

SJSU SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE TO AB540 UNDOCUMENTED STUDENTS

Chicano/Latino Faculty and Staff Association (CLFSA)

Dr. Ernesto Galarza Scholarships (announced in January, due in April). The CLFSA has given scholarships to AB540 Students after an agreement with Dr. Julia Curry who funded a scholarship to be identified as the NCAL Foco Immigrant Beca (affiliated to the National Association for Chicana and Chicano Studies). The first Scholarship was given to Saul Verduzco in 2005. Scholarship notifications are announced in May and awarded in the Fall of every year paid in two equal installments. Awards vary from \$1,500 – the cost of one full semester's enrollment. CLFSA has awarded over 350 scholarships to SJSU students whose activism and work are illustrative of the legacy of Dr. Ernesto Galarza. Scholarship recipients need not be AB540, but AB540 students may apply and receive the CLFSA scholarships. CLFSA also awards scholarships to San Jose City College and Evergreen Community College Transfer Students the year they transfer to SJSU.

Visit the CLFSA website at SJSU to find application information.

<http://www.sjsu.edu/clfsa/>

The National Association for Chicana and Chicano Studies (NACCS) Immigrant Student Beca

In 2008 NACCS formed its Immigrant Student Beca, which is due October 15 of every year. Awards range from \$500 to \$2,500.00. Information is available at www.naccs.org Several SJSU students have received the scholarship from NACCS between 2009 and the present. Go to <http://www.naccs.org/naccs/Beca.asp> for the complete information.

Instituto de los Mexicanos en el Exterior (IME) BECAS at SJSU

Effective 2014-2015 SJSU will administer scholarships funded by the Secretaria de Relaciones Exteriores (SRE) Mexico's Ministry of Foreign Affairs and the Mexican Consulate in San José. The award was announced to President Qayoumi by Consul Carlos Ponce Martínez on October 30, 2014. The IME Scholarship proposal was submitted by Dr. Julia Curry Rodríguez, Associate Professor Mexican American Studies and Ms. Fernanda Karp, Director Campus and Community Relations. The Scholarship will be administered by the SJSU Research Foundation.

The Scholarship will be conducted in collaboration with the Chicano/Latino Faculty and Staff Association and the office of the VP for Student Affairs – with specifics and the timeline to be announced. The scholarship will be available to Mexican AB540 students and will have a value of \$1,500-\$5,000.00.

Other Scholarships for which AB540 Students are eligible that are not specific to AB540

SJSU Alumni Association Scholarships administered by the Colleges of SJSU generally awarded in fall of every years. See: <http://www.sjsu.edu/alumni/scholarships/>

College Scholarships – check college websites for deadlines and guidelines.

Associated Student Scholarships

Students awarded an Associated Students' scholarship demonstrate exemplary leadership and involvement in campus and community life including: student organizations, sports, campus committees, volunteerism, community and civic activism.

<http://as.sjsu.edu/asgov/index.jsp?val=scholarships>