**NATIONAL CAPITAL PRESBYTERY**

**Commission on Preparation for Ministry Seminary Scholarship Application**

***Application Due: April 25, 2025 at 11:59PM***

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| Name: | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Phone (preferred): | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Home Address: | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Email Address: | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Church Membership: | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Candidates for OrdinationSeminary Attended: | Click or tap here to enter text. | Expected Year of Graduation | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Check One: | [ ]  Pending Inquirer[ ]  Inquirer[ ]  Candidate[ ]  CRE Candidate |

Estimate of Seminary Expenditures for 2025-26 Academic Year:
*(Double click table to automatically tabulate and click outside of the table when done)*



Other (Specify here): Click or tap here to enter text.

Estimate of Income/Resources Available for 2025-2026 Academic Year:
*(Double click table to automatically tabulate and click outside of the table when done)*



Other Sources (Specify here): Click or tap here to enter text.

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| How important is financial aid to your seminary education? |
| Check One: | [ ]  Absolutely necessary in order to continue with my education.[ ]  An important component to my financial picture.[ ]  It would be a helpful addition to my finances. |

Please write a short essay on each of the following questions. Limit your answers to two pages total. All information provided is confidential and will only be read by the members of the scholarship committee.

1. **Seminary Education:**

**Candidates for Ordination**

Where are you receiving your theological education? Do you have a long commute to your seminary? When did you start seminary? Tell us about your experiences along the way. When do you plan to graduate? Are you a full time or a part time student? How many courses do you normally take during a semester? If you are working during seminary, how does that impact your studies and participation within the seminary community?

**Seminary Education: Commissioned Ruling Elders**

Where are you receiving your theological education? Do you have a long commute to your seminary? What classes do you need? When do you plan to complete your requirements for commissioning? Are you a full time or a part time student? How many courses do you normally take during a semester? If you are working during seminary, how does that impact your studies and participation within the seminary community?

1. **Financial**

Tell us about your current financial situation. Do you work in addition to attending seminary? Are you receiving financial support from your home church? Are you receiving a scholarship? Are you receiving financial assistance from a church other than your home church? Have you taken out loans to cover your seminary expenses, and if so, what percentage do these loans cover? Have you taken a financial management/budget course to help you plan your finances? Do you own or rent your residence, or do you live on campus? Are there special needs in your family that add expenses?

1. **Other**

Do you have any other relevant information to share with the committee?