

## The Arthur T. Johnson Scholarship for Transfer Students

The Arthur T. Johnson Scholarship for Transfer Students was established to recognize the academic achievements of Maryland community college transfer students who wish to continue their studies by pursuing baccalaureate degree programs at UMBC, including UMBC programs @ Shady Grove. The award will provide funding per academic year for two years of full-time undergraduate study.

Transfer applicants who have completed their associate's degree at one of Maryland's community colleges with a minimum of a 3.25 cumulative GPA are eligible for consideration. Students who have completed at least 45 credits at time of application and have submitted the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) will be reviewed.

The Arthur T. Johnson Scholarship for Transfer Students may be awarded in combination with other UMBC financial aid and scholarships. UMBC will ensure continued receipt of the scholarship provided students submit confirmation of receipt of an associates degree, maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.5, and complete twelve or more credit hours each semester.

### Application Process

Please submit the following to apply:

- 1) **Resume** and;
- 2) A **personal essay** stating: *Why you are interested in receiving the Arthur T. Johnson Scholarship and what made you choose political science as your declared major.*

The completed essay and additional documents may be submitted to the UMBC Office of Financial Aid & Scholarships via fax, email, or in-person.