

# UH SYSTEM SUGAR LAND

## Fall 2010/ Spring 2011 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

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- **Please print legibly and use black or blue pen only.**
- Complete scholarship packet must be received by the Student Services Coordinator by the posted deadline and be in one envelope.
- Scholarship applicants must be degree-seeking students who are enrolled in courses taught at UH System at Sugar Land.
- Scholarship recipients must be enrolled for the semester of the award.
- Students may apply to their “home university” for other scholarships.
- This application is only processed for UH System at Sugar Land scholarships.
- **Please be aware that awards will not be received in time for fee payment. Students are responsible for paying tuition and fees by established deadlines at their home university.**

### **CHECK-LIST FOR APPLICATION**

Submit the following items in **ONE ENVELOPE** to the Student Services Coordinator, Esther Arrendell, UH System at Sugar Land Scholarship Committee, 14000 University Boulevard, Sugar Land, TX, 77479. For questions, please email Esther Arrendell at [jearendell@uh.edu](mailto:jearendell@uh.edu). Check individual scholarship requirements (Page 2)

1. Scholarship Application, **FILL OUT COMPLETELY.**
2. Personal statement/essay
3. List honors/leadership activities
4. Two current letters of recommendation with contact information.
5. Unofficial transcript(s) from your current institution, if it is your first semester at current institution, please including your unofficial transcripts from previous institutions attended
6. Copy of your Driver’s License or State Issued ID for address verification
7. Sign and date Release Page (page 5)

**NOTE: UHSSL no longer handles the process of the George Foundation scholarship. To apply for the George Foundation scholarship, please visit <http://www.thegeorgefoundation.org> for more details.**

**SCHOLARSHIP DEADLINE IS FRIDAY, April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2010 at 5:00pm**

Application deadline for all scholarships listed below is **Friday, April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2010 at 5:00pm**

**Please note: you may be eligible for more than one scholarship.**

Name of Scholarship	Semester Awarded	Eligible Applicants	Requirements of the Scholarship
<b>Marjorie Akers Hilty Gurasich Endowed Scholarship</b>	<b>Fall</b>	Undergraduate or Graduate	Must be a returning student with at least five (5) years post high school.  GPA: Good academic standing
<b>Mike Baldwin Scholarship</b>	<b>Fall</b>	Undergraduate or Graduate	Full or part-time student pursuing an engineering degree preferred.  Business majors may apply.  GPA: 3.0 or greater
<b>Fort Bend Club Alumni Scholarship</b>	<b>Fall</b>	Undergraduate or Graduate	Full or part-time student taking at least six (6) hours per semester.  All majors may apply.  GPA: 3.0 or greater
<b>Michel Miller Memorial Scholarship</b>	<b>Fall</b>	Undergraduate	Full or part-time student pursuing an education degree preferred.  GPA: 3.0 or greater
<b>Sugar Land Rotary Scholarship</b>	<b>Fall &amp; Spring</b>	Undergraduate	Full or part time student taking at least six (6) hours per semester.  Student must be a Fort Bend County resident with personal or financial hardship.  GPA: 3.0 or greater

***Please Note: The number of scholarships and the value of scholarships are subject to change without notice. Academic progress is required for all scholarships.***



University of Houston System at Sugar Land
Scholarship Application Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ PeopleSoft ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime number: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a U.S. Citizen? [ ] Yes [ ] No

Do you have a Resident Alien Card? [ ] Yes [ ] No

Home University: [ ] UH [ ] UHCL [ ] UHV

Major (Field of study): \_\_\_\_\_ [ ] Graduate [ ] Undergraduate

Minor/Concentration/Certification: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of hours currently enrolled @ UHSSL: \_\_\_\_\_

How many hours will you enroll in for Fall \_\_\_\_\_ Spring \_\_\_\_\_

Does your father have a bachelor's degree? [ ] Yes [ ] No

Does your mother have a bachelor's degree? [ ] Yes [ ] No

Have you applied for Federal Financial Aid for the upcoming academic year? [ ] Yes [ ] No

REQUIRED- APPLICANTS MUST SPECIFY AN AMOUNT ON EACH LINE (EVEN IF ZERO) Please specify any other type of financial assistance to be received: (Estimate financial assistance based on previous semesters, if you have not received your financial aid award for the semesters in question.)

[ ] Loans \$ \_\_\_\_\_ [ ] Grants \$ \_\_\_\_\_ [ ] Scholarship \$ \_\_\_\_\_ [ ] Other (please specify) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Financial Aid Recipients:

Receipt of a scholarship may result in an adjustment to your financial aid award. You may wish to consult with the financial aid department associated with your "home university" for assistance in determining whether or not the receipt of your scholarship will result in an adjustment to your financial aid award.

**List all colleges/universities you have attended beginning with the most recent.**

College/Universities Attended	City, State	Dates Attended From To	Hrs/Degree Completed	GPA
		From: To:		
		From: To:		
		From: To:		
		From: To:		

1. Are you on probation at any of the above institutions?  Yes  No
2. Have you ever been suspended from any of the above institutions?  Yes  No
3. Are you eligible to return to each of the above institutions?  Yes  No
4. If you answered “yes” to questions 1 and 2 above, please list institution(s), dates, and explain the situation on additional paper.

**PERSONAL STATEMENT/ESSAY**

The essay is one of the most important parts of the scholarship application. It allows the scholarship committee to know about you personally, understand your educational goals, and how this scholarship will help you achieve those goals. Your essay should be attached to this application. Do not send a resume as a replacement for the essay. The essay should contain the following information:

**Part I** – Indicate the scholarship for which you feel you are most qualified. Your essay should relate to the qualities, activities, or experiences that qualify you for your first choice, as well as any other scholarship for which you may be eligible. Consider the requirements for the scholarship when writing your essay.

**Part II** – Tell the committee about yourself and your educational goals. Describe your background: major or degree you are pursuing; why award will assist you in obtaining your degree; how you will contribute to the university after graduation.

**Part III** – Tell the committee about your activities, accomplishments and achievements. This will help us to determine the scholarship for which you are most eligible.

**Part IV** – Tell the committee if you are the first in your immediate family to attend college, if you are a non-traditional student, if you have specific financial needs we should be aware of, or if you have overcome obstacles in your life that have made you more aware of the need for a college education. Special consideration will be given to these circumstances when granting awards.

**LIST OF HONORS/LEADERSHIP ACTIVITIES**

- Academic honors, awards, prizes, scholarships and/or memberships.
- Leadership positions/extracurricular activities beginning with the most recent activities at your college, organization, or in your community (within the last four years).

**LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION**

Please provide two current letters of recommendation with this application that address how you meet the qualifications listed for the scholarship(s). It is recommended that one of the letters be from a college professor or counselor; the other can be from a member of your community, or employer who can address your skills.



**PERMISSION FOR RELEASE OF ACADEMIC RECORDS AND STUDENT INFORMATION**

*I hereby certify that the information provided is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and that this application complies fully with the award criteria. I authorize the University of Houston System at Sugar Land to release information contained within this application (including academic records and personal biographical information) to the scholarship committee and agencies/donors providing for these scholarships. I understand the names of scholarships award recipients will be published in area newspapers and UH System publications.*

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Applicant Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

*UH System at Sugar Land is an equal opportunity institution.*

**PLEASE REVIEW THE CHECKLIST ON THE FIRST PAGE TO MAKE SURE YOU HAVE COMPLETED EVERYTHING. INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.**