The Kenneth G. Vaughn Memorial Scholarship for Excellence in Government and Politics for the 2023-2024 Academic Year

Two $3,000 awards will be presented to rising junior or senior GVPT majors who have demonstrated leadership, community service, and a commitment to the field of government and politics. The recipients will be chosen on the basis of academic merit and financial need, with preference given to permanent residents of Prince George’s County.

Applicants for the Kenneth G. Vaughn Memorial Scholarship for Excellence in Government and Politics must meet the following criteria:

- Declared GVPT major
- Junior or Senior standing for the 2023-2024 academic year
- Registered full-time for the 2023-2024 academic year
- 3.5 cumulative GPA or higher

Applicants must submit all of the following materials:

- Personal statement identifying your educational and career goals, and how you plan to accomplish those goals
- Resume
- Unofficial transcript
- One letter of recommendation from a GVPT faculty member

*Please indicate whether you are a Prince George’s County resident on your application.

All application materials must be submitted through https://go.umd.edu/gvptscholarships by 5:00pm on Friday, April 14th. Questions can be directed to Jillian Santos at jsantos5@umd.edu.