

## The UWI FIC Dame Yvonne Maginley Memorial Scholarship

## Terms of Awards

Dame Yvonne Maginley DCN, CMG, OBE, OD, was a trailblazer for women who served the nation of Antigua and Barbuda with distinction in the areas of tourism and culture. She entered the fledgeling male-dominated tourism sector and was appointed in 1958 as the Executive Secretary of the Antigua Tourist Board. It was during this time that Dame Yvonne was part of a team of visionaries who crafted the foundations of our current tourism sector in a move that transitioned Antigua and Barbuda from an agrarian-based economy into a service-based economy. Having reached the *pièce de résistance* of national service, Dame Yvonne was appointed and served as the Governor-General's Deputy between 1999-2004.

**Donor** 

D. Gaye Hechme

**Purpose** 

Provide tuition assistance to a student pursuing studies towards a career in the Tourism and Hospitality industry.

**Eligibility** 

Applicants should satisfy all of the following criteria:

- a. Entering *Level 2 or 3*
- b. Registered in the School of Business & Management majoring in **BSc. Management with a conc. Tourism** and Hospitality
- c. Overall GPA 3.0 and above
- d. Full-time registration status

**Number of Awards** 

One

Value

EC\$5000.00

Requirements

a. Complete the UWI FIC Financial Awards Application

Form

- b. Write an essay of NO MORE THAN 300 words on the topic "Weaving Tourism into every facet of life".
- c. Participate in a scholarship interview

**Application Deadline Extended Deadline** 

August 14, 2023 September 1, 2023

**Method of Selection** 

The scholarship will be advertised on the Campus website and/or any other University approved media.

Short-listed candidates will be further evaluated by interview with the selection committee.