The Sue Ballou Weir Scholarship

The Sue Ballou Weir Scholarship is awarded to a student of any major who demonstrates academic merit, leadership, and financial need, with preference given to single mothers whose children reside with them and females of non-traditional age who are returning to earn a degree.

The scholarship was established in 2002 in honor of Sue Ballou Weir by her children and friends. Sue Weir retired from UAH in September 2000 after 22 years of employment. During her tenure as the UAH research administrator, research grants grew from $3 million to $40 million and her staff increased in number from four to thirteen.

This scholarship is renewable for up to three additional years. The student must maintain a full-time course load (undergraduate - 12 credit hours, or graduate - 9 credit hours) each semester. In addition, recipients must complete a total of 24 credit hours (graduate - 18 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.