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News Release

APPLICATION DEADLINE SET FOR W.S. MCINTOSH AWARD

DAYTON, Ohio, January 21, 1988--This year's application deadline for the W.S. McIntosh Memorial Leadership Award, a scholarship/internship program sponsored by the University of Dayton and the city of Dayton, is Feb. 1, announced Patrick F. Palermo, chairperson of the selection committee.

Named after slain community leader and civil rights activist W.S. McIntosh, the award is given annually to an outstanding black high school senior who is a Dayton resident. Renewable for four academic years, the award covers tuition, fees, room, board, books, supplies, transportation and a personal allowance. For the 1987-88 academic year, the award was valued at \$10,620.

The award also includes an internship with the city of Dayton. Last year's recipient, Clielie LaShea Smith, is currently serving an internship under the supervision of Charles R. Meadows, the city of Dayton's director for community affairs.

A selection committee of UD and Dayton officials will invite five finalists for an interview. Although only one leadership award is given each year, all finalists will receive a scholarship from UD.

To apply, students should submit a personal letter of application describing school/community service and academic achievements; letters of recommendation from a high school teacher or counselor as well as from a neighborhood or community leader; and an official transcript.

For information, call Beverly Jenkins at 229-4411. All application material should be directed to: Admissions Office, W.S. McIntosh Memorial Leadership Award, University of Dayton, 300 College Park, Dayton, Ohio 45469.