



Steve and Marie Goode Values Scholarship

History: This scholarship was established in the names of Steve and Marie Goode (of Bangkok, Thailand), an American couple who have devoted their lives to administering help, healing and hope to citizens of so-called 'third world' countries.

Purpose: The Steve and Marie Goode Values Scholarship will be awarded to an American citizen of sound moral character who has consistently displayed the best attributes (integrity, industriousness, innovation, enthusiasm, charity, etc.) of the American values system, who has a faith-based world view, and who wishes to foster these ideals in a less-developed country by living and working, either in an established company or by entrepreneurially creating his own business, in that country.

Criteria:

1. American citizen.
2. Commitment to work in a less-developed country for at least 2 years after graduating.
3. Traveled and/or lived in less-developed countries.

Application and Award Process:

1. For Entering students: Applicants must meet the School's general admissions and scholarship requirements.
2. For Enrolled Students: Applicants:
 - a. must be in good academic standing;
 - b. may be in any trimester of study in a full-time degree program;
 - c. must be enrolled for 12 or more credits;
- d. Must submit to Financial Aid a resume, cover letter expressing interest in applying for the scholarship, and a two-page, double spaced essay describing how they intend to utilize their Thunderbird degree to foster the purposes of The Steve and Marie Goode Values Scholarship. The essay must also specifically address their post-graduation plans for working in a less-developed country.
3. The Thunderbird Scholarship Committee reviews all applications and selects the top candidates to forward to The Steve and Marie Goode Values Scholarship Selection Committee for ranking.
4. The Steve and Marie Goode Values Scholarship Selection Committee will provide its ranking to the Thunderbird Scholarship Committee.
5. The Thunderbird Scholarship Committee makes the final decision taking into account the Goode Committee input.