

CORNELIA L. SEIM SCHOLARSHIP



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BACKGROUND AND PURPOSE OF THE FUND

As the daughter of Herman Seim, co-owner of the successful Seim Brothers Men's Clothing store in downtown Wausau during the turn of the 20th century, Cornelia Seim realized that she had opportunities that others did not. A 1925 graduate of Lawrence University in Appleton, Cornelia treasured her college education. It was her wish to help make higher education possible for others. As part of her estate plan, she asked that scholarships be awarded for deserving central Wisconsin students attending UW-Marathon County (UWMC) and Northcentral Technical College (NTC).

After her death in 1993, Cornelia's cousin, Ed Seim, worked with the Community Foundation to establish the Cornelia Seim Scholarship Fund.

The purpose of the Cornelia L. Seim Scholarship Fund is to provide scholarships to deserving students from the central Wisconsin area who are attending NTC or UWMC and demonstrate a financial need.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Students who apply through NTC and UWMC's general application process are eligible for consideration for this scholarship. Each institution will provide the Community Foundation with candidates to consider for the award. A selection committee named by the Community Foundation will review the applications submitted and choose the recipients to receive the award.

For more information, you can contact the Community Foundation office:

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SELECTION GUIDELINES

The Community Foundation will oversee the scholarship advisory committee who shall review the applications and select the recipient who meets the following criteria:

- Resident from the central Wisconsin area;
- Attending Northcentral Technical College or University of Wisconsin-Marathon County;
- Has characteristics, qualities, and attributes that display potential for success;
- Demonstrates financial need

It is the wish of the Seim family that the scholarships be awarded to students where this scholarship will "make a real difference."

ANNOUNCEMENT AND PAYMENT

Scholarships will be presented at the schools spring awards ceremonies. The recipients will receive a congratulatory letter from the Community Foundation after the awards ceremony, instructing them on how to receive their scholarship funding.

Scholarship funds will be paid by the Community Foundation directly to the school upon receipt of proof of registration.