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Dear Colleague,

The Department of Chemistry at the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point is pleased to announce the 23rd annual competition for the Trytten Scholarship. The \$4000 scholarship is named after the late Professor Roland A. Trytten, a long-time faculty member and leader of the Department of Chemistry at UWSP and is awarded to an incoming freshman who intends to major in Chemistry. These Trytten Scholars are among the best and brightest incoming students in our Department. Information on the scholarship, as well as about the Department of Chemistry, are found below.

Trytten Scholarship Criteria. Any student who has a cumulative GPA of 3.50 in high school (grades 9-12, not including the last semester of the senior year) is eligible to apply for a Trytten Scholarship. Each semester Trytten Scholars will receive credit against university fees as follows: \$200 per semester during their first academic year, \$400 per semester during their second year, \$600 per semester in their third year, and \$800 per semester in their fourth year. The Scholarship will continue each semester, provided that (a) the Trytten Scholar continues to be a declared major in chemistry at UWSP and (b) they earn at least a 3.00 GPA the previous semester, thereby maintaining a cumulative GPA of at least 3.00.

UWSP Chemistry Department. The Department of Chemistry at UWSP has 16 PhD-holding teaching faculty members, all of whom have dedicated their lives to excellence in undergraduate education and research. The Department is housed in the brand-new Chemistry Biology Building, a \$75 million state-of-the-art facility housing over \$2 million worth of instrumentation to help us train tomorrow's scientific leaders. The Department offers a Chemistry major that is certified by the American Chemical Society (ACS), the largest society of professional chemists in the world.

Please distribute this information to students at your school who are contemplating a major in chemistry. The postmark deadline for applications is January 31, however, we will make every effort to accommodate those who call to ask for a time extension. Feel free to photocopy this letter and all supporting materials as needed. A PDF version of the application is available on the UWSP Chemistry Department website (www.uwsp.edu/chemistry/Pages/scholarships.aspx).

Again, thank you for your help in publicizing the Trytten Scholarship. We look forward to working with your students!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jason D'Acchioli".

Jason D'Acchioli, Professor and Chair
Department of Chemistry

Enclosures



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Trytten Scholarship

Guidelines and Instructions

The Department of Chemistry at UWSP urges qualified students to apply for the Trytten Scholarship, awarded annually to an incoming freshman who intends to major in Chemistry at UWSP. The scholarship is named after the late Professor Roland A. Trytten, long time faculty member and leader of the Department of Chemistry at UWSP.

The Nature of the Award:

The total amount of the award is \$4,000, applied to your UWSP tuition each semester in the amounts of \$200 the Freshman year, \$400 the Sophomore year, \$600 the Junior year, and \$800 the Senior year.

Criteria for selection:

- You declare chemistry as your major at UWSP at the time of application
- You have received at least a 3.50 GPA in high school
- You have a demonstrated capacity and potential for excellence in the field of chemistry

To apply:

1. Complete all sections of the Student Application Form
2. Arrange to have a letter of recommendation submitted on your behalf by your high school chemistry teacher
3. Have your high school guidance counselor submit the High School Recommendation Form *and* your high school transcripts
4. Mail all materials to:

Dr. Jason D'Acchioli, Chair
Department of Chemistry
University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point
Stevens Point, WI 54481

All application materials should be postmarked by January 31, 2019. If you are unable to meet this deadline, please contact Dr. D'Acchioli at Email: jdacchio@uwsp.edu or Phone: (715) 346-2888 to discuss the possibility of an extension.

TRYTTEN SCHOLARSHIP

Student Application Form

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Department of Chemistry

The Trytten Scholarship is a \$4,000 four-year scholarship applied to the student's UWSP tuition each semester (\$200 - freshman; \$400 - sophomore; \$600 - junior; \$800 - senior) for students who major in chemistry at UW-Stevens Point. To apply for this scholarship, please complete and return the following items:

1. This *Student Application Form* (to be completed by the student applicant)
2. *Trytten Scholarship High School Recommendation Form* (to be completed by the principal or guidance counselor)
3. *High School Transcript* (to be supplied by the principal or guidance counselor)
4. *Letter of Recommendation* (to be prepared by a high school chemistry teacher)

1. Name: _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Home Address: _____
(Number and Street)

(City) (State) (ZIP)

Email: _____ Telephone Number: (____) ____ - _____

3. High School: _____
(Name)

(Number and Street)

(City) (State) (ZIP)

Telephone Number: (____) ____ - _____

Dates Attended (9-12): _____

High School Principal: _____

Guidance Counselor: _____

(over, please)

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High School Recommendation Form

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1. This *Trytten Scholarship High School Recommendation Form* (to be completed by the principal or guidance counselor)
2. *High School Transcript* (to be supplied by the principal or guidance counselor)
3. *Trytten Scholarship Student Application Form* (to be completed by the student applicant)
4. *Letter of Recommendation* (to be prepared by a high school chemistry teacher)

1. Name of Student _____
2. Name of High School _____
3. Student's GPA (based on A = 4.00) _____ rank in class _____
4. ACT Data (a copy of the ACT Assessment College Report may be substituted)

Test Score (1-36)

English	_____
Mathematics	_____
Reading	_____
Science Reasoning	_____
Composite	_____

5. On the back of this form please provide any additional comments that will assist the Scholarship Selection Committee in evaluating this application. **THANK YOU** for your time in this matter.

(Signature)

(Date)

(Position or Title)

Return this form, along with the student's transcript, to:
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