

**USC Trojan League of Los Angeles Joseph Patrick Allen Endowed Scholarship
2025 – 2026 Application**

The Joseph Patrick Allen Endowed Scholarship was established in December 2001 by the Trojan League of Los Angeles in memory of Joseph Patrick Allen, former Dean of Admission and Financial Aid and Vice Provost for Enrollment at USC. Funds shall be used for tuition only, and shall not be allocated for room and board, research expenses, or supplies.

Recipients of the award must be full-time undergraduate students enrolled in the USC Dornsife College of Letters, Arts and Sciences at USC **beginning their junior year in 2025-2026**. They must have entered the University with a minimum GPA of 3.67 and have a minimum cumulative USC GPA of 3.0. In addition:

- ❖ Students must not be related to a current member of the Trojan League of Los Angeles Board or Scholarship Committee
- ❖ Students must have demonstrated merit and financial need
- ❖ Students must have demonstrated academic strengths, leadership skills, and campus and community involvement
- ❖ Students should complete a minimum of 12 units per semester, plan to graduate in four years, and maintain a 3.0 cumulative GPA
- ❖ Preference will be given to permanent residents of Southern California
- ❖ Recipients will be reviewed annually
- ❖ Scholarship finalists must be available to interview with the Scholarship Committee. You will be contacted if you are selected as a scholarship finalist.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: Friday, February 21, 2025
Applications may be sent via email to scholarships@dornsife.usc.edu
(subject line: Trojan League of Los Angeles Scholarship)
or hand-delivered to the USC Dornsife Admission and Student Success office
at Mudd Hall of Philosophy (MHP), Room 106

Please include the following documents:

- ❖ A completed copy of the 2025-2026 USC Trojan League of Los Angeles Scholarship application
- ❖ One letter of recommendation from a USC Dornsife faculty member
- ❖ A printout of your USC unofficial transcript (*not* STARS Report), available on OASIS via myUSC. There is no charge to download an unofficial transcript. Please do not submit an official transcript, which requires a fee.
- ❖ A summary of your USC financial aid package, which can be provided via one of the following:
 - A printout of your current year (2024-2025) USC financial aid summary, available on OASIS via myUSC (please note on this document which awards are renewable)
 - A self-generated list of the merit-based and need-based financial awards you received in 2024-2025 (please note on this document which awards are renewable)
 - A statement that you did not receive merit-based awards and/or need-based financial aid from USC in 2024-2025
- ❖ A resume (include information regarding your academic achievements, involvement in campus and community organizations, work experience, and your special talents and interests)
- ❖ An essay of not more than 300 words on how your academic program and extracurricular activities will prepare you for your chosen career
- ❖ A list of relatives who are USC alumni (if applicable)

**If you have any questions, contact USC Dornsife Admission and Student Success
at scholarships@dornsife.usc.edu or (213) 740-5930.**

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Personal Information

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Local Address: _____

Local Phone Number: _____

Permanent Address: _____

Permanent Phone Number: _____

Email: _____ USC ID #: _____

Academic Information

Major(s) (at least one must be a USC Dornsife major): _____

Minor(s): _____ Cumulative USC GPA: _____

High School Name: _____

High School Graduation Date: _____

First Semester at USC (e.g. Fall 2023): _____

Anticipated USC Graduation Date (e.g. Spring 2027): _____

Other College(s) Attended (please specify semester(s) of attendance, e.g. Summer 2024; Fall 2023-Spring 2024):

All the information provided by me in my application is correct and I hereby give permission to the USC Dornsife Continuing Student Scholarship Committee to verify my academic and financial aid status for the purpose of confirming my eligibility for this scholarship.

Signature: _____ Date: _____