



Hispanic Heritage Scholarship Fund of Metro Orlando

Eligibility Requirements

- Be of Hispanic heritage
- Be a U.S. citizen OR legal permanent resident
- Must have applied for Federal Financial Aid using the FAFSA
- Be enrolled full or part-time in a degree-seeking program at an accredited institution in one of the 7 Central Florida counties (Lake, Brevard, Orange, Osceola, Polk, Seminole, or Volusia)
- Have a minimum cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.00 on a 4.00 scale
- Must attend the scholarship award gala on October 24, 2009
- This scholarship is NOT applicable to graduate programs

Application Instructions

- Complete scholarship application
- Essay (500-600 words recommended)
- Official college transcripts
- Letter of recommendation from college instructor or employment supervisor (no more than 2 letters will be read)
- Copy of financial aid award package

Scholarship Amount:
\$5,000

Scholarship funds will be credited directly to student account at College/University. Scholarship award must be used for tuition, lab fees and/or books.

Mail or deliver your completed application materials to:

Hispanic Heritage Scholarship Fund of Metro Orlando

315 E. Robinson Street, Suite #465

Orlando, FL 32801

DEADLINE: Applications must be received by 5:00 pm on May 29, 2009



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APPLICATION FOR 2009-2010

Biographical Information

Legal name _____ Gender: M F
Last First Middle Jr., etc.

Preferred name _____ Student ID Number _____

Permanent home address (list only if you can receive mail at this address)

Number and Street City State Zip/Postal Code

Mailing address (if different from above) Effective dates of mailing address: From _____ to _____

Number and Street City State Zip/Postal Code

Permanent home telephone (_____) _____ Student's cell phone (_____) _____
Area Code Number Area Code Number

Student's e-mail address _____

How did you learn about the Hispanic Heritage Scholarship? _____

Have you previously applied for the Hispanic Heritage Scholarship Fund? Yes No (if yes, when? _____
Year(s)

Education

College or University _____ Date of entry _____

Address _____
Number and Street City State Zip/Postal Code

Expected date of graduation _____ Is your school public? _____ private? _____

Major(s) _____

Minor(s) _____

Career Aspirations _____

Academic Honors

Briefly describe any scholastic distinctions or honors you have earned, beginning with your high school career.

Work Experience

List any job (including summer employment) you have held during the past four years.

| Specific nature of work | Employer | Approximate dates of employment | Approximate number of hours spent per week |
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Essay

Please attach an essay that will help us know you better, based on the following topic:

Describe how your life experience has influenced your development and your desired field of study and please explain why this Scholarship Board should make the valuable investment in you.

Other Required Information

Have you ever been found responsible for a disciplinary violation at any secondary school or college/university you have attended, whether related to academic or behavioral misconduct that resulted in your probation, suspension, removal, dismissal, or expulsion from the institution? Yes No

Have you ever been convicted of a misdemeanor, felony, or other crime? Yes No

If you answered "yes" to either or both questions, on a separate sheet please give the appropriate date of each incident and explain the circumstances.

Signature _____ Date _____