



University- Wide Undergraduate Awards
68th Annual Honors Convocation
2024-2025 Academic Year

Application Deadline: Monday, March 3, 2025

All qualified **undergraduate** students are encouraged to apply for the university-wide awards listed below. Students receiving awards will be recognized at the 68th Annual Honors Convocation which will be held in person on Thursday, April 17, 2025, and any student receiving an award is expected to attend this ceremony. Students may apply for more than one award by submitting separate applications. Applicants should ensure that they meet the general and specific criteria for each award(s) to which they apply. **All completed applications are due by Monday, March 3, 2025 – please submit the online form available on the Honors Convocation [website](#).**

List of University-Wide Undergraduate Awards



Specific Criteria for Each Award

Applicants for the **President's Cup** must:

- Be a senior (have 90+ total credit hours completed) at the start of the 2023-24 academic year.
- Have applied for and be eligible to graduate in May 2025 or have graduated previously in the current academic year in December 2024.
- Have a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher.
- Be willing and able to be interviewed by the president of Chicago State University.

Applicants for **Outstanding Senior Scholar Award** must:

- Be a senior (have 90+ total credit hours completed) at the start of the 2024-25 academic year.
- Have a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher.

Applicants for **Outstanding Junior Scholar Award** must:

- Be a junior (have 60-89 total credit hours completed) at the start of the 2024-25 academic year.
- Have a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher.

Applicants for **Outstanding Sophomore Scholar Award** must:

- Be a sophomore (have 30-59 total credit hours completed) at the start of the 2024-25 academic year.
- Have a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher.

Applicants for **Outstanding Freshman Scholar Award** must:

- Be a freshman (have 0-29 total credit hours completed) at the start of the 2024-25 academic year.
- Have a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher.

Applicants for the **Student Achievement Award** must:

- Be an enrolled undergraduate student (any year) during the 2024-25 academic year.
- Have a cumulative GPA 3.0 or higher.
- Have demonstrated significant achievement(s) while overcoming obstacles, challenges, or barriers OR have demonstrated significant achievement(s) with unique personal or professional experience(s)