



Mildred B. Erickson Fellowship Application



Dr. Erickson, following the passing of her husband, MSU Provost Clifford E. Erickson, enrolled as a doctoral student in administration and higher education. She became director of adult student advising and assistant dean for lifelong education programs at MSU, working as a tireless advocate for the adult student. Dr. Erickson believed in giving non-traditional students a chance at higher education -- not just financially, but through strong encouragement as well. She dedicated a great portion of her life to helping women attend college and attain the self-respect and credibility that accompany an education. Dr. Erickson was the recipient of numerous titles, distinguished honors, and awards as a result of her illustrious career in teaching, counseling, and community service.

Date: ____/____/____ Email: _____

Phone: () _____ - _____ MSU PID: A_____

Name: _____

Last First Middle

Address: _____

Street City State Zip

Awards are limited to the equivalent of in-state tuition or lifelong education tuition, as applicable. Preference is given to Michigan residents and to students pursuing programs of study at Michigan State University.

How long have you been a Michigan resident? _____

What is your occupation? _____

What is your current position? _____

This application is for the following semester (please check **one** semester only):

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| FALL _____ | SPRING _____ | SUMMER _____ | 200_____ |
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Program: ____ Undergraduate (please check class standing below)
 ____ Freshman ____ Sophomore ____ Junior ____ Senior

____ Graduate Student
 ____ Teacher Certification
 ____ Lifelong Education

Have you applied for a Mildred B. Erickson Scholarship before? ____ Yes ____ No

If yes, semester & year: _____

FINANCIAL STATUS:

| Your yearly income: \$ _____ | | Major Monthly Expenses: | |
|---------------------------------------|----------|-------------------------|----------|
| | | Type | Amount |
| *Other income: | \$ _____ | | \$ _____ |
| | \$ _____ | | \$ _____ |
| | \$ _____ | | \$ _____ |
| | \$ _____ | | \$ _____ |
| | \$ _____ | | \$ _____ |
| | \$ _____ | | \$ _____ |
| TOTAL Annual Household Income: | \$ _____ | | \$ _____ |

*Please include any assistance you receive from government, family, savings if applicable (including loans, assistantships, or educational aid).

Have you applied for help through the Office of Financial Aid? _____ Yes _____ No

If yes, please explain results: _____

Will your income change if you return to school? _____ Yes _____ No

If yes, please explain: _____

Make any comments which will provide further information about your financial situation (use additional sheets if necessary).

EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE:

List in chronological order all educational institutions, including MSU, attended since high school. *ATTACH A REPORT OF STANDINGS/GRADE REPORT OR OFFICAL TRANSCRIPT WITH THIS APPLICATION (PROVIDE THE MOST CURRENT INFORMATION AVAILABLE). (Use additional sheet if necessary).*

| Dates Attended | Institution Name | Location | Major | Credits Earned | GPA | Degree Received |
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EDUCATIONAL PLANS:

What are your current educational goals? _____

Are you currently enrolled? _____ Yes _____ No

Intended area of study: _____

Number of credits required by program: _____ Expected date of graduation: _____

Date applied to MSU: _____ Date accepted to MSU: _____

How many credits have you completed toward your goal (including credits in which you are currently enrolled)? _____

This award covers the total cost of **ONE** MSU class (up to five credits), including tuition, fees, and a possible \$150 for books. The award does not cover multiple courses combined totaling five credits. If you are awarded a fellowship, please state the course toward which the funds will be applied:

Department: _____ Course Number: _____

Course Title: _____

Number of course credits for this class (please circle one): 1 2 3 4 5

AUTOBIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH:

Please tell us something about your background, including education, work, and volunteer experiences. How have these experiences demonstrated your citizenship, responsibility, dependability, commitment, and capabilities? Write about your desire to continue or complete your education, discuss your long-term plans and goals, and explain how further education may be of value to you. This sketch should convince the awards committee that you deserve the award by building your case with the best information possible. Take your time and do it carefully. Your presentation (please attach to this document).

Signature: _____ Date: _____

MILDRED B. ERICKSON FELLOWSHIP APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Please read carefully:

- Official transcript, Report of Standing, or Grade Report **MUST** be attached (or received/postmarked by the application deadline) for **EACH** institution that you have attended.
- Autobiographical Sketch **MUST** be attached to application.

IMPORTANT: The applicant is responsible for obtaining ALL required materials. If above materials are not received/postmarked by the application deadline for the semester in which you are applying, your application will NOT be considered for an award.

APPLICATION DEADLINES – **MUST** be postmarked by:

Fall Semester – July 15
Spring Semester – October 15
Summer Semester – April 15

PLEASE SUBMIT COMPLETED APPLICATION AND REQUIRED MATERIALS TO:

RADEMA96@MSU.EDU

Or if you cannot submit electronically

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