

2018-2019 MANUEL N. GOMEZ ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP

Since the early 1970's, Dr. Manuel N. Gomez has been expanding educational opportunities for all students. Dedicated to access, equality and excellence, Dr. Manuel N. Gomez helped create and establish scores of K-16 partnerships and today over 150,000 students have been touched by these efforts. He served as UCI Vice Chancellor of Student Affairs and has worked tirelessly to enrich the UCI campus experience. Community leaders, family, friends and UC staff have collectively supported the Manuel N. Gomez Endowed Scholarship in recognition of his exceptional four-decade career in higher education and commitment to students.

The scholarship up to \$3,000 supports promising UC Irvine students who have participated in an academic enrichment, academic outreach and/or academic preparedness program as a prospective student or as a currently enrolled UCI student. The program must be sponsored in whole or in part by the University of California or a comparable state, federal or privately funded program.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

- Current undergraduate student.
- Have participated in an academic enrichment, academic outreach and/or academic preparedness program as a prospective student or as a currently enrolled UCI student.
- Full-time enrollment for 2018-2019 academic year.
- Minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA.
- Open to all majors.
- First in their family to attend college.
- Financial need as determined by the UCI Office of Financial Aid and Scholarships. If eligible, applicants must file a 2018-2019 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). The FAFSA can be filed at www.fafsa.ed.gov. Students who are not eligible to file a FAFSA and qualify for the AB 540 fee exemption waiver must submit a 2018-2019 California Dream Act application. The California Dream Act application can be filed at www.dream.csac.ca.gov.
- Must provide one letter of recommendation.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE:

Application deadline:

April 25, 2018
(Application must be received in the office by 5pm)

Submit your complete application to:

UCI Office of Financial Aid and Scholarships
102 Aldrich Hall, Irvine, CA 92697
Attn: Scholarship Unit

A complete application includes:

- Submission of a signed Manuel N. Gomez Endowed Scholarship application including your personal statement.
- At least one letter of recommendation.

PLEASE NOTE:

- If you have questions please email us at scholarships@uci.edu

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Full Name: Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	UCI ID Number:
Address: Number/Street	City	State/County	Zip
Campus Phone Number: ()	Cell Phone Number: ()		
E-mail Address:			

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

Major:	School of Enrollment:
Degree Objective: Bachelor of Science (B.S) Bachelor of Arts (B.A) Bachelor of Fine Arts (B.F.A.)	
Year in School for 2018-2019: Sophomore Junior Senior 5 th -year Senior	Year and Term Entered UCI: Fall Winter Spring Year:
Expected Date of Graduation: Fall Winter Spring Year:	Current Cumulative GPA:
Are you the first in your family to attend college: Yes No	Academic enrichment, academic outreach and/or academic preparedness program participated in:

RECENT COLLEGES

College	Units Completed	Dates of Attendance	GPA

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ACTIVITIES, LEADERSHIP, SERVICE AND RESEARCH PROJECTS

Organization	Position	Dates	Description of Activities

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS, SCHOLARSHIPS, HONORS AND AWARDS

Name	Date	Description

CURRENT OR PAST EMPLOYMENT

Position	Dates	Hours per Week

PERSONAL STATEMENT

Please submit a brief statement (800 words or less) on a separate sheet in response to the following questions:

1. What academic enrichment, academic outreach and/or academic preparedness program(s) have you participated in and how has this impacted your studies?
2. What are your educational accomplishments and career goals?

LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION

Please provide one letter of recommendation with your application. The letter should call attention to your academic accomplishments, your leadership abilities, and your commitment to the community. The letter should be written by faculty or lecturers, by University staff, by staff from the academic enrichment or outreach program you participated in, by employers or by leaders in the community. The letter should be in a sealed envelope and submitted with this application. You may submit more than one letter of recommendation.

TRANSCRIPTS

I authorize the Manuel N. Gomez Endowed Scholarship selection committee to obtain a copy of my current UCI transcript. I understand this information will be considered in evaluating me for the Manuel N. Gomez Endowed Scholarship. Please check one:

Yes No

CERTIFICATION - TO BE SIGNED BY ALL APPLICANTS

I have read and understand the enclosed information. I affirm that the information which I have provided on this application form and any additional material that I submit related to the financial aid process is complete, accurate and true to the best of my knowledge. Pursuant to the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, as amended (FERPA), I hereby authorize UC Irvine to release the scholarship application information provided by me, as well as other official and unofficial UCI information regarding my academic progress and status, to scholarship donors for the purpose of providing the donors with information on my eligibility as a scholarship recipient. I also understand that furnishing false information may result in revocation of my financial aid or may result in disciplinary action pursuant to the UC Irvine Code of Student Conduct.

Applicant's Signature

Date

The State of California requires that you be told the following: Federal student loans are available to most students regardless of income and provide a range of repayment options including income-based repayment plans and loan forgiveness benefits, which other education loans are not required to provide.

Accommodations: Upon request, this publication will be made available in alternative formats for people with disabilities. Contact the UCI Disability Services Center; telephone 949-824-7494, TDD 824-6272. The campus and all buildings are accessible by wheelchair.

Campus Safety: Pursuant to the Federal Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act, UCI annually makes available to the public statistics on reported occurrences of criminal activity on and off campus and at UCI Medical Center at <http://www.police.uci.edu/awareness/jca.html>.

Nondiscrimination Policy: The University of California, in accordance with applicable Federal and State law and university policy, does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, gender identity, pregnancy, physical or mental disability, medical condition (cancer related or genetic characteristics), ancestry, marital status, age, sexual orientation, citizenship, or service in the uniformed services. The university also prohibits sexual harassment, including sexual violence. This nondiscrimination policy covers admission, access, and treatment in university programs and activities. For more information, call 949-824-5594.