The Glenwood Church ARP Student Scholarship at RTS Charlotte

Overview: This scholarship is a full tuition scholarship given to a deserving ARP student who will complete the Master of Divinity full-time. Considerations for the scholarship include academic background, involvement in the ARP, and financial need. A limited number are available each year.

Background: Reformed Theological Seminary in Charlotte, NC is pleased to announce a new full-tuition scholarship program for qualified Associate Reformed Presbyterian (ARP) seminary students who are enrolled as full-time students in the Master of Divinity program. These scholarships are made possible by the generous gift of Glenwood ARP Church upon the sale of its church land and property. Glenwood ARP Church was established in Charlotte in 1919 and continued in existence for 95 years until May 2014. The chance to sell the building and grounds and donate the proceeds to RTS provided the members an opportunity to continue the Glenwood legacy. RTS Charlotte and the ARP denomination have a rich and long-standing relationship, with RTS boasting 4 full-time faculty members ordained in the ARP, numerous students who are ARP interns, and many alumni now serving in ARP churches. The investment that Glenwood ARP is making in RTS and in ARP seminary students will have great impact in years to come.

Qualifications: To be considered for this scholarship, an applicant must apply to RTS Charlotte, fill out a financial aid form and send a resume with cover letter to the Director of Admissions, Mr. Stephane Jeanrenaud, at sjeanrenaud@rts.edu. Please elaborate on involvement with the ARP in the cover letter as well as explain goals of ministry after graduation.

Timeline: In the 2014-2015 academic year, the application deadline must be made by July 1, 2014. In 2015-2016 and future years, the application deadline is April 1. The scholarship will then be submitted to the scholarship committee and the committee will announce the award within 30 days after the deadline.

Other scholarships: Even if a candidate is not awarded the Glenwood Church ARP Student Scholarship, there are other scholarships for which the candidate may qualify at RTS Charlotte. Those include the Church Partnership scholarship, Ministry Partnership scholarship, Campus Ministry Grant, Minister’s Family Grant, International Student Grant, and a number of other grants and financial aid. For more details on these, see our website www.rts.edu/Charlotte/FinancialOverview.

More information: For questions or more detailed information, please contact admissions.charlotte@rts.edu