

# **Elizabeth Keith Olmstead & John and Kathryn von Saltza Memorial Scholarship in English**

Professor Robert Olmstead and Chris von Saltza Olmstead founded this award to honor the memory of their parents--Elizabeth Keith Olmstead and John and Kathryn von Saltza--by providing support for students who are majoring in English in their Junior and/or Senior years.

## **Availability**

When offered applications are accepted for this scholarship in Spring -- to be awarded in Fall.

## **Award**

Up to \$1000 per semester for up to two semesters (eligibility criteria must be met for second semester distribution). Student recipients may reapply and may receive the scholarship for another year--up to a total of four semesters.

## **Eligibility**

Applicants must meet the following criteria the semester the scholarship is awarded:

- English major enrolled in 9 units or more at the time of application.
- Eligible class levels: Junior or Senior. Must have completed a minimum of 60 units at the time of application.
- Grade Point Average: Minimum GPA of 3.3 in the major.
- Criteria must be met to be eligible for second semester distribution.
- Financial need is not required.
- Consideration shall be made for applicants who have been continuously enrolled at CSUS since their freshman year.
- Student recipients may reapply and may receive the scholarship for another year--up to a total of four semesters. In this case, the student's application will be considered as part of the entire applicant pool.

## **How to Apply**

Applicants must submit all of the following materials to Calaveras 103 by the department deadline:

- English department Scholarship Applicant Information Form
- a statement of purpose of no more than 500 words

# English Department Scholarships

<http://www.csus.edu/engl/scholarships.html>

## FALL - APPLICANT INFORMATION FORM

Please provide us with the following identification and contact information. This form supplements the information collected with the award-specific application materials; it does not replace any award-specific application forms. The information collected on this form will help us notify you if you win an award. **Please fill out a separate form for each scholarship application you submit.**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**SID:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Phone #:** (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate the scholarship for which you are applying:

- John F. Wilhelm Memorial Scholarship
- Katherine Hohlwein Poetry Award of Merit
- Karen Lee Warmdahl Memorial Scholarship
- Literary Insight Award
- Elizabeth Keith Olmstead & John and Kathryn von Saltza Memorial Scholarship
- Patrick Michael Ewing Memorial Scholarship
- Hortense Simmons Study Abroad Scholarship
- Robert G Mino Memorial Writing Contest
- Ray Brankline and Paulette Gray English Scholarship
- Theresa Mary McCourt Memorial Scholarship

**All Fall scholarship applications must be submitted to the department office (Calaveras 103) by 4pm on the day of the deadline.** Award winners will be recognized at the department's annual graduation ceremony in May.