

SHPE DFW 2020-2021 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Dear SHPE DFW Scholarship Applicant:

On behalf of the Dallas-Fort Worth Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers (SHPE), we would like to applaud your efforts to pursue a college education. Your interest in applying for this scholarship shows that you have decided to positively affect your future through higher education.

Keep in mind that most scholarship programs, including ours, are competitive processes. To ensure that your application receives full consideration, we suggest you carefully read the eligibility requirements and have a colleague proofread your work.

We wish you good luck and success!

Sincerely,
SHPE DFW Board of Directors

Mail application to the following address by **April 30, 2020** postmark deadline to:

SHPE DFW Scholarship Committee
3024 Clamath Drive, Dallas TX 75204

-or-

Complete and submit your application online at www.shpedfw.org/scholarship

Students will be notified of the committees' selection via email

For any questions please email secretary@shpe-dfw.org

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

To be eligible for a scholarship, you must:

- Be of Hispanic Heritage
- High school seniors must have at least a GPA of 3.0 and college students must have at least a GPA of 2.8 on a 4.0 scale
- Be a full-time college student or a high school student currently admitted and fully committed to attending a DFW College or University during 2020-2021 academic year
- Pursuing or planning to pursue a degree in science, technology, engineering or mathematics (STEM)

SELECTION CRITERIA

Applicants are evaluated on the following criteria:

- Academic record
- Community service
- Essay response
- Financial need

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To submit a complete application, recipient must submit the following:

- 500 word essay addressing the two topics
- Transcript
- List of Organizations joined or volunteer events attended
- Completed scholarship application

Personal Information

Type or print application with black ink

Name: _____
Last First Middle Initial

Current Address	
Address	_____
City	_____
State	_____ Zip Code _____
Phone	_____

Permanent Address	
Address	_____
City	_____
State	_____ Zip Code _____

Email address: _____

Hispanic Heritage: _____

Ex: Mexican, Puerto Rican, Salvadoran, etc

How did you hear about this scholarship program?

- | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Social media (Facebook, Instagram, etc)
<input type="checkbox"/> Advertisement
<input type="checkbox"/> School teacher, counselor | <input type="checkbox"/> SHPE DFW Website
<input type="checkbox"/> Other scholarship website
<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |
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SHPE DFW 2020-2021 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**Education**Fall 2020 class level Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior Graduate Student**Current school/institution**Please provide city and do not abbreviate:

Institution attending

2020-2021 academic year

If different from above:

Note: High School Seniors must provide their college admissions letter to the application**GPA**Include scale ex: 2.85 out of 4.0

Note: All applicants must provide an official transcript to the applicationMajor

Second Major
(if any)

Minors
(if any)

Expected Degree

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- Associate's (Arts or Science)
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-
- Bachelor's (Arts or Science)

Degrees already earned

-
- None
-
-
- Associate's
-
-
- Bachelor's
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-
- Master's
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- PhD

Are you first-generation?

A first-generation college student is defined as a student whose parent(s)/legal guardian(s) have not completed an associate's or bachelor's degree. This means that you or your siblings are the first in your family to attend college.

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- Yes
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- No

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Involvement

Are you a SHPE or SHPE Jr. member? Yes No If yes, list for how long?

List current chapter _____

List current positions and involvement. 1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

Other Community Service/ Volunteer Activities

List other involvement you currently have.

Organization

(Do not abbreviate)

Positions Held

Hours per week

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

Do you work in addition to going to school? Yes No

If so list employer, employment type and hours per week.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____



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SHORT ESSAY (SUBMIT AN ESSAY THAT ADEQUATELY ADDRESSES THE TWO TOPICS LISTED BELOW. THE ESSAY SHOULD BE 500 WORDS OR LESS. PLEASE DOUBLE SPACE YOUR ESSAY.)

1. Explain the importance of being a Hispanic student (*in your major*) in today's society.
2. Describe how you intend to use your degree to help the growing Hispanic population.

SHPE DFW 2020-2021 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**REQUIRED CERTIFICATION AND RELEASE (APPLICANT MUST READ AND SIGN BELOW TO BE ELIGIBLE.)****Applicant Certification and Release of Information**

- I certify that all information on this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.
Application – pages 2-4, fully completed, legible, and signed
Transcript – official college or high school transcript
Admissions Letter – for HS seniors only
Essay – essay attached to application
- I certify that I meet all eligibility requirements as specified in this application and the accompanying instructions.
- I understand that application materials become the property of SHPE DFW and will not be returned.
- I hereby authorize SHPE DFW to utilize information about and from my application and my likeness for public relations purposes, publicity, or other scholarship opportunities.
- **All selection decisions are final and are not subject to appeal. Applications and support documents become the sole property of SHPE and cannot be returned.**

Applicant's Name (Print) _____

Applicant's
signature _____ Date _____