**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN**

NORTH HILLS PITTSBURGH BRANCH

**SISTER MATILDA KELLY INCENTIVE GRANT APPLICATION**

DIRECTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE 2022 APPLICATION

**SECTION 1 and 2: BIOGRAPHICAL DATA AND DEGREE QUESTIONS**

Please complete all of the information requested and explain any information that may be helpful in reviewing any discrepancies. The more detailed you are, the better the selection committee can gain an accurate picture of you. If the committee has questions about your application, someone will be in touch with you.

**SECTION 3: LETTERS OF ACADEMIC REFERENCE**

Please attach two letters of academic reference from members of the La Roche University faculty on college letterhead. The letters should include examples of the student’s attributes, relationship of the writer to the student and evidence of unusual/remarkable /distinctive qualities

Request an official transcript form the registrar that includes Fall (2021) grades. The registrar should send this information directly to: Student Life Office, 200 University Center. If you have any questions, please contact Julie Makuta at [Julie.makuta@laroche.edu](mailto:Julie.makuta@laroche.edu) or 412-536-1071.

**SECTION 4: PERSONAL ESSAY**

Type your essay on a separate sheet of paper and attach it to the application.

Your essay will be rated on the mechanics, style and content of the essay. Essays should be clearly written and well organized, and should sustain a well‐focused discussion. The essay should enable evaluator to get to know the applicant better. The writer should explore ideas with insightful reasoning, persuasive examples, a mature outlook and/or a deep concern for society. Include what your future goals are.

**SIGN AND DATE THE APPLICATION!**