

## Onward!

### The Curtis R. Simic Scholarship For Leaders

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*Herman B Wells, April 8, 1960, the last word in his memo to faculty announcing his retirement from the Presidency of Indiana University.*

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The best leaders—in public life, in corporate circles, and certainly in higher education—beget leadership. They invest precious resources of energy, talent, commitment, and vision to produce new resources that will bloom and mature to serve the next generation of institutions.

Curt Simic is such a leader. He retired as President and Chief Executive Officer of the Indiana University Foundation in July 2008, culminating a distinguished 44-year career in higher education fundraising.

To honor Curt and his distinguished leadership and service to Indiana University, the Indiana University Foundation Board of Associates, the advisory board to the Student Foundation program, established **Onward: The Curtis R. Simic Scholarship for Leaders**.

#### **Criteria**

**Onward: The Curtis R. Simic Scholarship for Leaders** will be awarded to Indiana University Bloomington students who demonstrate outstanding leadership and commitment to positive engagement in the Indiana University community. **Full-time juniors or seniors in the fall of 2016 with a minimum GPA of 3.0** will qualify and both in-state and out-of-state students are eligible. The scholarship awards will be in an amount equal to the cost of in-state tuition for one year at Indiana University Bloomington.



**Nomination of Candidates and Selection of Recipients**

IU Bloomington faculty and staff are invited to nominate candidates for the scholarships. Please submit this form by **March 10, 2016** to:

Onward! Curtis R. Simic Scholarship for Leaders  
IU Foundation  
c/o Scholarship Manager  
P. O. Box 500  
Bloomington, IN 47402

**Nominee Information**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ @indiana.edu Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Year in School (*WILL BE junior or senior in fall 2015*) \_\_\_\_\_

Cumulative GPA \_\_\_\_\_

Major \_\_\_\_\_

Hometown \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

**Student activities and leadership positions held:**

Organization \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_

Organization \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_

Organization \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_

Organization \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_

**Nominator Information**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_

IU Department/Division \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ @indiana.edu Campus phone \_\_\_\_\_

*Please include a 250-500 word letter of recommendation.*