



## James S. Kemper Foundation

### Kemper Scholars Program Application Form

Attach the following documents when submitting your application:

- College and high school transcripts;
- SAT or ACT test results if not reported on your transcript; and
- Two letters of recommendation (at least one from a college professor).

Please fill out the form below completely. You may, if you wish, attach a résumé. Completed applications should be submitted directly to your campus coordinator, not to the Kemper Foundation.

Applications must be complete and submitted no later than Friday, February 29, 2008.

Applications must be typed.

1. Full name:
2. By what name do you prefer to be addressed casually:
3. Home address (street, city, state, zip):
4. Home telephone number:
5. Name of college/university:
6. Expected graduation date:
7. Mailing address at college:
8. College telephone number and/or mobile phone number:
9. Preferred email address:
10. List your primary academic interests.
11. List your possible career interests.
12. List high school extracurricular activities.
13. List college extracurricular activities.
14. List your outside-of-school interests.
15. List past and current work experiences.

17. Father's name, occupation, and completed level of education:
18. Mother's name, occupation, and completed level of education:
19. Brothers' names, years of birth, occupations, and completed levels of education:
20. Sisters' names, years of birth, occupations, and completed levels of education:
21. List two books that were not course texts which you have read recently and would recommend to others.
22. Describe your domestic and foreign travel experience.
23. What kinds of cultural activities do you prefer to attend (e.g., museums, music performance)?

**Essay Questions:**

1. (250-500 words) Describe an experience at work, in a service activity, or in a leadership position when you were able to apply something you learned in your college or high school courses. What role did your academic education play in your success at that time? How did academic learning and experiential learning work together to teach you something?
2. (250-500 words) What do you hope to accomplish before you graduate from college? In other words, what are your personal goals? Why are these things important to you?
3. (250-500 words) Discuss how you think being a Kemper Scholar would contribute to your accomplishing your personal goals.