

**Application for Department Scholarships**  
**Department of Life Sciences**  
**Indiana State University, Terre Haute, IN**

By submitting this application you will be considered for any of the following scholarships for which you are qualified.

- **Dr. Leon & Ernestine Blum Scholarship**
- **Dr. Syd S. Husain Scholarship**
- **Dr. William J. Brett Scholarship**
- **Estate of Rachel Lehman fund**
- **The Dr. Jing Chen Memorial Scholarship**

To be eligible for the Scholarships above, the student must meet the following criteria:

- Applicants must have an overall GPA of at least 3.0 to be considered.
- Applicants must first seek nomination by requesting a letter of support from a Life Sciences Professor.
- Complete the application below and submit to the nominating professor. The nominating professor will submit the application materials, along with a letter of support, to the chair of the Curriculum Committee.
- A short essay (1-2 pages, double spaced) describing how the scholarship will benefit the applicant's pursuit of science is required.
- By signing and submitting the application form, the student is giving permission for the selection committee to examine and evaluate their academic performance.

PLEASE NOTE: In most cases, the scholarship is for one academic year, provided the minimum grade point average is maintained at the end of the term for which scholarship was originally awarded. Students must reapply each year.

NAME of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_

LOCAL Address \_\_\_\_\_

LOCAL Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

Student ID Number \_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative GPA \_\_\_\_\_

YEAR: FR \_\_\_ SO \_\_\_ JR \_\_\_ SR \_\_\_ GR \_\_\_      RENEWAL YES \_\_\_ NO \_\_\_

Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**ATTACH ESSAY:** What are your goals for your career and how will this award benefit your pursuit of science? Please include information on financial need, for example, do you work on or off campus, do you presently have financial aid of any kind, do you live at home to save money, etc.?