



## ***The Marion and Wayland H. Cato Jr. Scholarship For the 2020-2021 Academic Year***

***Scholarship Amount:*** Dependent upon funding, applicant need, and number of applicants

***Eligibility:*** Awards from the Marion and Wayland H. Cato Jr. Endowed Scholarship Fund for the School of the Arts shall be restricted to undergraduate and graduate full-time students of the School of Arts of the College who are pursuing a course of study as a declared major within the School of the Arts leading to an accredited degree and who also have financial need. (Financial need expressly includes students whose income exceeds government assistance criteria, but who can demonstrate a quantifiable need for assistance.) Preference will be shown to students under consideration for a Marion and Wayland H. Cato Jr. Scholarship who show evidence of 1) having worked for pay or who are working for pay at the present time and 2) having worked without pay in some form of community service or who are working without pay in some form of community service at the present time.

***Application Process:*** *Applicants must register in the new Cougar Scholarship Awarding System (CSAS) at <https://cofc.academicworks.com> to be eligible.* Applications should include a **cover letter** addressing why the applicant is a strong candidate for the Marion and Wayland H. Cato Jr. Scholarship, a **current résumé**, a recent copy of the **applicant's transcript (unofficial is fine)**, and the completed application form below. **Incomplete applications will not be considered.**

***Deadline:*** **March 31, 2020 by 5:00pm**

**Notification** around **April 10, 2020**

**After registering in CSAS, e-mail the completed application to:**  
gammellte@cofc.edu

***Selection Process:*** A committee will review the applications and name the Marion and Wayland H. Cato Jr. Scholars based on the eligibility criteria and the strength of the full application.

***Renewability:*** Students who have received a Marion and Wayland H. Cato Jr. Scholarship will be eligible to apply for renewal of the scholarship (for up to three years) so long as they remain in good standing as the College determines. Marion and Wayland H. Cato Jr. Scholars must maintain a major within the School of the Arts and a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher during the period of the scholarship.

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2020-2021 Application Form

Student Name (first, middle, last):

Address:

College of Charleston Campus Wide ID Number (CWID):

Phone Number(s):

E-mail Address:

Major(s):

Minor(s):

GPA:

Upcoming (20/21) year - sophomore, junior, senior (Circle one)

Enrolled full or part-time? (Circle one.)

Work Experience:

Volunteer/Community Service:

***Use additional pages as necessary to provide all information to complete the application.***