



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 in pursuit of an Associate, Bachelors, Masters, or Doctorate degree in addiction studies or an addiction-related field
- Grade Point Average (GPA) of B (2.7-3.0) or higher
- Current NAADAC Member

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:

The following must be submitted for review by the NAADAC Student Committee:

- 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 five assigned 2020 themes:
 - *Recruitment of Young Professionals in the Addiction Profession;*
 - *Community Mobilization/Development for Substance Use Disorders;*
 - *Reducing Stigma and/or Discriminations;*
 - *Social Justice and Substance Use Disorders; or*
 - *Current Trends of Psychotherapeutic Approaches with Addiction.*
- 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.

Faculty advisor review before submission of research paper is strongly suggested.

TIMELINE:

Application open for submission	April 19, 2020
Final deadline for turning in applications	May 31, 2020
Recipients will be notified about their scholarship	June 30, 2020
Acknowledgement of scholarship at the NAADAC 2020 Annual Conference & Hill Day	September 30, 2020

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, Jeff Schnoor, MA, LICDC (pending), CCSTA, QMHP-CS, Certified Interventionist, at jeff@spiritwolftherapeutic.org.