The Marion Luther Brittain Award is presented each year to two graduating students, one graduate and one undergraduate, from any of the nine academic divisions of the University who are considered to have performed the most “significant, meritorious and devoted service to Emory University, with no expectations of recognition or reward.”

The award is made under provisions of a gift by the late Dr. M.L. Brittain, former President of Georgia Institute of Technology and alumnus of Emory.

The Brittain Award is the highest honor given to a student by Emory University.
Call for Nominations:

Emory University is soliciting nominations for the 2017 Marion Luther Brittain Award, made possible by the generous gift of the late Dr. M.L. Brittain. Dr. Brittain instituted this award to reward Emory University students who have performed significant, meritorious, devoted service to Emory.

The recipients of the Brittain Award will each receive $2,500 at the time of graduation to be used for any purpose of the students’ choosing. The Brittain Award will be presented at the 2017 Commencement ceremony.

Qualifications and Procedures:

The Brittain Award honors two graduating students – one undergraduate and one graduate – from any academic division of Emory University. Please consider the following in your nomination letter:

- Nomination letters should address specific contributions the student has made to Emory and the reason(s) the nominator considers the student’s contributions significant, meritorious, and in devotion to Emory University.
- Any faculty or staff of the university may submit nomination letters.
- Nominees must be in good academic standing. Academic achievement/merit is not a criterion for this award.
- Nominees must be fall 2016 or spring 2017 graduates from any academic division of Emory University.
- Nominations should be submitted online here, via email to Adrienne Little-Dunson at: adrienne.little-dunson@emory.edu, OR through campus mail to:
  Emory Campus Life
  Attn.: Adrienne Little-Dunson
  DUC 409E / Drawer PP
- Nominations must be received no later than close of business on Friday, February 10, 2017.

For additional information, please call 404.727.7190.