THE DR. GEORGE AND EMMA J. TORRISON SCHOLARSHIP
The Dr. George and Emma J. Torrison Scholarship Fund provides grants for men and women who intend to pursue careers in medicine. The donors had a particular concern to encourage persons whose careers would lead them toward working to alleviate presently incurable diseases. A maximum of four grants of up to $4,000 each will be awarded each year. Grants are made on a one-time basis and are not renewable.

ELIGIBILITY
1. Applicants must hold membership in the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA).
2. Applicants should be graduating seniors who have been accepted into a medical school and will be first-year students in the fall of the current year of application.
3. Applicants will be judged on personal history, academic promise, and stated career goals, not on need.

NOMINATIONS
Students wishing to apply may seek nominations in the following manner:
• Applicants from colleges and universities that are related to the ELCA will be nominated by the president of the institution (or his/her designee).
• Applicants at public colleges and universities will be nominated by the ELCA campus pastor.
• Applicants at colleges/universities where there is no Lutheran campus ministry will be nominated by the pastor of the ELCA church in which they hold membership.

Deadline for nominations is February 26th, 2016.

PROCEDURE
Either the ELCA college president (or his/her designee), the ELCA campus pastor, or the student’s ELCA home pastor will send a letter to the attention of Melinda Valverde in the Congregational and Synodical Mission Unit nominating a graduating senior who has been accepted and will be a first-year student in a medical school in the fall of the current year. The letter should include the name and contact information for the applicant. The CSM unit will send an application to the nominee to be completed and returned to the unit by April 8th, 2016.

AWARDS
The Congregational and Synodical Mission unit of the ELCA has sole authority over the identity of the student chosen and the amount of the award. Recipients will be notified of their awards in May, 2016.
Domestic Nuclear Detection Office (DNDO): Summer Internships

The U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS) Domestic Nuclear Detection Office (DNDO) Summer Internship Program will provide opportunities for undergraduate and graduate students to participate in projects focused on helping DNDO meet its mission of “implementing domestic nuclear detection efforts for a managed and coordinated response to radiological and nuclear threats, as well as integration of federal nuclear forensics programs.” Internships will primarily focus on projects related to Advanced Technology Demonstration programs, or are otherwise in the areas of: Materials Research and Supporting Technology, Advanced Analytics, Nuclear Forensics, Program Management, Radiation Detection, and Shielded Special Nuclear Material (SNM) Detection.

Undergraduate students receive a stipend of $600 per week for ten weeks plus travel expenses.

Research experiences are anticipated at: Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory (Berkeley, CA) ● Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory (Livermore, CA) ● Los Alamos National Laboratory (Los Alamos, NM) ● National Security Technologies – Remote Sensing Laboratory (Las Vegas, NV and Andrews AFB, MD) ● Oak Ridge National Laboratory (Oak Ridge, TN) ● Savannah River National Laboratory (Aiken, SC)

Areas of research: Engineering, earth and geosciences, computer science, mathematics, physics, chemistry, biological / life sciences, environmental science, and more.

U.S. citizenship required

Application deadline: Jan. 27, 2016, at 11:59 PM EST

Additional information and how-to-apply instructions can be found at: https://www.zintellect.com/Posting/details/1626

Celebration ‘16 : Important Dates

Feb. 1 Early Bird registration opens
March 25 Abstract submission deadline
Fri., April 29 Celebration Poster Session, CUB Ballroom, times TBA
Sat., April 30 Celebration Panel Sessions, location and times TBA

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