The Yvonne M. Kheir Scholarship

The Yvonne M. Kheir Scholarship is awarded to a student majoring in Electrical and Computer Engineering.

Dr. Naim A. Kheir served with distinction as a professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering at the University of Alabama in Huntsville from 1969 to 1987. His lifelong dedication to learning and genuine interest in teaching set a worthy example of professionalism, and he served as an excellent role model to the young people he encountered. He established this scholarship to benefit students in Electrical and Computer Engineering at UAH, in the hope of contributing so that future generations of students will be able to reach their fullest potential by acquiring college degrees in Electrical and Computer Engineering, and will in turn provide a pool of highly qualified graduates who will contribute to the betterment of the society in which they live. This scholarship is named to honor the memory of his mother, Yvonne M. Kheir.

This scholarship is renewable for up to three additional years. The student must maintain a full-time course load (12 credit hours) each semester. In addition, recipients must complete a total of 24 credit hours each academic year and have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher to be eligible for renewal. Students should submit a scholarship application every year in order to update their files and possibly be eligible for other awards.