The Dorothy Wright Thrasher and Tom Goodman Thrasher Presidential Scholarship

The Dorothy Wright Thrasher and Tom Goodman Thrasher Presidential Scholarship is awarded to a student who demonstrates academic achievement and financial need, and shows promise as a future leader in community service.

The scholarship was established in 1994 by Tom G. Thrasher, Trustee of the UAH Foundation, and his wife, Dorothy. The Thrasher family was among the earliest supporters of UAH who saw a vision of what the University could become. Mr. Thrasher was a long-time civic leader and a founding member and former vice chairman of the UAH Foundation. In the 1950s, after the tract of land now known as the UAH campus was purchased by the Huntsville City Council, Mr. Thrasher was a member of the team that helped establish UAH.

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, have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher, and must submit a scholarship application by the priority deadline each year to be eligible for renewal of this award.