

## **Stouffer International Student Scholarship Application Fort Hays State University**

Jean Stouffer joined the Fort Hays State faculty in 1955 as Dean of Women. One of her many responsibilities in this position was that of Foreign Student Advisor. Upon her death in June of 1976, she left a sum of money to the University from which the interest was to be used for scholarships for international students. To qualify for this scholarship, an international student must meet the following criteria:

1. Be a nonimmigrant, F-1 or J-1 student.
2. Be sponsored by their own family's resources. Students on scholarships or grants are *NOT* eligible.
3. Have attended Fort Hays State University or another institution of higher education in the United States for at least one semester.
4. Have at least a 3.00 (on a 4.00 basis) grade point average.
5. Academic standing is of prime importance. Financial need is considered a strong secondary concern.
6. Plan to return to their home country upon graduation.

This scholarship will be awarded per semester for two semesters. The scholarships are awarded for one academic year only and are nonrenewable. If a student who accepts a scholarship does not return to his/her home country after graduation, the scholarship becomes a loan and must be repaid within six months after graduation or a rate of 7% annual interest will be added to the loan.

**\*Applications must be submitted by 4:00pm, Monday, April 10, 2017\***