Alex Anagnos Scholarship

Information and Application
Due June 2, 2014

What is the Alex Anagnos Scholarship?

The Alex Anagnos Scholarship is awarded to two students in the UCSF School of Nursing who have demonstrated a commitment to serving the needs of vulnerable and underserved populations. While all students who can demonstrate a past commitment to such service are eligible to apply, priority will be given to:

- men in nursing or those who strive to promote the service of men in nursing, and/or
- students in the Psychiatric/Mental Health Nursing specialty area (If you are not in the Psych/Mental Health specialty, please address how you are serving Psych Nursing)

The scholarship is named for Alex Anagnos. Alex received his Master of Science in mental health and nursing administration from UCSF in 1979. He previously received Bachelor of Science degrees in biochemistry and nursing from the University of Massachusetts and Cornell, respectively, and was in the PhD program at UCSF.

Well known as an advocate for the mentally ill and for having a commitment to ethical, high quality, and patient-centered care, Alex served at San Francisco General Hospital as the Director of Nursing Services for the Mental Health Rehabilitation Facility, and as Consultation Liaison Clinical Nurse Specialist.

Prior to that, he served as Director of Quality Improvement for the San Francisco City and County Division of Mental Health. He also served the School as Assistant Clinical Professor, and was well loved as a preceptor for many students in Psychiatric/Mental Health Nursing and Nursing Administration specialties.

What does the Alex Anagnos Scholarship provide?

The school offers two $8,000 awards each academic year.

Who is eligible to apply?

All currently enrolled Nursing MEPN, MS, and Nursing PhD students are eligible to apply. In addition, newly admitted MS and Nursing PhD students may apply. Students who meet the following application criteria:

- Full time student with a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0
- Students who exhibit potential for high achievement in the nursing profession and a commitment to care for vulnerable and underserved populations upon graduation.
- While any student who can demonstrate a past commitment to serving the needs of vulnerable and underserved populations may apply, preference will be given to:
  1) men in nursing or those who can best promote the service of men in nursing, 2) students in the Psychiatric/Mental Health Nursing specialty (if you are not in the Psych/Mental Health specialty, please address how you are serving Psych Nursing), and 3) students who demonstrate a commitment to improving the quality of care delivery systems for vulnerable and underserved populations.
- There are no citizenship requirements.
- Previous awardees may reapply.
What are the awardees' responsibilities?

If you are granted an Alex Anagnos Scholarship, you must:

- Maintain a GPA of at least 3.0
- Maintain full-time registered student status
  (minimum of 8 units for MS students; 6 units for PhD students).
  No support can be provided to students in *Filing Fee Status*.

Awardees will each receive $8,000 for the current academic year (disbursed in three quarterly installments). Awardees may reapply each year.

What is the application process?

Complete the Anagnos application and submit it by the deadline (two formats available: Microsoft Word or PDF). Obtain the application from the School of Nursing web site (*Student Financial Support* page).

When and where do I submit my application?

- *Must be received by June 2, 2014 at 4:00 p.m.*

Submit the completed application to the Nursing Student Affairs office:

  *Attn: Anagnos Scholarship*
  UCSF Nursing Student Affairs
  2 Koret Way, Room N-319X
  San Francisco, CA  94143-0602

Award notification letters will be sent by mid-July.

Any further questions?

Please contact Jill Lam at  jillian.lam@nursing.ucsf.edu
## Section A: Personal Information

1. Full Legal Name

2. Current Mailing Address

3. Permanent Mailing Address

4. Email

## Section B: History of service to vulnerable/underserved populations

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Section C: Essay - Describe relevant personal interests and professional career objectives relevant to this application:

Section D: Essay - Describe the type of service you have provided in the past for vulnerable or underserved populations:
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Print Full Name

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