

PSYCHOLOGY MAJOR UNDERGRADUATE MERIT AWARD

Psychology Department, St. Cloud State University

*2012 Application Form (revised 9/26/11)

Name _____ Phone: _____

*Tech ID# _____

Address (Street) _____

(City) _____ (State) _____ (Zip) _____

Major _____ Minor _____

Total college credits completed _____ Total psychology credits completed _____

Overall GPA _____ Psychology GPA _____

Are you willing to register at St. Cloud State University for at least twelve (12) semester credits during the semester in which the award is granted? (Please circle) **YES** **NO**

Attach your **resume or vitae**.

Please attach a **concise statement** (no more than 600 words) **about your goal(s)** related to the field of psychology and how you plan to achieve them. Specifically, your essay should address involvement in psychological organizations, research projects, SCSU research colloquium, peer advising, leadership in volunteer/paid work, or other psychological related evidence supporting your goals.

Submit one letter of recommendation from (one) SCSU Department of Psychology faculty. The letter of recommendation should address the applicant's academic ability/potential in the field of psychology, involvement in psychological organizations, involvement in research projects/experiences, leadership in volunteer/paid work, or other psychological related evidence.

Attach a copy of your transcript (unofficial copies are acceptable).

I hereby authorize the Psychology Student Issues Committee to verify my academic record and to contact the references listed above.

Signature _____ Date _____

Please return this completed form to the Psychology Department, WH 102 by 4:30pm, of the 3rd Friday in March (March 16, 2012)

Information about the Psychology Major Undergraduate Merit Award

(revised 2/4/11)

Purpose

- A. To recognize high academic and professional goals in a St. Cloud State University psychology major.
- B. To partially defray expenses for a meritorious student.

Minimum Qualifications

- A. Declared psychology major
- B. Minimum G.P.A. of 3.5 for psychology and overall
- C. Must be a member of PSI-CHI.

Selection of recipient(s)

- A. Applicants must submit all relevant documentation by **the third Friday in March (March 16, 2012)**.
- B. Recommendations of finalists will be made by the Psychology Department's Student Issues Committee subject to Department review and approval.
- C. Candidates will be evaluated on the basis of their
 - grade point average,
 - involvement with extracurricular activities in the department
 - statement regarding their goals in psychology.
 - letters of recommendation

***Awardees will be notified by the second Monday in April (April 9, 2012).**

Method of Payment

Recipient(s) will receive \$500 transferred directly from the Psychology Foundation Account.

The psychology faculty reserves the right to cancel this scholarship at any time if any of the conditions of this application have not been adequately satisfied.