



NAADAC William L. White Student Scholarship Fact Sheet

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PURPOSE: The William L. White Scholarship was created to promote student addiction studies research and develop the importance of student research projects in NASAC accredited programs, NAADAC approved programs in higher education, or an accredited addiction studies higher education program acknowledged by the Higher Learning Commission (HLC) that provides research or education to the addiction profession.

SCHOLARSHIP BENEFITS:

- One undergraduate student will receive \$1,000; One graduate student will receive \$2,000
- Scholarship monies will be submitted in the students’ names to their educational debtor
- Recipients will be recognized at the NAADAC Annual Conference

ELIGIBILITY:

- Must have at least one full year (fall and spring semester) of coursework remaining to be eligible for this scholarship.
- Grade Point Average (GPA) of B (2.7-3.0) or higher
- Current NAADAC Student Member

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:

- Completed application form
- Unofficial academic transcript
- Three letters of recommendation: two from faculty and one from an active NAADAC member
- APA-formatted research paper on one of four assigned 2019 themes:
 - *Opioid Epidemic – Treatment Alternatives in Opioid Addiction;*
 - *Counseling Challenges in Marijuana Treatment;*
 - *Reducing Stigma and/or Discriminations;* or
 - *Social Justice and Substance Use Disorders.*
- Graduate students must submit a 10-12 page (exclusive of title page, abstract & references), double-spaced research paper.
- Undergraduate students must submit a 5-7 page (exclusive of title page, abstract & references), double-spaced research paper.
- Strongly suggest faculty advisor review before submission of research paper.

TIMELINE:

Application open for submission	April 19, 2019
Final deadline for turning in applications	May 31, 2019
Recipients will be notified about their scholarship	June 30, 2019
Awarding of Scholarship at the NAADAC 2019 Annual Conference	September 30, 2019

APPLICATION SUBMISSION: The completed application form, academic transcript, letters of reference, and the research paper must be submitted together electronically to NAADAC at naadac@naadac.org, Attn: William L. White Student Scholarship.

QUESTIONS: Please direct any questions about this year’s themes or the scholarship to NAADAC Student Committee Chair, Deborah Fenton-Nichols, EdD, LPC, LAC, MAC, NCC at deborah.nichols@dr-nichols.com.