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PAUL TULANE AWARD
APPLICATION PREPARATION

For us to learn more about you, your ambition, and your creativity, please answer two of the following questions (250 to 500 words each).

1. What would you do if fear weren’t an issue, and you could never fail?

2. The pandemic has prompted many people to take stock of their priorities and goals in life. What’s at the end of your rainbow?

3. Scary movies tend to evoke the same emotions from all viewers: fear, anxiety, and discomfort. Often, people love or hate them, with very few being completely indifferent. Why does this experience appeal to some but repel others?

4. Common sayings insist "nothing unites people like a common enemy" and "the enemy of my enemy is my friend." Can people be united in a cause without an adversarial or threatening situation? Explain.

5. On the surface, baseball is just a sport: whichever team scores more runs wins the game. However, it’s also a game of advanced statistics: properly evaluating metrics like Weighted Runs Created Plus (wRC+), Bases on Balls in Play, and Fielding Independent Pitching is critical to success in the modern era. Explain something you’re passionate about that seems simple on the surface but is, in fact, vastly more complicated.

Please note: We provide this document so that you may prepare your application in advance. The Paul Tulane Award Application may only be submitted online via your Green Wave Portal at apply.tulane.edu.