**National Conference for College Women Student Leaders (NCCWSL)**

**May 28 -- May 30, 2025**

**University of Maryland, College Park, MD**

AAUW Pennsylvania invites all woman-identifying college students to apply for an AAUW Pennsylvania-sponsored $585 grant to attend the **2025 National Conference for College Women Student Leaders**. (<https://naspa.org/events/nccwsl>)

Grants will be awarded to students who have not previously attended NCCWSL.

**AAUW Pennsylvania -- NCCWSL Grant Submission Process**

* Complete this application and email it to: [aauwpacu@gmail.com](mailto:aauwpacu@gmail.com). Your completed application must be received no later than Sunday, March 30, 2025 11:59pm.
* Recipients will be informed of selection status, via email, no later than Sunday, April 6, 2025.
* If you accept the grant, recipients must register and pay the registration costs to attend NCCWSL, before April 10, 2025 and immediately email [aauwpacu@gmail.com](mailto:aauwpacu@gmail.com) the registration confirmation. We will assume you have declined the grant if the registration confirmation is not received on or before April 10, 2025.
* AAUW Pennsylvania will send a check for $585, as a reimbursement of the NCCWSL registration costs, to the mailing address on the application.

**Email questions about the grant application process to** [**aauwpacu@gmail.com**](mailto:aauwpacu@gmail.com)

**NCCWSL GRANT APPLICATION BEGINS HERE**

**Applicant’s Certification**

*I verify that the information provided in this application is correct. If awarded a grant, I agree to register to attend NCCWSL before April 10, 2025 and immediately mail* [*aauwpacu@gmail.com*](mailto:aauwpacu@gmail.com) *the registration confirmation. I agree that I decline the grant if I do not email the registration confirmation no later than April 10, 2025.*

*I also agree to reimburse AAUW Pennsylvania the grant amount should I neglect to participate fully or be able to attend the conference.*

*In addition, I agree to:*

1. *Submit a written summary of my NCCWSL experience with optional pictures and allow AAUW Pennsylvania to use those photos in AAUW Pennsylvania publications and social media;*
2. *Share my experience with AAUW Pennsylvania Branches and Board members by speaking to a group that includes AAUW members;*
3. *Keep the NCCWSL Grants Chair (aauwpacu@gmail.com) informed of my current contact information until July 31, 2025.*

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| **Print/Type Name** | **Applicant’s Signature** | **Date** |
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| **First and Last Name:** |  |
| **College/University:** |  |
| **Major:** (Undecided is OK) |  |
| **Minor:** (if any) |  |
| **Mailing Address:** (April 12—26) |  |
| **Preferred email address:** |  |
| **Preferred phone number:** |  |
| **Expected date of graduation:** |  |

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| **I am currently a/an** |  | **Undergraduate** |  | **Graduate Student** |

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| **I am currently an AAUW Student Associate member:** |  | **Yes** |  | **No** |

**Answer the following questions.**

**Try to keep your responses to 100 words or fewer.**

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| 1. **The National Conference for College Women Student Leaders aims to help woman-identifying students realize their potential as leaders. Why do you think developing women-identifying leaders is essential for college campuses and in local communities?** |
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| 1. **What gender-related issues and/or social equity issues are particularly interesting to you? What role(s) do you see yourself playing in addressing these issues in the future, on campus or in your local community?** |
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| 1. **What skills would you like to hone at this leadership conference, and how do you intend to share what you have learned on your return?** |
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| 1. **Please submit a resume or CV. List any community/civic involvement or co-curricular activities (i.e., clubs, employment, memberships, internships, volunteer activities, trainings, etc.) in which you have participated during the past four years (including during high school if within past four years). Alternatively, check your resume/CV against the list of activities listed above and only add activities that aren’t on your resume/CV.**   **We welcome applications from those who are not already involved in their communities.** |
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| **For graduate students only. Please describe specific ways in which you, through your career or other vocation, plan to use what you learn at NCCWSL to mentor and empower younger women-identifying students whom you will supervise, advise, or serve.** |
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