



**Hispanic Scholarship Endowment Fund**  
**2023**  
**SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

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**Monday, March 6, 2023**

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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: 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, in Color). 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 committed to entering a college or university in the **Fall of 2023**.
- Applicant must submit two letters of recommendation.
  - One from a school counselor or teacher
  - and One from a member of the community: church leader, work supervisors, etc. (not a family member or relative.)
- Applicant must submit an official transcript from high school, which includes:
  - Senior grades to date (copy of last report card)
  - Official class rank
  - Grade point averages

**Note:** If selected, you may receive a scholarship from Ibero's Hispanic Scholarship Endowment Fund or from other scholarship sponsors. Scholarships range from \$500 (five hundred) to \$2,500 (two thousand five hundred) depending on the provider and final review from the scholarship committee.

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**\*\*Please complete ALL sections, if it doesn't apply, please write "n/a".**

**Print legible or type in blue or black ink only. NO PENCIL.**

<b>Name:</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	
<b>Student's Cell number:</b>	
<b>Student's Email:</b>	
<b>Parent's Cell number:</b>	
<b>Parent's Email:</b>	
<b>High School:</b>	
<b>Counselor's Name:</b>	
<b>Phone / Email:</b>	

<b>Field of study when attending college:</b>	
<b>What college are you attending in the fall 2023?</b>	

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: \_\_\_\_\_

If you haven't made a final decision on a college, please list where you have applied (in order of preference):	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 to be considered for an MCC scholarship.

The 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.

Do you work?	Yes		No	
If yes, where?				
Name of supervisor:				
Phone / Email:				

**I. High school awards, honors and other scholarships received** (academic, sports, community, etc.)

Award:	Date:

**II. High school extracurricular activities** (student government, clubs, sports, etc.)

Activity:	Date:

**III. High school community service/volunteer work**

Activity:	Date:

IV. Request two letters of recommendation and list their names, their relationship to you, and their telephone number. Copies of generic letters of recommendation sent to the college will NOT be accepted.

Name / Occupation:	Relationship to you:	Phone Number:

These letters should be sent to:

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Hispanic Scholarship Endowment Fund  
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Letters of recommendation must be received or postmarked by **Monday, March 6, 2023.**

You can also include the letters of recommendation with your application packet.

V. **Please include a short essay (250-500 words - double spaced) describing:**

- a. Background, including country of origin.
- b. Career Goals – please be specific on your choice of study (for example: nursing, engineering, etc.)
- c. Why are you deserving of a scholarship

**Note: Essay must be written by the applicant. Essays written by school counselors will NOT be accepted.**

**Note:** Some scholarships are not transferable if the student changes the field of study or college.

**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: \_\_\_\_\_

If you have any questions, please contact us at (585) 256-8900 ext. 110  
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### Student's Checklist

Have you included ALL the following information?

- \_\_\_\_\_ A completed application (ALL sections **MUST** be completed)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Copy of birth/adoption certificate
- \_\_\_\_\_ Two letters of recommendation. **No form/template letters, please!**
- \_\_\_\_\_ 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)
- \_\_\_\_\_ 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 on your behalf (transcripts, grades, letters of recommendation) by regular mail or email, please make sure to follow up with them to ensure ALL documents are received or postmarked **by Monday, March 6, 2023.**

**Return this completed application and required paperwork to:**

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