TMCF SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION 2010 – 2011 ANNOUNCEMENT

Please read the below information regarding the Thurgood Marshall College Fund Scholarship Program 2010-2011. If you have any additional questions after reviewing the following information please feel free to contact Sophia Rogers, TMCF Scholarship Manager, at srogers@tmcfund.org or (212) 573-8487.

Applicants and more information can be located on www.thurgoodmarshallcollegefund.org <http://www.thurgoodmarshallcollegefund.org/>.

General scholarship criteria:

- A citizen of the United States of America
- Full-time student pursuing a degree in any discipline at one of the 47 TMCF “member schools”
- Enrolled as a freshman, sophomore, junior, senior or listed as a master or law student
- Demonstrated commitment to academic excellence and community service with a high school GPA of not less than 3.0
- Combined verbal/math score of 1650 or more on the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) or a score of 25 or higher on the American College Testing (ACT) examination
- Recommended by their high school as academically exceptional or outstanding in the creative and performing arts
- Demonstrated financial need and maintain not less than 3.0 GPA each year for the duration of the scholarship

Supporting documents needed with online application:

- Professional/Student Resume
- One Letter of Recommendation (Applicants will need a scanned copy for upload)
- Current Transcript (Applicants may upload a copy of unofficial or official)
- Essay (In no less than 500 words and not to exceed 1000 words. All essays that do not meet these guidelines will not be considered for an award)

Potential applicants should note that TMCF scholarships:

- Are merit-based
- Are awarded to students with a demonstrated financial need
- May be awarded to any class student, not just incoming freshmen
- May be renewable but renewal is not guaranteed
- Are restricted to payment of tuition, room and board, books, institutional fees and student loans
- Average approximately $2200 per student per semester (scholarship amount many vary)
- Are awarded through the member schools, not directly to students from TMCF

Students interested in a TMCF scholarship will need to apply online (www.thurgoodmarshallfund.org <http://www.thurgoodmarshallfund.org/>) during the designated scholarship application period May 1 – July 15, 2010.