SCHOLARSHIPS

ALL Marshall/Leventhal students, including international students, are eligible to apply for a scholarship, no matter their financial or visa status.

All scholarship results will be revealed before you need to commit to the program, so simply applying to LINC does not mean you MUST participate. Scholarships will cover no more than 50% of the program fee.

Students who indicate scholarship interest on the LINC application will be asked to upload a copy of either their Financial Aid Summary OR (for those who do NOT receive Financial Aid) a letter of financial need. Without the Financial Aid Statement or Letter of Financial Need, your scholarship application will be considered incomplete, so be sure you have the documents ready to upload IF you will be applying for a scholarship.

Please note: the scholarship committee will review all financial claims, so please be prepared to verify financial information and submit tax and other documents IF requested.

For students receiving financial aid:

- 1. Access your Financial Aid Summary via <u>MyUSC portal</u>.
- 2. Under the Financial Aid tab, click on USC Fast.
- 3. Click on Financial Aid Summary.
- 4. Save a pdf version by clicking the printer icon on the right near the top of the summary, not the page that will create a pdf.
- 5. Upload to LInC application.

For students NOT receiving financial aid:

Those who do not receive financial aid or who receive very little (i.e., small amount of loan funds or a small scholarship) can write a Letter of Financial Need instead. Letters should be as detailed as possible (your and/or your family's financial situation income, financial obligations, etc., if there have been any recent changes, and why the scholarship is necessary for you to participate in the program. The more detailed the letter, the better).

Please note: For those of you who receive financial aid, if you will participate in LInC during May, and receive need-based financial aid (loans, grants, work-study) from USC and/or the State of California and/or the US federal Government, and plan to take summer classes, make sure the summer school program you enroll in starts AFTER June 1 in order to ensure that you do not impact your financial aid for Spring 2023. Students receiving only merit scholarships (Trustee, Presidential, Dean, etc.) and/or a LInC Scholarship are not subject to this restriction. More information will be provided in the LInC admission e-mails.

If you would like to discuss your options in person, please contact the Marshall Undergraduate International Programs office at (213) 764-8447 or by email at <u>uginternational@marshall.usc.edu</u>.