UndocuScholar Award

These scholarships are a one-time award of $1,000 given to qualifying recipients. Applications are due on the 1st and 15th of every month on a rolling basis, until funds are depleted. Awards will be distributed to the recipient via the Financial Aid/Scholarships Office in one payment.

Two scholarships are available for students to apply for. The UndocuScholar Award acknowledges academic excellence at U.C. Davis. The Dragonfly Leadership Award acknowledges individuals who are leaders in their community. Students can apply to both awards, however they will be reviewed separately. If you are planning on applying to both, please fill out both applications individually. **This application is for the UndocuScholar Award.**

Students must read through the criteria and requirements before applying. Visit the AB540 and Undocumented Student Center if you have any questions. Applications will not be accepted electronically. In order to be considered for the scholarships award, applicants must submit a printed copy of this application inside a sealed manila envelope and be dropped off to the AB540 and Undocumented student Center Director, Andrea Gaytan. Her office is located at the AB 540 and Undocumented Student Center inside of the Student Community Center.

Criteria

- Must be currently enrolled as an undergraduate student at the University of California, Davis.
- Must have a current CA Dream Act application on file with the UC Davis financial aid office
- Admitted AB 540/undocumented students in the MURALS or BUSP programs are highly encouraged to apply. Additional funding may be available to facilitate participation in either of these programs.
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Name: __________________________________________________

Student ID: ______________________________________________

Year: ____________________________________________________

Major(s): ________________________________________________

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Minor(s): ________________________________________________

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Email: ____________________________________________________

Phone number: ____________________________________________

GPA: _____________________________________________________

Are you an AB540 or CA Dream Act applicant?

□ Yes

□ No

Additional Documents

□ Include a copy of your unofficial transcript

□ Submit a copy of your MyAwards page to verify Dream act application on file

□ Submit a copy of your typed responses with your application

Are you participating in either Summer BUSP internship or the MURALS program?

□ BUSP

□ MURALS

□ Neither
Short Answer Questions

Please review the following questions for the UndocuScholar Award Application and answer all questions for this section only. Submit a copy of your typed responses with your application. Include your name, student ID, and the award that you are applying to in the top left corner. Please do not exceed the word limit.

Academic excellence:

- What is your field of study and why are you passionate about it? (500 words max)

- What barriers or obstacles have you encountered in your academic journey at UC Davis? How did you overcome them, or how are you currently working on overcoming these obstacles? (500 words max)

- Based on your own experience, what advice would you give to younger generations trying to get to an institution of higher education? (150 words max)

- How would these funds further support you in pursuing your personal academic goals? (200 words max)