

WSU Physics Department Scholarships

The Physics Department at Wichita State University offers several academic scholarships for full time and part time students enrolled as physics majors. Each award is made in the spring semester for the next academic year; applications are due by February 1st. For the 2010-2011 academic year the different scholarships available solely for Physics majors include:

- The *Ralph & Ina Shenk Scholarship* is awarded to a student who intends to teach physics at any level. The recipient must have at least a 2.75 GPA and enroll in at least 12 hours each semester. Preference is given to a female from Kansas and financial situation is considered.
- The *Jean & Henry Unruh Scholarship* is awarded to any physics student enrolled in the physics department. Consideration is given to high school performance and college potential. Financial situation is not considered for the award.
- The *Douglas Knight Scholarship* is presented to a junior or senior physics student enrolled full time with at least a 3.0 GPA without regard to financial need.
- The *Nelson S. Ladd Physics Scholarship* is awarded to either a full or part time physics student without regard of financial need.
- *Boeing Science Scholarship for Physics Majors* (up to 4 are available) are awarded to full time physics majors interested in the aerospace industry. A minimum GPA of 3.2 is required and the recipient should be willing to apply for a summer internship with The Boeing Company.

The amount of each scholarship varies but they are each traditionally less than \$1,000 for the year except for the Boeing scholarships that have two at \$1,500 and two at \$1,000.

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