Annual scholarships will be awarded to Atlanta University Center (AUC) students and Woodruff Library staff based on leadership potential, merit, financial need and academic achievement. AUC Robert W. Woodruff Library employees are eligible to apply.

### Eligibility criteria:

- Current graduate or undergraduate student of the AUC
- GPA – 3.0 or higher
- Sophomore or higher classification
- Employee of the AUC Robert W. Woodruff Library (*optional*)
- Enrollment as full-time or part-time student

### Course of study:

Open to all disciplines. Some preference will be given to Economics, Business and Athletics.

### Award Amount:

Up to \$1,500 (renewable – student may re-apply)

### Number of scholarships available:

Maximum of 5 per academic year

### Application deadline:

October 31 – For Spring Semester Use

### Selection and Notification:

Based upon applications and recommendation letters, the most deserving recipients will be selected based upon established criteria. Applications must be postmarked no later than deadline date to receive consideration. Decision letters will be mailed to applicants six weeks following application deadline.

*NOTE:* All awarded scholarships will be listed in AUC and RWWL annual reports, scholarship booklets, on web sites and shared with the Sessoms family.

### Scholarship Contributions:

Please make your tax-deductible contributions on Library website at [www.auctr.edu](http://www.auctr.edu) or make check and money orders payable to: The Walter W. Sessoms Scholarship Fund; Attention: Finance; Robert W. Woodruff Library; 111 James P. Brawley Dr., SW, Atlanta, GA 30314