

MUNL Political Science and Law and Society

Community Award

This award will go to a student who takes their passion for politics and current issues beyond the classroom and into the wider community. It recognizes instances of inspiration and excitement generated in broader societal contexts that originate in political science education. The recipient will be creative and inclusive in their approach, and dynamically apply their learning to community initiatives. This student should demonstrate a particular interest and passion for political or legal knowledge and be using it practically to advance community issues and initiatives through work or volunteerism. Students who are interested in applying for this award must nominate themselves.

Key Attributes

- Passionate
- Motivated
- Creative
- Ambitious
- Energetic

Eligibility

- Declared major or minor in Political Science or Law and Society.
- 2.0 minimum GPA.
- Full or part-time status.
- Second year or above.
- Additional consideration will be given to students who have not won other awards.
- Additional consideration will be given to students overcoming adversity (e.g. financial circumstances, health issues, personal crises).
- A complete Application form (see below, page 2).

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Application Form

Name of Applicant:

Student Number:

Major/Minor:

Year of Studies:

MUNL Email:

In the text box below, please write about any relevant experience you have had in applying university-level political science or legal knowledge to improve your community. Select something you learned in a course that you felt passionate about, and explain how this inspired you to apply that course knowledge outside of the classroom. Applicants must focus on how they have applied this knowledge to community initiatives, volunteer efforts, or advocacy efforts. An applicant may, for example, describe how learning about infrastructure politics in a course inspired them to join a relevant community organization. (maximum 550 words).

