SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

An investment in knowledge always pays the best interest.

-Benjamin Franklin

Deadline to Submit Complete Applications
(Application, Personal Essay, Transcripts, & One Recommendation)
To the Welcome Center, Main Building
5:00PM
Thursday, March 7, 2013

Refer to “How to Apply” and “Tips & Tricks” to complete this document.

Awardees! Save the Date: May 8, 2013
3:30-5:30 Scholarship Awards & Reception
Hospitality Management
Refer to “How to Apply” and “Tips & Tricks” to complete this document. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

(Please print neatly in blue or black ink, or type.)

Student ID No.: ___________________ Student Name ________________________________
Or Social Security No. (Last) (First) (Initial)
Mailing Address ___________________________________ City____________ Zip________
Phone No. (___)_________________________ Date of Birth _______________  □ Male  □ Female

□ E-mail: ______________________________ Ethnic Identity: □ Hispanic  □ Asian  □ White
□ Native American  □ African American
□ Other: ____________________________

CHECK YOUR STATUS at Mission College for FALL 2013

□ Entering from High School (graduating Spring 2013)
□ New Transfer into Mission: Name of College Attended in 2012/13: ______________________
□ Continuing Student (you attended or are attending Mission College in 2012/13)
□ Re-Entry Student. Approximate Year last attended Any School: ______________________
□ Transferring from Mission after Spring 2013 to a 4-year or Other School: ________________

Name of College/University

Year in School for 2013/14 Academic Year: ____________________________

Cumulative GPA as of March 7, 2013: ____________________________ (transcripts must support this GPA)

Declared or Anticipated Program of Study for Fall 2013: ____________________________

How many college units will you have completed from all colleges attended by June 2013? __________

How many units will you enroll in at Mission College (for Mission students transferring, indicated anticipated units at your transfer school) for the Fall Semester 2013?

□ Full-Time (12 units or more)
□ Three-Quarter Time (9 units to 11.99 units)
□ Half-Time (6 units to 8.99 units)
□ Less-Than-Half Time (5.99 units or less)
Return to:
Mission College Welcome Center
3000 Mission College Blvd, MS#9
Santa Clara, CA  95054-1897

2013-2014 Scholarship Application

Student ID No.: ____________________  Student Name ____________________________________________  Or Social Security No.  (Last)  (First)  (Initial)

List name of High School and Colleges attended:

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Check the box(es) below that apply to you (at least one box must be checked):

- [ ] U.S. Citizen
- [ ] Eligible Non-Citizen (resident)
- [ ] Foreign/International Student (F1, F2, J1, J2, G, or H VISAs)
- [ ] AB 540
- [ ] Re-Entry Student (A student who has been away any school for 5 or more years)
- [ ] Senior Citizen (65 yrs or older)

Check up to TEN named scholarships from those listed below for which you would like to be considered and you believe you meet the specified minimum requirements. Meeting minimum requirements does not ensure receipt of a scholarship. In general, unless otherwise stated below, most scholarships have a minimum GPA requirement of 2.500; that you currently are or will be a Mission College student; and either an U.S. or other eligible non-citizen, an AB540 eligible student, or an International student. Some scholarships also have a need component.

For scholarships with a need-based eligibility component, you must apply for need-based Financial Aid for the 2013-2014 BY MARCH 2ND, 2013 using either the FAFSA (www.fafsa.gov) or, if applicable, the Dream Act Application (www.caldreamact.org). Your calculated need to be considered for need-based scholarships must meet or exceed the scholarship amount available.

- [ ] Alviso Scholarship: Must be a resident of Alviso zip code: 95002
- [ ] Access Program: Must be an active member
- [ ] Don Cordero: Science major, underrepresented student
- [ ] DISC-Disability Instructional Support Center: Currently using or has used the support services
- [ ] Yvonne & Pierre Frelier: Food Services or Restaurant Management major, complete one semester
- [ ] Clara P. Garcia Endowment: Health Occupation major
- [ ] Dolores “Dee” Gonzales Endowment: Single Parent, highly motivated
- [ ] Daniel Franco: Veteran, preference may be given to Hispanic ethnicity
- [ ] Eileen Hill: Arts major, complete 15 units at MC, preference to transfer student to 4 yr institution
- [ ] Kaiser-Santa Clara Volunteer Services: Student entering the health care work force
- [ ] Keeping Tabs: Complete 15 units at MC, underrepresented student
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☐ Marika Kohalmy Endowment: Music major  
☐ Mary Le Memorial: Science major, complete 2 semesters at MC, prospective transfer student  
☐ Dan Matarangas: Leadership role in ASG, volunteer background, completed at least 2 semesters  
☐ Osher Scholarship: completed 24 units, BOGW eligible, demonstrate financial hardship  
☐ Santa Clara Mission City Community Fund: Incoming High School Graduate from City of Santa Clara  
☐ David Schor Memorial: 2 semesters completed at MC, active ACCESS member  
☐ Ileana Lorie Math Scholarship-Math major  
☐ Hospitality Mgmt Award: Hospitality management major  
☐ Intel Scholarship: Program of Manufacturing technology with a semiconductor concentration  
☐ Robert and May Walton Memorial: Education or Environmental fields major  
☐ Silicon Valley Business Partners: AB540, single parent, first year college student  
☐ Lenore & Curtis Mills I: Engineering major, transfer student, completed 12 units  
☐ Lenore & Curtis Mills II: Engineering major, continuing student  
☐ Vanley J. Batchelor: Health care/Medical field major, community service background  
☐ Son Le Scholarship: Science major, consideration to students who are immigrants or political refugees who are now legal US residents  
☐ Mission-WV Land Corp Promise: demonstrate financial hardship  
☐ Somilia R. Wishneff Memorial Fund: female student, re-entry  
☐ Friends of Mission: transfer student, economically disadvantaged, outstanding leadership, academic and service skills  
☐ Thoi T. Nguyen Math Scholarship: math, counseling or psychology major, financial need  
☐ Santa Clara Rotary Main: demonstrate financial need  
☐ Santa Clara Rotary West: demonstrate financial need; may include: first generation, student with dependents, and students with substantial need for academic support  
☐ Soroptimist International of Santa Clara: female, head of household  
☐ State Real Estate: low income, educationally disadvantaged, enrolled in real estate courses  
☐ Larry Souza Memorial: hospitality major, male  
☐ Austen Warburton: Graduated in the Santa Clara Unified School District  
☐ Michael P. Vargas Scholarship: Arts major  
☐ Mary Fleischli Scholarship: Arts major or humanities may be considered, demonstrate financial need  
☐ Title V Endowed Scholarship: Hispanic Background or other underrepresented population  
☐ Phyllis Ordaz Scholarship: Hispanic ethnicity, demonstrate integrity, commitment in achieving goal  
☐ Associated Student Government (ASG) Scholarships: must have current ASG sticker, must have financial need, demonstrate involvement in community, commitment to complete a degree/cert.  

Please check those boxes that apply to you:

☐ Athletic team participant at Mission College  
☐ Parent  
☐ Single Parent

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☐ Married Parent
☐ Part-Time (9 units) & Parent
☐ Leadership role in ASB or Mission Clubs
☐ Completion of Reading Courses
☐ US Military Veteran
☐ Other___________________________________

Co-curricular activities: Include Mission College activities, positions held, clubs, outside involvement in community service, special interest. (Attach additional sheet if necessary.)

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AUTHORIZATION & ELIGIBILITY STATEMENT FOR RELEASE OF RECORDS:

I, __________________________________, hereby authorize Mission College employees to release any information relating to scholarship eligibility: this may include, but is not limited to, my academic transcript, scholarship application, and personal essay to any donors and to the scholarship committee. I further understand that, if awarded a scholarship, I must meet ALL individual scholarship eligibility requirements prior to disbursement of funds and authorize release of this information for publication. I also state that, to the best of my knowledge, all of the information reported in this application is accurate.

Remember to include your personal essay!

Student Signature_________________________________________   Date ___________________
I. PERSONAL ESSAY –

PLEASE COMPLETE AND SUBMIT ON SEPARATE SHEETS OF PAPER.

✈ This essay must be TYPED, 12- font, double-spaced and no more than TWO pages in length!

✈ At the top of your essay page(s), provide your Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial along with your Student Identification Number (either your Mission College Student ID or your Social Security Number)

✈ Your personal essay should reflect your hopes and plans for your future. This is your opportunity to share your goals with the Scholarship Committee. Please try to incorporate into your essay answers or comments on the following:

   o How will you take advantage of the scholarship opportunity and use it to advance your education?

   o Explain your educational goals. The donors must know what degree you are seeking or if it is a vocational, technical, or special skills area you are planning to pursue.

   o What are your career goals?

   o How do you plan to be an active and responsible community member?

✈ Your essay should be proofread by someone who recognizes effective writing.

II. TRANSCRIPT REQUIREMENTS

A. If you are not currently a Mission Student or if you have not yet finished a full semester at Mission College but have attended other college(s), please provide an unofficial copy of the other college(s). For newly graduating high school seniors, please provide a copy of your high school transcript.

B. All submissions must include your full name, your Mission Student ID or social security number.
Student’s Name (Please print) __________________________________________________________

Program __________________________________________

(Last) ______________ (First) ______________ (Initial) ______________

Student Identification (SID) Number: ________________________________ (or social security number)

Scholarships are awarded on the basis of academic excellence, of promise of achievement, and, in some instances, on financial need. The applicant should seek recommendations from EVALUATORS who can evaluate their promise of academic achievement. Evaluators must be a dean, professor, counselor, instructor, or someone who knows you well professionally (example: boss, supervisor, minister, etc.)

Evaluators, Please Note:
This recommendation should be put into a sealed envelope and given back to the student. If you do not want to complete this recommendation form, please advise the student to select another person. Please return to student in time to meet the Thursday, March 7, 2013 deadline date.

PLEASE CHECK APPROPRIATE BOXES:

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Additional remarks and general information concerning the applicant’s qualifications. (Please print or type): __________________________________________________________

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Evaluator’s Name (Please print) ___________________________________________

(Last) ______________ (First) ______________ (Initial) ______________

Evaluator’s Relationship to Student: __________________________________________________________________________________________

Evaluator’s Signature __________________________________________ Date __________________________

Reminder: Please return form to student in a SEALED envelope.