



Hispanic Scholarship Endowment Fund
2020
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

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Complete applications must be received or postmarked by:

Friday, March 6, 2020

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Scholarship Eligibility and Selection Criteria:

- Applicant must be a resident of **Genesee, Livingston, Monroe, Ontario, Wayne or Yates County**.
- Applicant must be of Hispanic origin. One or both parents must be Hispanic, with family roots from one of the following countries: *Argentina, Bolivia, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Puerto Rico, Spain, Uruguay or Venezuela*.
- Applicant must submit a copy of birth or adoption certificate.
- Applicant must be a high school graduating senior.
- Applicant must submit one senior photo (*good resolution, sizes accepted: 4"x 6", 5"x 7", 6"x 8", 8"x 10", formats: printed, JPEG or PDF*). The photo will be returned.
- Applicant must demonstrate high academic achievement with a grade point average of **3.0** (B) or better in the core subjects.
- Applicant must be entering a college or university in the **Fall of 2020**.
- Applicant must submit two letters of recommendation.
 - One from a school counselor or teacher
 - One from a member of the community (not a family member or relative.)
- Applicant must submit an official transcript from high school, which includes:
 - Senior grades to date
 - Official class rank
 - Grade point averages
 - College entrance scores (SAT, ACT, achievement tests)

Note: If selected, you may receive a scholarship from Ibero's Hispanic Scholarship Endowment Fund or from other scholarship sponsors.

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****Please complete all sections, if doesn't apply, please write "n/a". Print or type in blue or black ink only.**

Name:			
Address:			
Cell phone:		Parent Cell:	
Email:			
Parent's Email:			
High School:			
Counselor's Name:			
Phone / Email:			

Did you take the SAT / ACT test? YES: _____ NO: _____

***If yes, please complete the information below and include a copy of the SAT / ACT scores with the application. ***

Grade Point Average:		Class Rank:		Out of:	
SAT Scores Verbal:		Math:		ACT Composite:	

Field of study when attending college:	
What college are you attending in the fall 2020?	

If you were accepted, and is your FINAL decision, please include copy of the college acceptance letter with this application.

If you have not been accepted to a college or university, please explain why: _____

<i>If you haven't made a final decision on a college, please list where you have applied (in order of preference):</i>	Have you been accepted?		
	Yes	No	Pending

NOTE: For students who plan to attend Monroe Community College and would like to receive a scholarship from MCC, you must have applied, have been accepted and be registered at MCC in order to be considered for an MCC scholarship.

Student must be a permanent resident of New York State to get any scholarships from MCC or any other State University of New York (SUNY) college. This statement does not apply to students who plan to attend other colleges.

IV. Request two letters of recommendation and list their names, their relationship to you, and their telephone number. *Copies of general letters of recommendations sent to college will not be accepted.*

Name / Occupation:	Relationship to you:	Phone Number:

These letters should be sent to:

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Letters of recommendation must be received or postmarked by: **Friday, March 6, 2020**

- V. Please include a short essay (250-500 words - double spaced) describing:
- Background
 - Career Goals – **please be specific on your choice of study (example: nursing, engineering, etc.)**
 - Why you are deserving of a scholarship

Note:

Some scholarships are not transferable if the student changes field of study or school.

Example: *Scholarships from the Health Foundation or Excellus are only for students who intend to go into health-related fields. If the student decides to study something else, he/she forfeits the award.*

ALL OF THE ABOVE STATEMENTS ARE TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE.

Applicant's Signature: _____

Date: _____

Before sending, please review student checklist on the back.

**If you have any questions, please contact us at (585) 256-8900 ext. 110
or by email at iberoevents@iaal.org**

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Student's Checklist

Have you included all of the following information?

- A completed application (*ALL sections must be completed*)
- Copy of birth / adoption certificate
- Two letters of recommendation
- Essay
- An official high school transcript showing grade point average and official class rank
- Mid-year grades for senior year (*copy of last report card*)
- SAT / ACT scores
- Acceptance letter from college/university (*if available*)
- Senior photo

Important Note: If you requested your high school counselor or another individual to send us paperwork (*transcripts, grades, letters of recommendations*) by regular mail or email, please make sure to follow up with them to ensure the documents are received or postmarked **by Friday, March 6, 2020.**

Return this completed application and required paperwork to:

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(Office hours: Monday to Friday from 9:00am – 5:00pm)

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