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Penobscot Valley Branch

**American Association of University Women**

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**Non-Traditional Woman**

**$500 Academic Scholarship Application**

Applicants must satisfy the following criteria:

* Be a Woman 22 years of age or older
* Experienced at least a four-year educational break.
* Enrolled as a degree student at the University of Maine, Husson University, Eastern Maine Community College, or University of Maine - Augusta, Bangor Campus.
* Be in good academic standing.
* Undergraduates must have completed at least 20 credit hours of course work

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Age\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated date of Graduation\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

GPA (Grade Point Average) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Major \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Academic honors received

Extra-Curricular and Community Activities

Please attach a written statement, no longer than one typed page, outlining your reasons for returning to college (after at least a four-year break in your education), choosing your major, your career goals, and what contributions you hope to make to your family, your community, and/or future non-traditional students. Add any additional information (including financial need) which you may wish to provide. Please also reflect upon the mission of AAUW when writing this statement: “AAUW advances equity for women and girls through advocacy, education, philanthropy, and research.” In addition, please submit a letter of reference and a copy of your transcript.

**Deadline: March 21, 2016**

Please submit the completed application, written statement, letter of reference and copy of your transcript to:

Sharon Ashworth

AAUW Scholarship Chairperson

5735 Hitchner Hall

University of Maine

Orono, Maine 04469

Or submit electronically to:

[Sharon.ashworth@umit.maine.edu](mailto:Sharon.ashworth@umit.maine.edu)