

Write a two page, typed, double-spaced personal statement, which should include but not limited to the following information:

- Background
- Community Contribution
- Educational Achievements
- Financial Need

Part 5: Transcripts

Attach a copy of your most recent transcript (unofficial copy is fine)

Part 6: Qualifications

Please check all that apply to you.

- 1) High school student *planning* to attend the University of California, Riverside
High school students must have a minimum of 3.0 Grade Point Average
- 2) Transfer student *planning* to attend the University of California, Riverside
Transfer students must have a minimum of 2.8 Grade Point Average
- 3) Currently enrolled full-time students at the University of California, Riverside
UCR students must have a minimum of 3.0 Grade Point Average
- 4) AB 540 high school student *planning* to attend any institution of higher learning in CA
High school students must have a minimum of 3.0 Grade Point Average
- 5) AB 540 high school, current or transfer student *planning* to attend any institution of higher learning in CA
Students must have a minimum of 2.8 Grade Point Average

Part 7: Signature of Certification

If selected I agree to assist the MEChA Alumni Association in efforts to continue with the spirit of this scholarship by providing my service at specific events/fundraising. I commit to help in at least two events throughout the year that shall be determined by the scholarship committee. Note: For those recipients of the AB540 scholarship that will not be attending UCR an equivalent day of service is asked of the recipient.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Submit completed application along with transcript, essay,
two letters of recommendation, and letter of acceptance to UCR or other educational institution
(*AB 540 applicants ONLY*) to:

M.E.Ch.A. Alumni Association Scholarship
c/o Chicano Student Programs
145 Costo Hall
University of California, Riverside
Riverside, CA 92521

Applicant Deadline is Friday, February 24, 2012 no later than 5:00 p.m. in the Chicano Student Programs office. Late or incomplete applications will not be accepted.