



Scholarship Cycle
2018-19:
We Made It!

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HIGHLIGHTS

- Over **1,300** Scholarship Applications Received!
- Easier student **access** (DFA appreciated the opportunity to promote the application).
- Standardized awarding **timeline**.
- Ability to efficiently identify **alternate candidates**.
- Less **wait time** for DFA review/approval of club selections to notify recipients, engage them in activities.



OPPORTUNITIES

- **Additional conversations** around future timelines and scholarship cycle for 2019-2020.
- Review of club awarding **guidelines**.
- **Behind the Scenes:**
 - ✓ Accuracy of student reported data
 - ✓ Validation efforts
 - ✓ Scholarship Application vs. Spreadsheet for committee review
- **Promoting** and maximizing student effort!



FINANCIAL AID TIMELINE

- **New Students**

- November 1 – deadline for merit scholarships (admission app)
- December 15 – deadline to apply for departmental scholarships and priority deadline to submit the FAFSA for scholarship consideration
- January 15 – DFA and departments award freshman scholarships
- Mid-February – incoming student receive financial aid packages
- May 1 – new student decision deadline

- **Returning Students**

- January and February – deadline to apply for departmental scholarships
- May 15 – DFA begins upper class selection
- Early June – returning students receive financial aid packages

ALTERNATES AND ADDITIONAL REVIEW

- **Second Round Review**

- Mid-May – review of club funds and alternate lists for **incoming students**
 - Move to alternates when first selections have declined their offer of admission
- Late May/Early June – review returning students to confirm GPA requirements have been met

- **Additional Dates**

- Scholarships made to students attending regional campuses are sent over at the beginning of the school year once we can confirm the student is enrolled. (Purdue Fort Wayne, Northwest)
 - We cannot make payments to Purdue Global

CONTINUED DISCUSSION TOPICS

- **Timeline**

- ✓ Do you want your scholarship to influence a student's decision? Pros/Cons to earlier deadlines.

- **Student Access**

- ✓ Minimizing hoops for students to access scholarship dollars
Common Deadlines
- ✓ Future technology updates

- **Processing**

- ✓ Continue to create efficiencies and ease of use for students and clubs
- ✓ Communication goals
- ✓ Dynamic application and

THANK YOU!!!!

THANK YOU....

- ✓ For all you do to promote education
- ✓ For all you do to engage in this great institution
- ✓ For being active in your community and ambassador for Purdue University
- ✓ For giving back and finding value in giving, mentoring, encouraging and shaping future generations of Boilermakers!

