The Barry M. Goldwater Scholarship is designed to attract outstanding students into careers in mathematics, the natural sciences, and engineering. Scholarships are awarded on the basis of merit to students who are sophomores or juniors during the current academic year and who have excellent academic records and demonstrated interest in and potential for careers in mathematics, the natural sciences, or engineering. The scholarship covers eligible expenses for tuition, fees, books, and room and board to a maximum of $7,500 per academic year. Sophomore scholarship recipients can expect to receive a maximum of two years of scholarship support. Junior scholarship recipients are eligible for a maximum of one year of scholarship support.

Eligibility
To be considered, a student must:
- Be a full-time sophomore or junior in the STEM fields.
- Have an average GPA of at least 3.5 or the equivalent and be in the upper fourth of his or her class.
- Be a U.S. citizen or Permanent resident alien.
- Have a demonstrated interest in a career in mathematics, the natural sciences, or engineering. (For a complete list of eligible fields, visit the Goldwater website.)

Campus Deadline
December 9, 2016. Application and submission instructions are available on our External Scholarships website.

How to Apply
Lafayette College will nominate up to 4 applications for national consideration for the Goldwater Scholarship. Interested students should submit their campus application materials, and have their 3 Letters of Recommendation submitted, no later than December 9, 2016.

Campus application materials and instructions are available from our External Scholarships website.

Selection
Upon official submission of the nominees from colleges and universities across the US, a distinguished committee of educators, deans, and faculty in the STEM fields will review the nominee’s credentials and recommend a pool of qualified individuals to the Board of Trustees of the Goldwater Foundation. The Trustees will make the final approval.

Visit Our Website For Application Instructions and Information:
http://externalscholarships.lafayette.edu/scholarships/goldwater-scholarship

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