## **Donald M. Suggs Scholarship Terms and Conditions, 2025-2026**

## **Award Details**

The Donald M. Suggs Scholarship is valid fall, spring and/or summer terms and will be continued, if renewal conditions are met, for four semesters. This scholarship will be applied toward tuition only. The Suggs Scholarship is valued at up to \$4000 for full-time enrollment, per term. Other credit hours per term result in the following proration:

- Registration of 3 credit hours = \$1,000
- o Registration of 6 credit hours = \$2,000
- o Registration of 9 credit hours = \$3,000

The award will be credited to the student's university account each semester after other tuition-only aid is applied. Other tuition-only aid could result in a reduction of the Suggs Scholarship. By accepting this scholarship as part of the financial aid offer, the student agrees to the terms and conditions of the scholarship detailed herein. Financial aid offers can be accessed through the student's CougarNet account.

## The Suggs Scholarship in Combination with Other Awards and Financial Aid

The Suggs Scholarship will be applied to tuition charges on the student's account. Suggs Scholarships will be considered awards to meet financial need in the packaging of financial aid. The Scholarship will be applied after any other tuition-targeted aid awarded to the student. The Suggs Scholarship is not refundable to the student.

## **Academic Performance and Student Conduct**

Continuance or renewal of the scholarship requires completion of the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), found at www.studentaid.gov. The student must enroll in a degree-seeking program and maintain a cumulative SIUE GPA of 2.5 or higher.

In addition to the renewal requirements for the award, the student must also abide by the University academic policy as stated in the catalog and student handbook, the Satisfactory Academic Progress Policy for financial aid and scholarship recipients, and the Student Conduct Code. Award recipients should also keep address changes up to date with the University and check SIUE email often for important announcements.