



## YUWO Scholarship Application 2025-2026

The Yale University Women's Organization ("YUWO") offers one-year Scholarships to women associated with the Yale community, whose formal education has been interrupted or delayed, and who wish to resume their academic studies or enhance their careers. Current and past scholarship recipients may reapply for one additional year. An applicant's Yale association may be through her own affiliation (past or present) or that of her immediate family. Immediate family is defined as spouse, parent, child, or sibling. *Current members of YUWO and their families are not eligible.*

Applicants are judged on merit and need. The scholarship award may be used only for unmet financial need or course tuition and academic fees only. The award is paid directly to the institution attended.

YUWO encourages all eligible women to apply. Submit the completed application form and all supporting material by emailing a PDF of all documents to [scholarships@yuwowomen.org](mailto:scholarships@yuwowomen.org). The application deadline is March 31, 2025.

Applicants will be informed of the Scholarship Committee's decision by April 30, 2025. Awards will be presented at the YUWO Annual Meeting Luncheon in May 2025. We encourage Scholarship awardees to attend the annual meeting luncheon, but attendance is not required to be awarded a YUWO Scholarship.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

(Please Print or Type)

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email: Personal \_\_\_\_\_

Email: Work \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

Have you received a YUWO Scholarship in a previous Year? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ If yes, when? \_\_\_\_\_

How did you learn about this Scholarship program? \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Education History**

High School / College	Diploma / Degree	Field of Study	Dates
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_____	_____	_____	_____
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Institution you attend or plan to attend: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you plan to attend Full-time \_\_\_ or Part-time \_\_\_?

Are you attending or plan to attend an online program? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

If yes, attach documentation verifying the program's accreditation. *If the program is not accredited, the course of study will not be eligible for a YUWO Scholarship.*

**Employment History**

Company	Position/Title	Dates
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**Volunteer History**

Organization	Position	Dates
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Name \_\_\_\_\_

### Financial Information

Attach a copy of your 2024 W-2 form(s). Black out your Social Security number.

Attach a copy of the first page of your 2024 tax return. Black out your Social Security number.

*Note: Your W-2 and 2024 tax return must be received by April 1, 2025.*

Are you eligible for Yale tuition reimbursement? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ N/A \_\_\_

If not eligible, explain why not \_\_\_\_\_

Have you, or do you intend to apply for other sources of financial aid? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

If yes, please specify \_\_\_\_\_

Educational expenses for the 2025-2026 academic year:

Tuition	\$ _____
Fees	\$ _____
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ _____</b>

Anticipated funding (deduct from total expenses to determine unmet financial need):

Yale tuition reimbursement	-\$ _____
Grants awarded	-\$ _____
Other educational funds	-\$ _____
<b>Unmet financial need*</b>	<b>\$ _____</b>

*\*Only unmet financial need qualifies for YUWO Scholarship funding.*

### **New Applicants**

In addition to the completed application form, a complete application includes the following materials:

1. *A one-page statement* outlining your projected education plans. Include (a) reasons you desire further study and career/educational goals, (b) the challenges that delayed or interrupted your education, (c) a brief statement about the program or courses that you will take, and (d) how this award will affect your plans. Include any other relevant information that you feel may uniquely qualify you for this scholarship.
2. *Two letters of recommendation*, preferably from your work supervisor and an advisor or professor at your current academic institution. If not currently enrolled or employed, you may submit letters from a supervisor of your volunteer work, a leader of your faith-based or community organization, or other non-related individual who has supervised your work. Letters must be typed and signed on letterhead stationery. Send as a PDF directly from the recommender's email to [scholarships@yuwowomen.org](mailto:scholarships@yuwowomen.org).

Name \_\_\_\_\_

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3. A copy of your academic transcript if you are currently enrolled.
4. A JPEG or PDF of your Yale ID or other verifying documentation. Contact [scholarships@yuwowomen.org](mailto:scholarships@yuwowomen.org) with any questions.

**2024-2025 YUWO Scholarship Recipients Reapplying for 2025-2026**

In addition to the completed application form, a complete application includes the following materials:

1. An essay describing your progress toward achieving your goals and your academic plans for the 2025-2026 year.
2. One letter of recommendation, preferably from a professor or program supervisor at your current academic institution. Letters must be typed and signed on letterhead stationery. The recommender is to send a PDF directly from their email to [scholarships@yuwowomen.org](mailto:scholarships@yuwowomen.org).
3. A copy of your most recent academic transcript.
4. A JPEG or PDF of your Yale ID or other verifying documentation. Contact [scholarships@yuwowomen.org](mailto:scholarships@yuwowomen.org) with any questions.

**For All Applicants**

The completed application and all supporting documentation must be received no later than March 31, 2025.

The application is incomplete if missing any of the required supporting documentation and will not be considered. It is the responsibility of the applicant to confirm that all application materials have been received when due. To inquire, contact [scholarships@yuwowomen.org](mailto:scholarships@yuwowomen.org).

Applicants will be informed of the Scholarship Committee's decisions by April 30, 2025.

If you have any questions, contact the Scholarship Program chair at [scholarships@yuwowomen.org](mailto:scholarships@yuwowomen.org).

**Thank you**