**Thalacker-Trytten Scholarship**

Guidelines and Instructions

The Departments of Chemistry, Physics and Mathematics at UWSP urge qualified students to apply for the Thalacker-Trytten Scholarship, established by UWSP alumnus Victor P. Thalacker in memory of his mentor Professor Roland Trytten.

*The Nature of the Award:*

The total amount of the award is $6,000. It will be applied to your UWSP tuition in two equal payments in the fall and spring semesters of the upcoming academic year.

*Criteria for Selection:*

* You must be a chemistry, physics or mathematics major at UWSP at the time of application.
* You must have completed at least 60 credits of coursework by the beginning of the fall semester of the upcoming academic year.
* You are intending to be a full-time student during both the fall and spring semesters of the upcoming academic year.
* You have maintained at least a cumulative 3.0 GPA in your major plus any other courses completed in the three disciplines, i.e. for a Chemistry Major the GPA would include all chemistry courses plus those taken in physics and mathematics, and similarly for the other majors.
* You intend to pursue a career in teaching at the secondary level or to pursue graduate studies in one of the above disciplines.
* You must be either a U.S. citizen or permanent resident of the U.S.

*To Apply:*

* Complete and submit all sections of the application form.
* Submit a UWSP Degree Progress Report and transcripts from other colleges that you have attended. If appropriate, include additional evidence of your academic achievement and extracurricular involvement at previous colleges.
* Arrange to have a letter of recommendation submitted on your behalf.

*Applications are available at the Chemistry, Mathematics, and Physics Departmental Offices.*

*Application Deadline:* **March 15, 2024**

Please email all materials to chemistry@uwsp.edu

Alternatively, you may deliver your application to the Chemistry Department Office in CBB 303.

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**Application Form**

**In order to be considered for this scholarship you must meet the "*criteria for selection*" listed in application guidelines.**

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| **1.** | **Name:** |  |
| **2.** | **Local Address:** |  |
| **3.** | **Phone:** |  | **Email:** |  |
| **4.** | **Are you a US citizen or permanent resident of the U.S.?** |  |
| **5.** | **List all the majors you are currently pursuing:** |  |
| **6.** | **List all the minors you are currently pursuing:** |  |
| **7.** | **Complete the following table. Include all the courses you have completed in Chemistry, Mathematics, and/or Physics.** |

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| **Courses** | **Credits** | **Grades** | **Courses** | **Credits** | **Grades** |
| Calculus I |  |  |  |  |  |
| Calculus II |  |  |  |  |  |
| Calculus III |  |  |  |  |  |
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| **8.** | **List any leadership activities you are involved with within your department (Chemistry, Mathematics, or Physics).** |
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| **9.** | **List any leadership activities you are involved with within UWSP or the community.** |
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| **10.** | **List any research experiences you have participated in at UWSP or another university.** |
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| **11.** | **List any awards, both academic and extracurricular, that you have received during your college career.** |
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| **12.** | **List any other aspects in your background not identified above, if any, that you feel would be pertinent to your receiving a scholarship that recognizes excellence in Chemistry, Mathematics, or Physics.** |
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| **13.** | **Please write a paragraph on your career aspirations (you may write this on a separate sheet of paper).** |
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