

## **KERN SCHOLAR PROGRAM APPLICATION CHECKLIST**

1. Kern Scholars Student information Sheet
2. (Three to five) Letters of Reference from pastors or ministry leaders describing evidence of applicants' call to ministry and/or call to pastoring in local church (These letters can be from the same pastor or ministry leaders you use for admission consideration for APU's MDiv program, but they should be on personal or church letterhead, and not on the APU recommendation form).
3. Written Statement:  
Please attach a written statement from the scholarship candidate which includes:
  - a. Personal testimony, including previous and present church involvement.
  - b. Statement of *call and commitment* to pastoral ministry. (The Kern Family Foundation desires that scholarship recipients eventually serve as pastors of local congregations.)
  - c. If married, statement *from spouse* describing attitude toward applicant's call to ministry.(Feel free to send a rough draft so it can be reviewed to make sure it is thorough).
4. Admission to APU's MDiv Program.

Please mail materials to:

Haggard Graduate School of Theology  
Attn: Andrew Gilbert  
PO Box 7000  
Azusa CA 91702

## Kern Scholar Student Information Sheet

Scholarship applicant must meet the following criteria:

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| 1. Age 27 or younger by second Friday of April.  | 4. Complete Master of Divinity degree in 3 years. |
| 2. Graduate of an accredited college with GPA of 3.25 on a 4.0 scale.  | 5. U.S. citizen.                                  |
| 3. Commitment to pastoral ministry. (The Kern Family Foundation desires that scholarship recipients eventually serve as pastors of local congregations.) |   |
| 6. Serve local church in U.S. after graduation.  |   |

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<b>PERSONAL DATA</b>			
<b>Name:</b>	Last	First	Middle Initial
<b>Current Mailing Address:</b> No. and Street      City      State      Zip			
<b>Permanent Address:</b> (If different from current mailing address.)			
<b>Phone Numbers:</b>			
Daytime:	Evening:	Cell:	
<b>Date of Birth:</b> (MM/DD/YYYY)		<b>Gender:</b> Male ___ Female ___	
<b>E-Mail Address:</b>		<b>Undergraduate GPA:</b> (on 4.0 scale)	
<b>Undergraduate School(s) Attended:</b>		<b>Year Graduated:</b>	
<b>Master of Divinity Degree Program?</b>		<b>Full-time Status?</b>	
YES	NO	YES	NO
<b>U.S. Citizen?</b>			
YES		NO	
<b>Denomination:</b>		<b>Name of Home Church, City &amp; State:</b>	
<b>ATTACHMENTS:</b>			
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<b>B. Undergraduate Transcripts.</b>			
<b>CERTIFICATE OF TRUTH</b> (Please read the following and sign below.)			
I affirm that the information I have provided on this student information sheet and the attachments is complete, accurate and true to the best of my knowledge, and that I am applying for a Kern Scholarship at only one seminary. I also authorize this seminary to release copies of my transcripts to the Kern Family Foundation.			
<b>X Student Signature:</b> _____		<b>Date:</b> _____	