

### **Engineering and Science Scholarship**

The University of the District of Columbia Foundation, Inc. is pleased to announce the opening of the competition for the **Engineering and Science Scholarship award**. The scholarship was established to provide financial assistance to Dunbar Senior High School graduates residing in the District of Columbia and majoring in the four-year Electrical and Electronics Engineering Program (civil, mechanical, and computer engineering) at the University of the District of Columbia (UDC).

#### Scholarship Administration

The UDC and UDCF Scholarship Committee or a scholarship committee in the Office of the Dean, School of Engineering and Applied Sciences (SEAS) will be responsible for the selection of the student and monitoring of the recipients' grades.

## Scholarship Award and Amount

The scholarship covers tuition and fees for four (4) academic years, provided funds are available.

#### **Eligibility Criteria**

To be eligible for the scholarship, a student must be a graduate of the Dunbar Senior High School, District of Columbia Public Schools (DCPS); have a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 at the high school level and maintain a 2.5 at the college level; be enrolled at the University in a full-time engineering program leading to an undergraduate degree; be an entering or first-year freshman; submit an official high school or college transcript; and complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

#### Application Procedure and Deadline

# Submit a typewritten double-spaced 500-word essay on one of the following topics:

- 1. Choose a favorite movie, book, quote, or quotation and explain how it has or will personally impact your education at the University of the District of Columbia.
- 2. If you could change places with another person for one year (past or present), who would you choose to be, why, and what would you do?
- 3. The University's expression "Aspire. Accomplish. Take on the World." has an implied meaning. What does the expression mean to you?

Applicants must submit an essay, three (3) letters of recommendation written by either a principal, counselor, teacher, college advisor, professor, dean, or community leader, and a completed *General and Merit Scholarship Application* downloaded from the UDC website on or before May 5 (if this date falls on a non-workday, the next business day applies), to: Dr. Ludwig Nitsche, School of Engineering and Applied Sciences, University of the District of Columbia, 4200 Connecticut Avenue, N.W., Building 42, Room 212, Washington, D.C. 20008 or email Ludwig.nitsche@udc.edu. For further instructions call (202) 274-5220.