## Mid-Atlantic Christian University Financial Aid Policy #1

SUBJECT: Scholarships for Spouses of Students

DATE: Historical

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NEXT SCHEDULED REVIEW: Odd-number years in February

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Policy for: Student Spouses

Procedure for: Financial Aid Office

Authorized by: Vice President for Finance, Financial Aid Administrator, Scholarship Committee

Issued by: Board of Trustees

## I. Purpose

The scholarship is an incentive for spouses of students to continue to enrich their education and encourages couples to attend Mid-Atlantic Christian University.

## II. Policy

A partial tuition scholarship will be granted to the married couple attending MACU concurrently, if the couple was married before either spouse enrolled.

## III. Procedure

A partial tuition scholarship will be granted to a married couple based on the scale below. Both spouses must be enrolled in classes at MACU concurrently to receive the scholarship. The value of this scholarship is not to exceed a four-year cap of 32 hours of free tuition per spouse.

- A student enrolled in 0-6 credit hours will receive a scholarship for 2 credit hours of free tuition per semester.
- A student enrolled in 7-11 credit hours will receive a scholarship for 3 credit hours of free tuition per semester.
- A student enrolled in 12+ credit hours will receive a scholarship for 4 credit hours of free tuition per semester.

The scholarship recipient must maintain a minimum semester or cumulative GPA of 2.5 Falling below a semester and cumulative 2.5 GPA will result in being placed on scholarship probation. The student will be allowed to continue receiving funds for the one semester that follows. Any subsequent semester where the student's semester and cumulative GPA fall below 2.5 will result in scholarship suspension.

Applicants for this scholarship may also apply for federal assistance by completing a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Mid-Atlantic Christian University (school code 014101) should be listed as a school who could receive the applicant's FAFSA information. Further specific instructions regarding this procedure can be obtained from the Financial Aid Office.

IV. Published: Policy Website

V. Reason for Revision

VI. Appendices