**STAGE ONE OF THE APPLICATION**

*DUE: FRIDAY* ***Friday, March******11*** *as electronic file to Nancy Rahn (nrahn);* **save under file name SurnameStageOne as a single document**

1. **COVER SHEET & DEMOGRAPHICS; AWARD ELIGIBILITY CHECKLIST**

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|  NAME: | UIN # |
| PERMANENT ADDRESS: |
| CAMPUS ADDRESS: |
| PHONE(S): | EMAIL: |
| ACADEMIC MAJOR: \_\_\_ Teaching of English \_\_\_ Teaching of English, from downstate  \_\_\_ English  \_\_\_ English & Creative Writing \_\_\_ Creative Writing |
| OVERALL CUMULATIVE GPA AS OF FALL SEMESTER 2021: /4.00 |
| CUMULATIVE GPA, UIUC ENGLISH & CW COURSES, AS OF FALL SEMESTER 2021: /4.00 |
| TOTAL # OF ENGLISH COURSES AT ILLINOIS (INCLUDES THIS SPRING SEMESTER): |
| CLASS STATUS AS OF **FALL 2022 (next fall)**:(VERIFY WITH ADVISOR IF UNSURE) |

**AWARDS**

These scholarships are available to undergraduates in the Department of English. Each scholarship has specific criteria, as indicated below. The phrase “English majors” also includes Creative Writing and Teaching of English majors. **Read carefully and check all for which you wish to be considered. Teaching of Education majors may also apply to awards for English majors generally.**

**For Teaching of Education Majors only:**

• \_\_\_ Alfred & Norma Snap Scholarship: Teaching of English majors, junior or

senior standing, planning to teach at high school level

• \_\_\_ J. N. Hook Scholarship: junior or senior standing, preparing to teach English in junior or senior high school, **with consideration of financial need** (as presented by the student’s scholarship application essay).

• \_\_\_ Leo B. Kneer Scholarship: English majors with demonstrated potential as an English teacher

**For Teaching of Education Majors, rising juniors as of Fall 2022 only:**

• \_\_\_ E. Veda Streitmatter & Arlys Streitmatter Conrad Scholarship: English majors, junior

standing, with demonstrated promise or success in study of English language and grammar, preference to those enrolled in Teaching of English, ‘first preference that scholarship recipients be from downstate Illinois’

**For English Majors, rising juniors as of Fall 2022 only:**

• \_\_\_ Charles S. Montooth Scholarship fund: For English majors entering their junior year and majoring in English; can be renewable (so a rising junior who receives it can re-apply the next year).

**For English Majors (note class standing restrictions):**

 • \_\_\_ Delmar G. Cooke Scholarship: English majors, merit-based, any class standing

• \_\_\_ Ethel Frances Crate Scholarship: English majors, merit-based, any class standing

 • \_\_\_ Emily J. Friedrich Memorial Scholarship: English majors, merit-based, any class standing

• \_\_\_ Paul J. Cooke English Award: English majors, merit-based, any class standing

• \_\_\_ Miles W. O’Loughlin III Scholarship: English majors, merit-based, any standing

• \_\_\_ Carolyn Joyce Pape Award (preference female): English majors, merit-based, junior or senior standing

 • \_\_\_ Robert D. Novak Scholarship: English majors, any class standing, with demonstrated superior writing skills (letter should address evidence for writing skills and ideally have referees verify this)

**For English Majors (applications require you to address your eligibility):**

 • \_\_\_ Raymond Seng Scholarship: English majors, Illinois resident, top 25% of high school class, good personal reputation, renewable (funding applied toward tuition and fees) **Application letter must address your qualifications for this scholarship\* (if in doubt about eligibility, still apply/contact DUS)**

• \_\_\_ Tessa M. Oberg Scholarship Fund: English major, any standing, who has been employed part-time while enrolled full-time, and whose scholarship essay demonstrates a focused extracurricular commitment. Referees also will be asked to discuss these commitments in their letters.

• \_\_\_ Judson J. Meils Memorial Scholarship Fund: English major. Fund shall annually support one or two undergraduate scholarships in the Unit. Recipients shall be sophomore, junior, or senior standing, and have academic merit and financial need; **student application must address financial need**

1. **SCAN OR COPY AND PASTE OF UNOFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS AS OF MARCH 1 2022.**
2. **INDICATE WHETHER ANY TRANSFER CREDITS**
3. **NAMES OF 2 FACULTY RECOMMENDERS WILLING TO WRITE LETTERS FOR YOU, TO BE DUE TO NANCY RAHN BY Monday, April 18 PROVIDED YOU ARE APPROVED TO ADVANCE TO STAGE TWO**
4. **Name, email**
5. **Name, email**

By signing or typing my name below, I certify that all the information provided by me in this application is true and accurately reflects work that I have completed. The Department of English has my permission to verify any information I have stated herein. I understand that misrepresentation of any information contained in this application will disqualify me from consideration for the scholarships administered by the Department of English.

 SIGNATURE DATE