The UCSB Professional Women's Association (PWA) promotes the advancement of women at UCSB and serves as a voice for women in the discussion of campus issues. PWA's goals include education, acknowledging women's contributions to UCSB, mentoring, and outreach to the campus and community.

PWA offers a limited number of $200 book grants to re-entry/non-traditional students each year. The grants will be awarded to current UCSB re-entry/non-traditional students who might face unique challenges in completing their degrees as they juggle being a student, parent, wage earner, community volunteer, and/or participant in co-curricular activities. UCSB defines a re-entry/non-traditional student as someone who is returning to his or her education after a period of time, and/or is married, and/or has dependents. The committee will choose the grant recipients based on a student’s application and financial need.

Eligibility:

Applicant must be a currently enrolled UCSB re-entry/non-traditional student, as defined above.
Past award recipients are not eligible to re-apply.

Submission Instructions:

Applications must be completed online through OrgSync. Paper applications will not be accepted.
Applications are due by Wednesday, April 22, 2015 by 5:00PM PST.
Late applications will not be accepted.

Details:

In compliance with campus Financial Aid reporting practices, PWA must report selected winners to UCSB Office of Financial Aid & Scholarships. PWA must report selected winners to UCSB Office of Financial Aid & Scholarships.
Disclaimer: In the event an applicant is selected, receiving the PWA Legacy & Barbara S. Uehling Book Grant may result in an adjusted financial aid package (for unsubsidized Direct loan holders)
Applicants will be notified if they were selected and announced to the community no later than Friday, April 24, 2015.
Book grants are distributed at the beginning of May 2015.
Winners will be recognized at the PWA Professional Development Conference in May 2015.

For more information, email PWA Recognitions & Awards Chair: Keri Bradford at Keri.Bradford@sa.ucsb.edu

Applicant Information

Contact Information:
Valid input:
- must be 10-15 digits long and may include only numbers, hyphens, and spaces.
- name@myschool.edu

First name:
Middle initial:
Last name:
Email address:
Phone number:
Address:
City:
State:
ZIP:

UCSB Perm Number: [Required]
Valid input:
- Numeric - ex: 1111

UCSB Class Level: [Required]

Target Graduation Date: [Required]
Default: June 2015

Age: [Required]
Valid input:
- Numeric - ex: 1111

Are you a parent? [Required]
Number of Dependents: [Required]
Please indicate the number of dependents. If none, please enter "0".
Valid input:
- Numeric - ex: 1111

Ages of Dependents: [Required]
Please list ages of dependents. Example: 2, 8, 21, 82

Major(s)/Minor(s): [Required]

PWA Legacy & Barbara S. Uehling Book Grant Application Questions

Why do you believe that you would be an appropriate recipient of the 2014-2015 PWA Legacy & Barbara S. Uehling Book Grant for Re-Entry/Non-Traditional Students?

Describe your educational and/or community achievements--be sure to include other colleges and/or universities attended (include time lines). Consider your grade point average, your course load, school committees, job, and/or community service projects.

Describe your career goals.

Please include any financial information you wish the committee to consider.

Acknowledgement of Terms [Required]
I certify that the information on this application is complete and accurate. I certify that I meet the criteria for this grant as stated in the application instructions.
Valid input:
- Select only one choice.

[ ] I Agree

Acknowledgement of Office of Financial Aid & Scholarships Disclosure [Required]
I understand that, if selected as a winner, PWA must notify the UCSB Office of Financial Aid & Scholarships and as a result, my financial aid package may be adjusted.
Valid input:
- Select only one choice.

[ ] I Agree

Acknowledgement of Publicity [Required]
I understand that by applying for the PWA Legacy & Barbara S. Uehling Book Grant winners will be announced to the community via written and electronic means (i.e. social media). I also understand that winners will be recognized publicly at the PWA Professional Development Conference in May 2015.
Valid input:
- Select only one choice.

[ ] I Agree
Thank you for completing our application! When you are ready to submit your completed application, please press “Finish” and follow the module directions.

If you have any questions, please contact the PWA Recognitions & Awards Chair: Keri Bradford at Keri.Bradford@sa.ucsb.edu