What is the Last-Mile Fund?

UAH Last-Mile Funds help to reduce financial barriers to graduation for upper-level, degree-seeking, undergraduate students. Funds are disbursed to students who have completed at least 90 credit hours toward their undergraduate degree, with preference given to students in their last 30 degree-seeking hours (or who have registered to graduate) and whose financial status reflects the greatest need.

Meet a Last-Mile Fund Recipient

After losing his job as a security guard Hunter McClure struggled to pay the bills while continuing his studies. Contracting Covid-19 made things all the more difficult. Despite making it to his final year as an undergraduate student, graduation seemed like a distant possibility. Because of the Last-Mile Fund’s assistance, McClure was able to graduate, receive a fellowship to work for “First Things” magazine in Manhattan, New York.