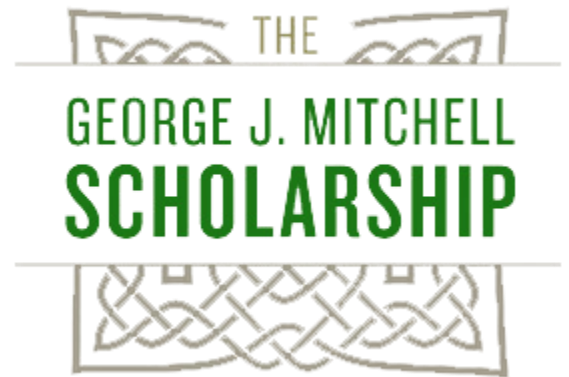


## George J. Mitchell Scholarship

**Application Deadline: Late September**

### Overview

- Designed to introduce and connect generations of future American leaders to the island of Ireland, while recognizing and fostering intellectual achievement, leadership, and a commitment to community and public service.
- Up to twelve Mitchell Scholars between the ages of 18 and 30 are chosen annually for one academic year of postgraduate study in any discipline offered by institutions of higher learning in Ireland
- Recipients of this award are measured by their success and experience in scholarship, leadership, and a sustained commitment to community and public service
- The Mitchell Scholarship provides full funding for tuition, accommodation, and a stipend for living expenses and travel



### Eligibility Requirements

- Be a U.S. citizen by the time of application
- At least 18 years old, but no older than 30, on September 29<sup>th</sup> of the year of application
- Have/ pursuing a bachelor's degree from an accredited university or college before the start of the Mitchell Scholarship program (international school degrees are eligible if given criteria is still met)

### How to Apply

- If you are an undergraduate student, you must seek out endorsement from the university's fellowship advisor
  - Graduate students and non-students do not require an endorsement
  - Timelines for endorsement will occur earlier than the scholarship application
- Passport-style photo
- All official transcripts that includes undergraduate/ graduate work
- Personal statement of 1,000 words
- PDF signature scan
- Contact information for 4 Recommenders and the Institutional Endorser (if required)
- University choice and field of study options
  - It is recommended that you choose 3 programs at 3 universities
- Information on GPA, awards, achievements, community service, and additional noteworthy experience
- After an initial selection process, candidates will be invited to submit a recorded video interview

**For additional information, or to begin the application process, please contact Career Education and Development at 724-738-2028**