



GREEK AMERICA FOUNDATION

Greek America Foundation Announces Constantine and Patricia Mavroyannis Scholarship

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The Greek America Foundation is proud to announce that the **Constantine and Patricia Mavroyannis Scholarship** will be offered for the 2018-2019 academic year for the sixth consecutive year. The scholarship is open to Greek and Greek heritage university graduate students studying for a PhD in either theoretical physics or physical chemistry. Since its inception the scholarship has been awarded to eleven recipients. Thanks to the generosity of Dr. Constantine and Mrs. Patricia Mavroyannis, this scholarship recognizes scholastic achievement and an interest and commitment to studying theoretical physics or physical chemistry by providing partial assistance to Hellenic graduate students in financing their studies in these fields.

The **Constantine and Patricia Mavroyannis Scholarship** is open to graduate students who are either Greek or of Greek heritage and are enrolled in a PhD program in either theoretical physics or physical chemistry in the Faculty of Science at a North American university. The scholarship is in the amount of \$5,000 and will be awarded in the fall semester.

The purpose of the **Constantine and Patricia Mavroyannis Scholarship** is to recognize the importance of education – specifically, to reward and encourage educational achievement by Hellenes in the fields of physics and chemistry and thereby support Hellenic contribution to the global scientific community. The scholarship honors the life and accomplishments of Dr. Constantine Mavroyannis, a career physicist with the National Research Council of Canada, and his wife Patricia.

The Greek America Foundation is a non-profit organization with a mission to “preserve, perpetuate, and promote Greek culture and ideals.” We accomplish this mission through three strategic programming areas: social and cultural events, educational scholarships, and charitable aid to Greece. Visit our website at www.greekamericafoundation.org.

Application requirements and coversheet are attached below.

Requirements for the Greek America Foundation's Constantine and Patricia Mavroyannis Scholarship

- Student must be currently enrolled in a PhD program in either theoretical physics or physical chemistry in the Faculty of Science at a U.S. or Canadian university
- Student must be either of Greek descent or a citizen of Greece
- Completed application (see attached)
- Additional materials that must accompany application include (a) current transcript, (b) resumé, (c) a 250 word statement that details a current research project, (d) a 250 word statement about what your Greek heritage means to you, and (e) two letters of recommendation from Professors in the Faculty of Science of the university in which the student is enrolled. Letters and applications should be emailed to [Jenny Kellogg, scholarships@greekamericafoundation.org](mailto:Jenny.Kellogg@scholarships@greekamericafoundation.org). Materials may come separately but must bear the complete name of the applicant.
- Applicants may also be asked to participate in a Skype interview with the Mavroyannis family and/or Greek America Foundation staff.

Deadline for scholarship applications and all application materials is May 31, 2018. Students will be notified by August 15, 2018. *For more information, or to apply, contact Jenny Kellogg at scholarships@greekamericafoundation.org*

- Scholarship winners will be expected to submit a 250 word status update on their educational progress within 30 days of the end of the scholastic year in which they receive the award. This update should be emailed to Jenny Kellogg at scholarships@greekamericafoundation.org.
- Applicants from prior years may reapply.

APPLICATION COVERSHEET
Greek America Foundation Constantine and Patricia Mavroyannis Scholarship
(2018-2019)

Full Name: _____

Home Address: _____

City-State-Zip: _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

Name of recommender #1: _____

Email address: _____

Name of recommender #2: _____

Email address: _____

Institution you are currently enrolled: _____

Program of Studies: _____

City and State (or Province): _____

Course of study (major/minor): _____

Are you a Greek citizen or do you have Greek heritage: _____

[] I authorize the institution in which I am enrolled to share my transcript with the Greek America Foundation for the sole purpose of ensuring my qualification for this scholarship

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Deadline for completed materials: May 31, 2018

EMAIL COMPLETED MATERIALS WITH FILES IN PDF FORMAT TO:

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