

Lima Noon Sertoma Speech-Language Pathology Scholarship
Department of Communication Sciences & Disorders
Bowling Green State University

The Lima Noon Sertoma Speech-Language Pathology Scholarship was established by the Lima Noon Sertoma Club, a speech and hearing service organization, in order to provide support to graduate students in speech language pathology. The Lima Noon Sertoma Club has several Sponsorships dedicated to the mission of **Service To Mankind** (Sertoma). Lima Noon Sertoma sponsors a 5-week Summer Speech program for children ages 3-18. A second project is the **Sertoma Hearing Aid Recipient Program** (SHARP) which offers hearing aids to individuals that are financially unable to purchase them and are not eligible for other social programs. Lima Noon Sertoma established this scholarship to support students who wish to pursue a career as a speech-language pathologist.

Award Eligibility and Selection Criteria:

1. The recipient shall be a second-year graduate student pursuing a Master of Science in Speech-Language Pathology in the Department of Communication Sciences & Disorders at BGSU. (Applicants will apply during the spring of their first year of graduate study.)
2. Preference will be given to students who show financial need.
3. The awardee must be a resident of Northwest or West Central Ohio.
4. The recipient shall have a grade point average equal to or greater than 3.50 in his or her graduate coursework, and satisfactory performance in all clinical placements.
5. Candidates for this award should demonstrate strong overall performance in academics, clinical placements, and assistantship duties (if student received an assistantship).

Students who wish to be considered for this award need to submit a resume, fill out the attached identifying information cover sheet, and submit an essay of approximately 1000 to 1500 words describing their interest in the field of speech-language pathology, their career goals, representative relevant experiences, and explaining any special circumstances, including those relating to financial need. A committee of at least three members will be appointed by the chair of Communication Sciences and Disorders to review applications. At least one member of the committee should be sufficiently involved with clinical education to provide needed evaluation of applicants' clinical performance.

Application Deadline: February 1st at 5:00 p.m. *Late applications will not be considered. Please return all completed applications VIA E-MAIL to Laura Schrock, at schrock@bgsu.edu.* Questions can be directed to Laura Schrock.

The individual selected will receive an award of \$1000.

Identifying Information

Name _____

BGSU ID # _____

Current Mailing Address _____

Permanent mailing address
(if different than above) _____

Phone Number(s) _____

e-mail address _____

Expected Date of Graduation _____

Current GPA _____

Are you pursuing a thesis?

_____ Yes _____ No

If yes, please provide title and name of advisor below:
