

CAREER EXPO 2019

Educate a Nation Scholarship Program

Building People-Building Nations

Background

The Educate a Nation Scholarship program began in 2012 with a generous donation from the Shirley Anne Sullivan Foundation providing 1 year scholarships to six college freshmen to attend the University of Liberia. Career Expo Liberia believes that education is the strongest lever for personal development and capable, active citizens are the strongest lever for long term sustainable change. Together with our donors we award 1 year scholarships to bright, motivated and financially disadvantaged students in Liberia.

Leveraging the Impact

We want to maximize the impact of your donations and ensure sustainable change. This is why we focus on students who have the most potential of success. We select students who have already demonstrated excellence in school and extracurricular activities but lack the finances to continue on to post-secondary education. With your help these students will have the potential to make significant contributions to the economic, political and social development of Liberia.

How You Can Help

With as little as \$200.00 USD you can help one Liberian youth cover the fees and tuition cost for one year at the University of Liberia. With the Educate a Nation program you can name the scholarship you award and receive a profile of the youth you are supporting through your generous donation.

Scholarship Criteria

In order for a student to be eligible for this program he/she must have met the following requirements:

- Have at least a 3.0 or above GPA
- Passed the WAEC exam with a score of 80% or higher (if applicant has passed the University of Liberia entrance exam then they are exempt from the WAEC criteria)
- Successful admission into the University of Liberia

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- Must be an incoming freshman or sophomore student
- Between the ages of 18-24
- Major in one of the following disciplines: Agriculture, Geology, Engineering, Sciences, Renewable Energy, Technology, Waste Management, Information Technology, Public Health

Selection Process

All applicants must complete an application and submit an essay on How a past experience has influenced their development. To ensure transparency all applications will be reviewed by a panel and the top 10 applicants will be awarded scholarships. All scholarship recipients will be awarded their scholarships during the Career Expo 2013 closing ceremony.

If you would like to contribute to the Career Expo Liberia: Educate a Nation Scholarship please contact us @ 0888 259 782 / 0886 375 276 or by email at careerexpoliberia@gmail.com

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