The Cynthia Mathews Scholarship

for students pursuing studies or internships related to Reproductive Rights • Health Policy Healthcare Professions • Public Health



Cynthia Mathews retired from Planned Parenthood in 2007, after decades of work in the field of public affairs and advocacy for reproductive rights and healthcare access. Throughout her career she worked with UCSC students -- mentoring them as interns, collaborating with campus organizations, and speaking on campus for classes and events.

In honor of Cynthia's retirement, she and her family and friends established a scholarship fund to benefit UCSC students pursuing studies and/or intern experience in fields related to her work, including reproductive rights and health, healthcare professions, public health or health policy.

Any UCSC undergraduate who is pursuing a major, field study or internship in these areas is eligible. Evidence of demonstrated interest or commitment to advocacy in these fields will be considered a plus.

The Deadline for applications is 3 pm, May 5, 2017 to the Community Studies Program office, 213 Oakes College.

Applications and Scholarship Guidelines can be downloaded via the following link: http://communitystudies.ucsc.edu/undergraduate/forms/mathewsapp_guidelines2017.pdf

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