



Seminary and Bible College Student Application

For the Rosa Sailes Legacy Award

Academic Year 2021-2022

Application Deadline: June 30, 2021

The Rosa Sailes Legacy Award, The Ezra Project provides one-time monetary awards to Seminary and Bible College students who are **currently and actively** pursuing degrees in accredited theological institutions. Applicants must demonstrate involvement in both Christian ministry and community service as well as academic effort. Most importantly applicants must explain how their academic pursuit in a theological institution will prepare them for future ministry that contributes to the uplift of the African American church and community.

Applications must be received by June 30, 2021. Application packages must contain all materials including this application, current transcript, the essay, and statement of faith. The transcripts and recommendations should be emailed separately and directly from the respondents or the appropriate seminary office. A decision will be made by July 30, 2021. Upon notification, recipients will be given instructions regarding their participation in the 2021 Virtual Scholars Legacy Celebration. Award funds will be forwarded to recipients by September 1, 2021.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: _____
 First Middle Last

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Other Phone: _____

Email: _____

CHURCH INFORMATION

Current Church: _____

Church Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Pastor's Name: _____



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SCHOOL INFORMATION

Current Bible College or Seminary: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Status: Full time student Part time student

Year in school: _____ Expected graduation date: _____

Include the following documents. Place a check next to each attachment.

Statement of Faith: Include a 50-100 word statement of faith including your baptism and church and/or denomination affiliation(s).

Essay: Include an essay of 750-1000 words that explains your current involvement at your local church including any current ministries or auxiliaries in which you participate. Also explain how you envision your seminary work will prepare you for the next phase of ministry and your contribution to the uplift of the African American church and community.

Official Transcript(s): The institution must email an official copy of your transcript from your current school. If previous seminary or Bible colleges were attended, those transcripts may be submitted also.

Four (4) Letters of Recommendation: Provide sealed letters of recommendations from each of the following:

Pastor

Ministry Colleague

Faculty member from the school you currently attend

Other