Florence Gradon Ragen and Louis Brooks Ragen
Scholarship Application
2013-14

Students wishing to apply for this scholarship in the College of Liberal Arts for the 2013-14 academic year must complete the following application form. *Please read through the scholarship criteria to determine if you are eligible. *Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Please direct any questions to the College of Liberal Arts Student Services Office at 737-0561.

Application Packets MUST be received at Gilkey Hall 213 no later than
Wednesday, March 13, 2013 at 5:00 PM

Personal Information

Name: __________________________________________________________________

(Last Name)                     (First Name)   (Middle)

OSU ID Number: _____-_____--____

Major: ______________________________ Minor (if any): _______________________

Contact Information

Local Address: _________________________________________________________________

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Local Telephone No: ____-______-______

Permanent Address: _____________________________________________________________

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E-mail: _______________________________________          Legal State of Residence: ______

High School Name and Hometown: _________________________________________________
Florence Gradon Ragen and Louis Brooks Ragen Scholarship ($1000)

This scholarship honors Florence Gradon Ragen and Louis Brooks Ragen, individuals dedicated to the value of a liberal arts education. The scholarship is provided by their children, to recognize the exceptional leadership abilities and strong academic achievement of an undergraduate student in the College of Liberal Arts.

Criteria:
- Must be an undergraduate student with a College of Liberal Arts major while receiving the scholarship
- Have a cumulative 3.5 GPA or higher
- Must be able to demonstrate leadership abilities
- Must be a graduate of an Oregon high school

A complete application packet includes:

1. College of Liberal Arts Scholarship Application.

2. A two (2) page essay on how your leadership abilities, together with your liberal arts education, will have an effect on your plans after graduation.

3. A chart of co-curricular activities you have participated in since beginning your college career (see included sample for format).

4. Any additional information you consider pertinent to the award committee.

5. ***Two (2) letters of reference and completed reference forms (included) from OSU faculty and/or classroom teachers who can attest to your outstanding academic performance. NOTE: No letters/references from family members, please.

All letters and forms must be received by 5:00 P.M. on Wednesday, March 13, 2013

Ragen Scholarship Committee
OSU, College of Liberal Arts
Student Services Office, Gilkey Hall 213
Corvallis, OR 97331

FAX: 541-737-2434
EMAIL: mary.chuinard@oregonstate.edu
Co-Curricular Activities Chart (since beginning your college career)

Your Activities Chart may include the following categories:

A. School Activities – Category A  
B. Volunteer Activities (Community/Family) – Category B  
C. Awards – Category C  
D. Other – Category D

See the sample Activities Chart below.

Activities Chart

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<td>Chamber Choir</td>
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<td>Sing in 7 concerts and 5 competitions a school year, attend weekly class and rehearsal</td>
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<td>Healthy Living Initiative Creation</td>
<td>01/2011-03/2011</td>
<td>12/wk</td>
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<td>Organized a campus wide campaign for healthy living, spread flyers and organized speakers to come to my HHS class with teacher permission</td>
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<td>C</td>
<td>Outstanding Student Award</td>
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<td>Awarded by the Associated Student Body for academic and volunteer contributions</td>
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<td>Soup Kitchen Helper</td>
<td>09/2011-present</td>
<td>3/wk</td>
<td>36</td>
<td>Served soup to those in need and provided social interaction</td>
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- **Use the above format as a template!**  
  (you can do this in Word by hitting “Insert” and then “Table”)

- **Each activity must include:**
  o The activity category (A, B, C or D)  
  o A short title for the activity  
  o Dates From: month and year of when you first began that activity  
  o Dates To: use 'To present' if you are currently participating in this activity, or enter month and year when you last did that activity  
  o Time Spent—number of hours per week or month and total hours; give your best estimate, do NOT use “varied” (does not apply concerning Category C)  
  o A short description of the responsibilities and/or accomplishments associated with the activity

- **Be brief.** Pinpoint activities where you showed leadership, decision-making, and organizational skills, and areas where you received special recognition.
Student’s Name: 

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**A complete reference includes this 2-page form AND a detailed letter.**

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Title/Position

Institution/Business

Phone or Email

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