

**Robert Houser Scholarship Policy**  
**Adopted by Upper Ohio Valley Presbytery on January 26, 2008**

1. Funds from this scholarship program are available to full- and part-time Candidates enrolled in seminary.
2. Grants will be up to \$100 per credit hour, not to exceed \$5,000 over the seminary experience.
3. Distribution of funds will be made only for current semester/term classes.
4. Funds are to be requested using a presbytery voucher, with a copy of the current class schedule attached, submitted by a Candidate to the Committee on Preparation for Ministry.
5. Vouchers are to be signed by the chairperson of the Committee on Preparation for Ministry and submitted to the treasurer of the presbytery for disbursement.
6. **Rational:** This scholarship is for Candidates only, because we as a presbytery have a mandated interest according to the *Book of Order*. Part of our care is to provide Candidates with funds to help relieve the stress of financial responsibilities.