

TBI Turley - Wallman Scholarship

History and Background

Created as a perpetual scholarship in 2001, the TBI Turley - Wallman Scholarship was firmly established by a group of Alumni of Tau Beta Iota Fraternity (TBI) with the intent of making resources available to fellow Brothers and their sons. Also, they created this scholarship to recognize the valuable service of George Henry Turley and Lawrence Albert Wallman, Sr.'s long standing commitment to TBI Fraternity, and the two institutions of higher learning now known as Fairmont State University and Pierpont Community & Technical College.

George Henry Turley (1902-1999) graduated in 1931 from Fairmont State Teachers College. He completed his baccalaureate studies with the first class to graduate from Fairmont State Teachers College after the institution officially changed its name from Fairmont State Normal School. Brother Turley joined the faculty of Fairmont State Teachers College in the Fall of 1940 and went on to serve as Professor of English and Speech; Dean of Men; and Faculty Advisor to Tau Beta Iota Fraternity. Brother Turley's service to Fairmont State spanned seven decades. Named in his honor the Turley Center commemorates his memory of dedicated service.

Lawrence Albert Wallman, Sr. (1902-1980) graduated from West Virginia University and joined the faculty of Fairmont State Normal School in the Fall of 1929. Brother Wallman went on to serve as Professor of Speech and Drama; Director of Theatre; and Faculty Advisor to Tau Beta Iota Fraternity. Brother Wallman's affiliation with Fairmont State spanned six decades. Named in his honor Wallman Hall commemorates his memory of dedicated service to our institution.

George Turley and Lawrence Wallman's contributions to Fairmont State University and Pierpont Community & Technical College during their tenure at the Normal School, Teachers College, and State College warrant special recognition. However, their dedication as loyal Brothers of Tau Beta Iota Fraternity and their unselfish contributions as Advisors spanning many years left a strong legacy for TBI Fraternity to follow into the future. It is our humble intent that this scholarship may in some small way demonstrate the respect and gratitude held by members of TBI Fraternity for the tireless efforts of these dedicated Brothers.

Funded by individual contributions freely given by Brothers of TBI Fraternity our TBI Turley - Wallman Scholarship is a fully endowed scholarship and is administered by Fairmont State Foundation, Inc. TBI Alumni Association assumed trusteeship of this scholarship in 2006 with the purpose of being good stewards in accordance with the purpose and intentions established by the scholarship's founders.

In 2009 TBI Alumni Association amended the TBI Turley - Wallman Scholarship to address the division of the College into two separate institutions; Fairmont State University and Pierpont Community & Technical College. Our association further expanded eligibility to those enrolled in master's degree programs at Fairmont State University meeting scholarship eligibility requirements.

Amended by the TBI Alumni Association Scholarship Committee In 2010, the TBI Turley - Wallman Scholarship is now extended to other eligible family members of TBIs.

Revised 8/6/2022. (Previous Versions Obsolete)

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Eligibility Requirements

1. Applicants must be initiated members of Tau Beta Iota Fraternity. TBI Alumni are eligible to apply, and eligibility is extended to the immediate family members of TBI's. Immediate Family is defined as a parent, brother, sister, child, or grandchild of any initiated member of TBI Fraternity. If there are no qualified applicants from the aforementioned group, at its discretion, the TBI Scholarships Committee may select a male West Virginia resident with financial need, who meets the criteria of Eligibility Requirements #2 thru #7, or choose to make no award(s) for the year.
2. Applicants must be considered a full-time student at Fairmont State University or Pierpont Community & Technical College. However, master's degree applicants are not required to hold full-time student status while in a master's program.
3. Applicants must have a minimum cumulative Grade Point Average of 3.0 on the 4.0 scale, and be making normal progress toward four-year Bachelors, two-year Associates, or a master's degree.
4. Applicants who are at Fairmont State University in a four-year degree program must have completed 56 hours by the end of the Spring Semester.
5. Applicants who are enrolled at Fairmont State University in a two-year degree program must have completed 30 hours by the end of the Spring Semester.
6. Applicants who are enrolled at Fairmont State University in a master's degree program must have completed a minimum of one semester in a master's degree program by the end of the Spring Semester.
7. Applicants who are enrolled at Pierpont Community & Technical College must have completed 30 hours by the end of the Spring Semester.
8. Applicant must display good moral character. (i.e. integrity, honesty, reliability, trustworthiness, etc.)
9. Applicant must have demonstrated a willingness to serve Fairmont State University, Pierpont Community & Technical College, and / or the local civic community; as determined to be adequate by the TBI Alumni Association Scholarship Committee.
10. Applicant must have engaged in the functions and activities of TBI Fraternity and the extracurricular activities of Fairmont State University or Pierpont Community & Technical College; as determined to be adequate by the TBI Alumni Association Scholarship Committee.

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Application Form and Cover Sheet

Must be received by FSU / PC&TC Financial Aid Office or postmarked yearly by June 1st.

Today's Date:

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Last Name:

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First Name:

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Middle Name:

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Suffix (i.e. Jr., II, etc.):

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Social Security Number:

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Home Telephone:

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School Telephone:

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Mailing Address

Street #, P.O. Box etc.:

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City:

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State:

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Zip Code:

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Home Address

Street #, P.O. Box etc.:

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City:

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State:

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Zip Code:

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School Address

Street #, P.O. Box etc.:

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City:

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State:

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Zip Code:

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Which Academic Institution (s) are you Attending? (Check One or Both)

Fairmont State University:

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Pierpont Community and Technical College:

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Degree Background Check all that apply.	Yes	No
2 Year Associate Degree:		
Four Year Baccalaureate Degree:		
Master of Arts Degree:		
Master of Science Degree:		

Field of Study
Associate Field of Study:
Baccalaureate Major Field of Study:
Baccalaureate Minor Field of Study:
Masters Field of Study:

Credit Hours Completed

Credit Hours Enrolled for this Semester

Cumulative Grade Point Average

Are You Currently

Active?
Inactive?
Alumni?
Semester Pledged TBI:
Are your dues & assessments paid up on the date of this application? (Yes or No)
If no, or Inactive what amount are you in arrears to the Fraternity? \$
Amount that you are indebted to TBI Fraternity and / or TBI Alumni Association. \$

Are you a family member of a TBI? Yes or No	
Which member of TBI are you a relative of?	
Relationship to the TBI listed above?	Parent, Brother, Sister, Child, Grandchild

Essay Question 1

Address following subject in essay form, there is no requirement to the length of your response

Describe your moral character. (Integrity, Honesty, Reliability, Trustworthiness, etc.)

Essay Question 2

Address following subject in essay form, there is no requirement to the length of your response.

Describe your involvement in and willingness to serve FSU, PC&TC, and /or the civic community.

Essay Question 3

Address following subject in essay form, there is no requirement to the length of your response.

Describe your involvement in and contributions to the functions and activities of TBI Fraternity.

Essay Question 4

Address following subject in essay form, there is no requirement to the length of your response.

Describe your involvement in the extra-curricular activities of FSU or Pierpont C&T.

CERTIFICATION OF ACCURACY & RELEASE FOR DISCLOSURE:

By my signature below, I hereby certify that the information contained in this application and attached pages are complete, accurate, and true to the best of my knowledge. I acknowledge that false or misleading statements in any part of this application are grounds for rejection of the application. I furthermore grant authorization to Fairmont State University or Pierpont C&TC for the release all relative financial, academic, or administrative information to the TBI Turley - Wallman Scholarship Committee for consideration of this application.

Printed Name:

Signature: Date:

SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS: This completed application, with all attached sheets, is to be mailed to or dropped off by the applicant at the financial aid office of the institution that you are applying through listed below.

1. Fairmont State Applicants

Fairmont State University
Attn. Office of Financial Aid
Turley Student Services Center, Room 303
1201 Locust Avenue
Fairmont, WV 26554

2. Pierpont Community & Technical College Applicants

Pierpont Community & Technical College
Attn. Office of Financial Aid
500 Galliher Drive
Fairmont, WV 26554

Deadline for Submission:

- Application must be received by FSU or PC&TC's Financial Aid Office by June 1st.
- Proof of delivery is the responsibility of the individual submitting application.
- Applications not received by the Financial Aid Office by the deadline will not be considered.