

THE DISCIPLES DIVINITY HOUSE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO supports the preparation of women and men for leadership in the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) educating some for professional ministry and others for teaching and research in religion. Since its founding in 1894, the Disciples Divinity House has maintained a tradition of social and intellectual fellowship that it believes to be a significant contribution to each student's personal and professional development. Its fellowship program includes an extensive financial aid program that helps to make the faculty and research facilities of the University of Chicago accessible to members of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ).

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1. Development of personal, professional, and academic abilities and qualities for religious leadership.
2. Achievement of good standing as a student at the University and satisfactory progress toward fulfillment of degree requirements.
3. Participation in the educational program of the Disciples Divinity House, including scheduled Monday programs, Disciples History and Thought seminars, community dinners, and chapel services.
4. Consultation with the dean before engaging field work or employment during the academic year. Field work appointments for Disciples Scholars in the ministry program will be arranged in cooperation with the Divinity School.

I hereby apply to be a Scholar of the Disciples Divinity House of the University of Chicago.

Signed _____ Date _____

Please submit this application by January 25 to:

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APPLICATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP

Biographical information

Name _____
(First) (Middle) (Last)

Mailing address _____

_____ Current telephone _____

E-mail address _____ Alternate telephone _____

Permanent address _____

_____ Permanent telephone _____

Date of birth _____ Place of birth _____

Degree sought M.Div. A.M. Ph.D. A.M.R.S. Area of study _____

Educational Experience

List in chronological order all colleges and universities attended:

<i>Name of Institution</i>	<i>Dates attended</i>	<i>Major</i>	<i>Degree & Year</i>
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
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Denominational Affiliation

In what congregation is your present membership? _____

Are you an ordained _____ or licensed _____ minister of the Christian Church? _____

Are you presently under care as a candidate for the order of ministry? If so, with which Region? _____

Essay Questions

In a succinct essay (approximately 4 pages), please describe:

- 1) Your interest in the study of religion and/or theological education. For example, what ideas, aspirations, and motivations have informed your decision to pursue graduate studies in religion and/or professional preparation for ministry?
- 2) Your academic and professional objectives in applying to be a Disciples Divinity House Scholar.
- 3) The character of your affiliation with the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), including any leadership responsibilities you have assumed in local congregations, regional or general church organizations, or in ecumenical or global settings.

Reference

Please list an individual we may contact as a reference. This person should be able to speak to your affiliation with the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) and to address your character and abilities in relation to your career objectives. Normally he or she will be someone other than the four references used for your Divinity School application.

Name _____ Telephone _____

Address _____

_____ E-mail _____

Position _____

Financial Data

Are there additional financial resources that might be available to you during your studies? _____

Do you have any outstanding indebtedness? _____ If so, how much, when payable, and what are your facilities for repayment?

Is anyone at present financially dependent upon you? _____

If so, what is the extent and character of your obligation? _____

Housing Information

Do you wish to live in one of the single occupancy rooms in the Divinity House? _____

If so, what is the approximate date on which you expect to arrive? _____

(Note: Graduate students, including married students and students with dependents, are eligible for University Neighborhood Student Apartments and may apply to that office.)