



# UNCF DeVry University Gateway Scholarship Applicant FAQs: 2022

## QUESTION 1

### What is the UNCF DeVry Gateway Scholarship?

The United Negro College Fund (UNCF) DeVry Gateway Scholarship will provide a minimum of 30 eligible candidates each \$5,000 - \$10,000 in need-based or merit-based scholarships to students who enroll in one of the qualifying undergraduate or graduate certificate programs.

## QUESTION 2

### WHAT CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS ARE ELIGIBLE FOR THE UP TO \$10,000 UNCF DEVRY GATEWAY SCHOLARSHIP?

#### Undergraduate Certificates – Needs Based

- Business Essentials\*
- Information Technology Essentials\*
- Networking Essentials\*
- Programming Essentials\*
- Internet of Things
- Cyber Security
- Cloud Computing
- Medical Billing & Coding
- Medical Billing & Coding – Health Information Coding
- Data Mining and Analytics
- Software Design and Solutions
- Web and Mobile Application Development
- Website Design
- Website Development

\*these certificate programs are only eligible up to \$5,000.

#### Graduate Certificates – Merit Based

- Big Data & Analytics\*
- Global Supply Chain Management\*
- Project Management\*
- Information Security\*
- Entrepreneurship\*
- Human Resources Management\*
- Health Services Management\*
- CPA Prep

## QUESTION 3

### What is the length and cost of each of the certificate programs?

The certificate program completion time typically takes 8-18 months for full-time students depending on the program, not including breaks, and assuming year-round, full time enrollment.

## QUESTION 4

### What are the eligibility requirements for the UNCF DeVry Gateway Scholarship?

1. Must be Black or African American
2. Must be U.S. citizen or permanent resident
3. Must have GPA of 2.5 or higher
4. Must have transcripts uploaded to portal (High School or College) which include GPA
5. Must have a DeVry Official Acceptance letter
6. Must have completed FAFSA, if needed, and submitted any supplemental documents
7. Must have enrolled in one of DeVry's undergraduate or graduate certificate programs by the November 2022 session
8. Must submit a one-page personal statement of career interest of no more than 500 words

## QUESTION 5

### How do I begin the process of applying for the UNCF DeVry Gateway scholarship?

- Step 1: [inquire](#) with DeVry
- Step 2: a DeVry Admissions Advisor reaches out and guides you through the DeVry application
- Step 3: complete the Financial Aid application process
- Step 4: [apply](#) with UNCF for the Gateway Scholarship
- Step 5: UNCF & DeVry review applicants
- Step 6: scholarship recipients are selected and notified

## QUESTION 6

### Will the scholarship cover the total cost of the certificate program?

Most likely not. However, students may seek additional funding opportunities from other resources. You can talk to your DeVry Student Support Advisor for more guidance.

## QUESTION 7

### When will I receive the UNCF DeVry Gateway Scholarship funds from DeVry?

The deadline for the scholarship is October 18, 2022. It will take approximately 8 weeks for UNCF to determine who will be awarded the scholarship.

Once UNCF has provided DeVry with the recipients' names and award amounts, DeVry will award the scholarship within the first two semesters of enrollment. Scholarship funding and disbursement will be determined based on session start and dependent on length of program.

Qualifying students may receive up to \$10,000 (maximum lifetime award). The scholarship award winner will receive this amount over their first two semesters. The award will be divided into two disbursements with the following breakdown per semester. Disbursement of funds will be paid beginning the first semester of enrollment. Below is an example chart outlining scholarship award amounts and the semesters they would be awarded.

Up to \$10,000 Winner over 2 semesters			
1st Semester	1st Semester	2nd Semester	2nd Semester
Session 1	Session 2**	Session 3	Session 4
JumpStart Complimentary Course*	30% Partner Tuition Savings	30% Partner Tuition Savings	30% Partner Tuition Savings

## QUESTION 8

### How long is this scholarship program available/active?

The scholarship application window is from July 20, 2022 through October 18, 2022

## QUESTION 9

### Will DeVry University help guide you through the financial aid process for addition funding? What about state/federal grants and scholarships?

DeVry Student Support Advisors will help guide you through the financial aid process to determine eligibility for grants, scholarships, loans and any other funding sources for which you may be eligible

## READY TO GET STARTED?

Visit the [UNCF DeVry Gateway Scholarship page](#) to learn more and begin your journey.



<sup>1</sup>This does not include breaks and it assumes year-round, full-time enrollment.

Recipients must be new or a readmit students who enroll in an undergraduate or graduate certificate program, included in the scholarship, at DeVry by the September or November 2022 session. A readmit student is defined as a student who has previously attended DeVry University but has not been enrolled in courses during the past 12 months.

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