# Xavier University

The Power of X

## FIRST<sup>®</sup> Scholarship

#### **Scholarship Description**

In support of the *FIRST*<sup>®</sup> mission, Xavier University is offering two merit-based scholarships, each for \$2,500, to high school seniors who have participated on a *FIRST* team during their junior or senior year in high school. This scholarship may be utilized for any undergraduate course of study at Xavier University. The scholarship is renewable up to a total of \$10,000 over four years, contingent upon maintaining good academic standing. Each recipient must meet the regular academic requirements for admission to the University.

### Eligibility

To be eligible for this scholarship you must:

- Be a senior in high school
- Have participated at least one full season during your junior or senior year on a *FIRST*<sup>®</sup> Robotics Competition (FRC<sup>®</sup>) team or a *FIRST*<sup>®</sup> Tech Challenge (FTC<sup>®</sup>) team
- Apply and be admitted to Xavier University as a full-time student in any course of study (However, you do not need to have already been admitted at the time you apply for this scholarship)
- Have a combined SAT score of at least 1000 and a GPA of at least 3.0 (on a scale of 4.0)

#### **Application Process**

To apply for the Xavier University *FIRST* Scholarship, complete the application package, including:

- A completed Xavier University FIRST Scholarship Application
- A 500 word essay regarding how your *FIRST* experience has affected your career goals
- A letter of recommendation from an adult mentor/coach on your FIRST team

### Submission of Scholarship Application

The completed *FIRST* Scholarship application package must be submitted no later than March 15 to:

ATTN: Kris Killen Assistant Director Office of Student Financial Assistance Xavier University 3800 Victory Parkway Cincinnati, OH 45207-5111

Questions? Call Kris Killen at 513-745-2988 or send email to Killenk@xavier.edu

#### **About Xavier University**

Xavier University is an iconic Cincinnati institution that's been around for almost two centuries. Like the point that comes together in the center of its X, it provides that perfect balance of classic and cuttingedge. Challenging academics are enriched by a strong community of support. State-of-the-art buildings stand side-by-side with beautiful historic buildings. Enduring Jesuit, Catholic values are expressed through 21<sup>st</sup> century means. Xavier rose from 6<sup>th</sup> place to a 4<sup>th</sup> place tie among the nation's top Midwest Regional Universities in the just-released 2016 edition of U.S. News Best College rankings.

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### **FIRST®** Scholarship Application

Personal Information	
Name	
Address	
City	_StateZip
Country	US Citizen: 🗆 Yes 🗆 No
Telephone () E-mail	
FIRST <sup>®</sup> Team Number FIRST Team N	Jame
<i>FIRST</i> Program: $\Box$ FRC <sup>®</sup> $\Box$ FTC <sup>®</sup>	Year(s) of participation
Intended College Major	
Xavier University Admission Application:	tted D Application will be submitted by March 15
Signature:	Date:

#### **Additional Materials**

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Be sure to include the following materials in your application package:

A 500 word essay regarding how your *FIRST* experience has affected your career goals
A letter of recommendation from one of your *FIRST* adult mentors.

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