DENVER CAMPUS OUTSTANDING
STUDENT LEADER
OF THE YEAR

Scholarship competition
for high school seniors

Entry Deadline:
February 1, 2007

Competition finals
held in Denver, Colorado
March 9-11, 2007
Do you have what it takes to be a Johnson & Wales Outstanding STUDENT LEADER of the Year?

• Do you consider yourself a leader? Do others?

• Are you the kind of person who takes the initiative?

• Are you an entrepreneur? Do you run your own business?

• Have you taken charge of a noteworthy special project or held an office at your high school?

• Have you played a leadership role, or won competitions in a national student organization such as JA, National FFA, TSA, DECA, SkillsUSA, BPA, FCCLA or FBLA?

YOUR LEADERSHIP POTENTIAL COULD EARN YOU A $2,500–$13,000 TUITION SCHOLARSHIP TO JOHNSON & WALES’ DENVER CAMPUS.

“I was amazed at the turnout of professionals from the industry I wanted to enter — all saying wonderful things about Johnson & Wales. They offered me great tips to help get my college career started on the right foot.

— Rebecca Newton, Petersburg, IL

“Being a part of the Outstanding Student Leader of the Year Competition was certainly a learning experience for me. I met students, saw the school, competed for scholarship money, and found out that J&W was right for me.

— James Michael Zambanini, Millwood, VA
JOHNSON & WALES FOSTERS LEADERSHIP

Employers we speak with note that one of the top qualities they look for in graduates entering their companies is leadership. Many students who enroll at J&W have had leadership experience in high school and are looking to continue their involvement at the college level. The University offers a variety of clubs and organizations where students can develop their leadership skills. Students might run for president or vice president within a club, or they may run for a student government seat. Top students may be selected each year to sit on certain committees, such as the President’s Leadership Council, where they become involved in leadership projects on campus.

Leadership at J&W often involves community service initiatives that demonstrate students’ willingness to give back to the community. Our students have participated in the Youth Leadership Academy and LeaderShape programs, and also learned from leaders like Arun and Sunanda Gandhi, founders of the M.K. Gandhi Institute for Nonviolence.

COMPETITION REQUIREMENTS

• Students who are high school seniors graduating in June 2007 and are from the 50 states, Washington, D.C., Puerto Rico or the Virgin Islands are eligible.
• The official entry form must be used, but may be photocopied or scanned.
• Resumes and high school transcripts should be submitted to the Denver Campus according to the specifications under “Entry Guidelines.”
• Each student may submit only one entry.
• Entries must be postmarked by February 1, 2007.
• Entrants cannot change their resumes once submitted.
• To collect scholarship prizes, students must enroll in a program of study offered through J&W’s College of Business or The Hospitality College at the Denver Campus. Note: This scholarship award is not valid at any of the other Johnson & Wales campuses.
• Finalists must agree to compete in the competition finals at the Denver Campus during the weekend of March 9–11, 2007.
ENTRY GUIDELINES

Each student must submit to the Denver Campus

1. A resumé, not to exceed two pages, using the following category headings*: personal information, including name, address, name of high school; organizations and athletics; community service; employment; academic awards and/or achievements.

* Please list the number of years involved in each activity and the number of years any offices were held in each category.

2. One essay, not to exceed 250 words, on the topic “What Community Leadership Means to Me.”

3. His/her most recent high school transcript.

All entries will be judged by our panel of industry leaders, and 10 finalists will be chosen. Finalists living more than 500 miles from the Denver Campus will be flown to the campus for the Outstanding Student Leader of the Year Scholarship Competition finals during the weekend of March 9–11, 2007. (Johnson & Wales will provide airfare for finalists only; guests are responsible for their own transportation to and from our campus.) Finalists living within 500 miles of the campus will be provided with a travel stipend. All finalists and their guests will receive from J&W complimentary hotel accommodations (one hotel room per finalist and their family/guests), meals and ground transportation, if necessary. All entries must be completed entirely by the deadline date to be processed.

NOTE: By entering the Denver Campus Outstanding Student Leader of the Year Scholarship Competition, you are ineligible to compete in the National High School Chef of the Year contests that Johnson & Wales University sponsors.

THE GRAND PRIZE WINNER WILL RECEIVE

- A $13,000 renewable scholarship for up to four years of full-time, day school study in J&W’s College of Business or The Hospitality College at the Denver Campus.
- An opportunity to have a mentor partnership with a Denver community leader.

THE NINE RUNNERS-UP WILL RECEIVE

- Scholarships ranging from $2,500 to $7,500, renewable for up to four years of full-time, day school study at the Denver Campus.
- An opportunity to have a mentor partnership with a Denver community leader.

NOTE: In order to effectively administer limited financial aid funds, Johnson & Wales University has adopted an institutional policy whereby the total of all University funded or administered monies awarded to a single student may not exceed a specified dollar amount during an academic year. This amount is determined prior to each year's financial aid awarding process.

Winners must maintain enrollment at the Denver Campus. Scholarship awards from this competition will not be honored at any other Johnson & Wales campus.

CONTEST QUESTIONS?

If you have any questions about the contest, call the Denver Campus Admissions Office toll free at 877-598-3368 or e-mail den@admissions.jwu.edu

www.jwu.edu/admiss/scholarships (click on contests)
Entry FORM

Attach your typed resumé and essay, plus your high school transcript to this form, and mail them to the address below. Completed entries must be postmarked on or before Thursday, February 1, 2007. (Entry form may be copied if necessary.) Johnson & Wales is not responsible for entries postmarked after February 1, 2007. All entries must be completed entirely to be processed.

Please print or type.

Entrant's Name

Address

City State Zip

Home Phone (    )

E-mail Address

High School

School Phone (    )

High School Graduation Year

Entrant: Have you already applied to Johnson & Wales? □ Yes □ No

If yes, which campus? □ RI □ FL □ CO □ NC

If no, you may access our free application online at www.jwu.edu/admiss

The enclosed entry is hereby submitted as the original work of the entrant.

All entries become the property of Johnson & Wales University.

The entrant (and parent or guardian, if entrant is under 18 years old) further agrees and authorizes Johnson & Wales University to publish for public relations purposes the entrant’s photograph or photographs in which he or she appears.

Entrant’s Signature

Parent/Guardian’s Signature

Educator/Guidance Counselor's Signature

In addition to the above, please include the name, title, relationship, phone number and signature of one individual who can best attest to the information provided on your resumé.

Name Phone (    )

Relationship/Title

Signature

This form and all accompanying materials must be postmarked on or before February 1, 2007. Mail entries to:

Denver Campus Outstanding Student Leader of the Year Scholarship Competition

Admissions Office

Johnson & Wales University

7150 Montview Blvd.

Denver, CO 80220

E-mail address: den@admissions.jwu.edu

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You could win a SCHOLARSHIP worth up to $13,000!