

MARCIA ESCOTT-HICKROD NON-TRADITIONAL STUDENT ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP

The minimum award is \$1,000.

The Marcia Escott Hickrod Nontraditional Student Scholarship Award provides financial assistance to adult learners in the master's degree program in College Student Personnel Administration (CSPA) at Illinois State University. This fund was established by Dr. Marcia Escott Hickrod, who was the first administrator and primary leader of the adult learner program at Illinois State University 1980-1993.

Preference will be given to part-time students. The application essay should discuss goals for professional work in college student personnel, how the applicant meets the criteria, and how receiving this award will assist the applicant.

To be eligible for this award, students must:

- Be a current CSPA master's student in good standing, having completed at least 9 credit hours in the program.
- Be considered nontraditional and meet one or more of the following criteria:
 - Financially independent
 - Work full-time while enrolled
 - Is a parent
 - Or other extenuating circumstances.