

# GENERAL MOTORS CORPORATION LEAGUE OF UNITED LATIN AMERICAN CITIZENS

## ENGINEERING SCHOLARSHIP FOR MINORITY STUDENTS



#### NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS 2000 "L" STREET NW, STE. #610 WASHINGTON, DC 20036

#### **GM/LULAC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

The General Motors Corporation (GM)/League of United Latin American Citizens (LULAC) Scholarship Program is intended to assist and encourage outstanding minority students in completing their college education. The program is directed specifically to minority students with career interests in engineering. The GM/LULAC Scholarship Program is sponsored by General Motors and is administered by the LULAC National Educational Service Centers (LNESC), the educational branch of LULAC.

**TERMS:** The GM/LULAC Scholarship Program will award \$2,000 scholarships to qualified minority students who are enrolled or are planning to enroll as an engineering major leading to a bachelor's degree at a college or university approved by LULAC and GM. The \$2,000 awards will be divided into two equal disbursements made on September 15 and January 31. Students will be eligible for renewal of this scholarship through their senior year if they maintain a grade point average at or above a 3.0 that is required. Scholarship awards are sent directly to the recipient's college or university and deposited in the recipient's name. Funds will be allocated toward the payment of tuition and academic fees, and the purchase of required educational materials and books. The school is custodian of the funds and will disburse the moneys consistent with the purpose of this program.

**INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES:** GM/LULAC Scholarship recipients may be offered temporary summer or internship positions with GM businesses; however the students are under no obligation to accept GM employment.

Recipients are required to be enrolled as full time students and to maintain a cumulative college grade point average of at least a 3.0 on a 4.0 scale or the equivalent to be eligible for the second scholarship disbursement. After completion of the fall semester, recipients must submit a copy of their fall grade report and proof of their full-time spring enrollment status to the LNESC National Headquarters by January 31 to receive the spring semester disbursement. Recipients will be eligible to renew the scholarship for up to four years based on academic performance.

**ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS** Applicants must meet the following criteria to be considered for a scholarship:

- Must be a minority student pursuing full-time studies leading to a bachelor's degree at a college approved by LULAC and GM.
- Must have a college grade point average of at least 3.2 on a 4.0 scale or the equivalent, or for entering freshman, must have a high school grade point average of at least 3.5 on a 4.0 scale or the equivalent.
- Entering freshman must have also scored at least 23 on the ACT test (composite) or at least 970 on the SAT test (verbal & math).

• Must major in courses leading to a professional career in engineering.

#### **SELECTION CRITERIA** Used to select the finalists:

- Likelihood of pursuing a successful career in engineering
- Academic performance
- Math, science, and engineering skills
- Writing ability
- Extracurricular activities
- Community involvement

#### **APPLICATION PROCESS:** Applicants must submit the following:

- Completed and signed application form.
- High School or college transcript containing proof of GPA. If you are a high school senior you must submit proof of SAT/ACT scores.
- Letters of reference from three adults (at least one being a teacher or professor) addressed to the General Motors/LULAC Scholarship Selection Committee. Include a complete telephone number and mailing address for each reference.
- Typed personal statement of not more than 300 words describing the professional and career goals your studies are leading to.

#### \*Incomplete applications will not be considered.

#### TIME SCHEDULE

**July 15:** Deadline for turning in completed applications to LNESC.

**August 15:** Finalists will be notified of their award.

**Sept. 15:** First scholarship disbursement is sent to college/university.

**January 15:** Deadline for recipients to submit copy of their fall grade report and proof of

enrollment for spring semester to LNESC National Headquarters, Washington, DC

**January 31:** Second scholarship disbursement is sent to college/university.

**GENERAL MOTORS CORPORATION** founded in 1908, is best known as the world's largest full-line vehicle manufacturer. It designs, engineers, manufactures and sells cars, trucks and locomotives worldwide. GM's other major business interests include: Hughes Electronics Corporation (HEC), involved in automotive electronics, telecommunications and space, and defense electronics; and General Motors Acceptance Corporation (GMAC) and its subsidiaries, providing financing and insurance to GM customers and dealers.

THE LEAGUE OF UNITED LATIN AMERICAN CITIZENS is the oldest and largest Hispanic organization in the United States. LULAC has considered education its number one priority since it was established in 1929. The LULAC National Educational Service Centers, Inc. was established by LULAC in 1973 as a separate 501(c)3 non-profit corporation to provide educational programs for Hispanic youth.

### GM/LULAC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

### Please Print or Type

Name					
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Mailing Address	reet		City	State	Zip
Home: ()			·		-
Date of Birth:/	/ Social	Security No		Gender: l	Female/Male
Are you a United States	Citizen? Yes	No If no, e	xplain		
Ethnicity:					
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GPA/Scale:	SAT/ACT S	Score(Only HS Seni	ors):		
College/University Cla	ss Standing as of t	fall (check one):			
Freshman	Sophomore	Juni	or	Senior	
Name of College/Univer	rsity Attending in	Fall:			
College Address:	et	City		State	Zip Code
College Phone Number:	()				

The selection committee will score the questions below. Please be sure to answer questions thoroughly.
1. What high school(s) did you attend, when did you graduate, and what was your class standing?
2. List extracurricular activities, any offices held and honors or awards received through participation in these activities.
3. Are you presently the recipient of any scholarships or the beneficiary of any other financial aid? Yes No (If yes, please specify)
4. Describe any employment (after-school, summer, college co-op) you have had during the past two years.
5. Describe any community-related activities in which you participated and your role in them.

I certify that all of the information included in this application is true and complete. I hereby grant permission to General Motors and/or its business units, and/or LNESC to verify such information and to contact the schools I have attended and the individuals whose names I have given as references. I hereby authorize the college or university listed below to provide my cumulative grade point average and enrollment status to LNESC for the purpose of verifying eligibility for the 2nd scholarship disbursement should I be selected as a GM/LULAC Scholar.

This scholarship competition is open to
residents of the U.S. except the children
of employees of General Motors and its
affiliated companies, their advertising
agencies, LULAC and LNESC staff,
Board of Directors and members of the
selection committee.

Name of College/Univer	rsity		
Applicant Signature	Date		

Please check the items, which you have enclosed with this application. Only those applicants who have submitted all the items listed below and meet the criteria will be considered for a scholarship award.

Completed and signed application form.

Official high school or college transcript with proof of GPA.

If High School Senior, proof of SAT/ACT Scores.

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Typed personal statement of not more than 300 words describing the professional and careergoals your studies are leading to.

Applications must be received or postmarked by JULY 15 Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Mail completed applications to:

LULAC National Educational Service Centers General Motors/LULAC Scholarship 2000 L Street, NW, Suite 610 Washington, DC 20036