



2016 Roberto Gracia and Sal Castro Memorial Scholarships Application Form

INSTRUCTIONS

- Complete this application by typing or clearly printing all the information
Attach all required supporting documentation. Please write your name on all attachments or submit as one PDF file
Check off all the appropriate boxes to ensure all documents are attached
Only applicants who meet the threshold requirements and submit complete applications will be considered

PART 1 THRESHOLD REQUIREMENTS

- 1. Check off which CLYLP high school programs you participated in and what years
2. What is the name of the accredited university that you plan to attend or currently attend?
3. What is the GPA listed in the transcript that you have submitted?
4. Check your student status below:

PART 2 APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicant's Name (Last, First, Middle) Birth date(month/day/year)
Mailing Address
County of Residence Home/Cell Phone
Ethnicity Gender (M/F)
Mother/Guardian's Name Occupation
Educational attainment
Father/Guardian's Name Occupation
Educational attainment
Check your parent/guardian's estimated annual income below:

PART 3 ESSAY QUESTIONS

Applicants must submit TWO essays. All applicants must answer Essay Question #1, and for Essay Question #2 you can select to answer option A or B (choose one).
ESSAY QUESTION #1: Please answer the following question in 1,000 words or less:
ESSAY QUESTION #2: Please respond to ONE of the questions below in less than 500 words. Write the question at the top of the page.
Option A: If you served as an elected official, what new bill would you author or what law would you amend that would improve your community?
Option B: Explain why higher education is important to you and how it relates to your career goals. Include any unusual circumstances you have or are currently facing that have made pursuing higher education challenging.



PART 4: ADDITIONAL SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY

SAL CASTRO MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

For students interested in a career related to education (including teaching, education administration, education programming, or education policy)

In memory of Sal Castro, Chicano educator and activist, CLYLP will give one scholarship to a CLYLP alumnus pursuing a career related to education. Sal played a critical role in the 1968 East Los Angeles high school walkouts which protested against the educational inequalities that existed within the Los Angeles Unified School District. After retiring from a 43-year career of teaching, he continued to educate the community about his experiences and the importance of education, particularly for Chicano youth.

Please consider me for the Sal Castro Memorial Scholarship.

PART 5: SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

Please submit the following documents:

1. Current Resume
2. One Letter of Recommendation (from an academic official, job/internship supervisor, community leader, etc.)
3. Current Financial Aid Award Letter or Statement of Financial Need
4. Copy of your official academic transcript. (If your school registrar makes transcripts available online, a print out of the webpage with your grades and GPA is acceptable. If you are a freshman this fall you may submit a high school transcript.)

PART 6: SIGNATURE CERTIFICATION

I certify that the statements that I have made for this application are accurate and true to the best of my knowledge. I give my permission to the CLYLP, Inc. to release information contained in this application to agencies, colleges or universities in order to provide me with information on college admissions, financial aid, student services or career opportunities. The CLYLP will keep sensitive personal information confidential.

Applicant's Name (print) _____

Applicant's Signature _____ **Date** _____

CHECKLIST: PLEASE CHECK OFF THE BOXES

ONLY APPLICATIONS WITH ALL OF THE ATTACHMENTS LISTED BELOW WILL BE CONSIDERED "COMPLETE"

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Completed Scholarship Application Form | <input type="checkbox"/> Letter of Recommendation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Copy of Official Transcript | <input type="checkbox"/> Essay Question #1 (1,000 words) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Current Resume | <input type="checkbox"/> Essay Question #2 (select option A or B) |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Write name on each attachment |

DEADLINE AND SUBMISSION

- Email a scanned version of this Scholarship Application Form and all the required documentation to scholarship@clylp.org by no later than **11:59 pm on Saturday, December 10, 2016.**
- If you have questions about the application, submit them to the email address above.