

Dorothy A. Miller Memorial Scholarship

Two Dorothy A. Miller Scholars will be selected and notified of their awards during the month of May. The guidelines for those eligible to apply are as follows:

- MSW or social work Ph.D. student currently enrolled, or BASW student with an Advanced Standing acceptance letter
- Completed all 600 level courses by end of Spring semester 2003
- Must have at least one semester remaining to graduate
- Have at least a 3.5 GPA in all graduate work at UK
- Submission of a signed application form (available in POT 602)
- Completion of an original, creative essay on student's chosen topic. Essay should be a maximum of 12 pages in length, double-spaced, 1" margins, 12 pt. Font, and using APA style

Professor Dorothy Miller taught for many years at the University of Kentucky College of Social Work and was one of the original participants in the development of the graduate curriculum in social work. Professor Miller was particularly committed to social work education and to increasing the knowledge base of the profession. Her husband, daughter, colleagues, and friends created this scholarship in her memory and invite students to submit well-reasoned, professional quality papers on a timely issue in social work education.

TOPIC: Think about a problem, research topic or concept of importance to social workers (for example: privacy, confidentiality, diversity, importance of families, mental health system, etc.). What ideas do you have for improving the problem? What role should social work play? Where would you start?

Your paper should be informed by your *personal knowledge of and experience with the topic* as well as a *competent review of pertinent literature*. The selection committee will choose two papers which are scholarly and insightful, and which have the potential for publication in a professional journal. Each submission must be well-documented with timely and relevant references.

DEADLINE: The latest date that essays may be submitted is 4:30 p.m. on *March 28, 2003*. No extensions or exceptions. Cash awards will be applied toward the winners' summer or fall tuition. Mail [applications](#) to: Dorothy A. Miller Memorial Scholarship, College of Social Work, 602 Patterson Office Tower, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY 40506-0027.

1st Place Award = \$2,500
2nd Place Award = \$2,000