The Dr. Harold J. Wilson Memorial Scholarship

The Dr. Harold J. Wilson Memorial Scholarship is given with preference to students of underrepresented minority groups and is based on academic merit.

The Dr. Harold J. Wilson Memorial Scholarship was established in 1992 to reward scholarship and hard work and to support academically promising students as they pursue their college education. The scholarship is named in memory of Dr. Wilson, who served UAH for 20 years as a professor of Biological Sciences, Chair of the Biological Sciences Department, and Dean of the College of Science where he helped lead the rapid growth of the college’s teaching, research, and service programs. Dr. Wilson’s primary interest throughout his career was the education of his students; he was dedicated to students and provided assistance outside the classroom, including serving as an advisor to Kappa Alpha Psi fraternity. This scholarship helps sustain his positive influence on students.

This scholarship is renewable for up to four 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.