GINA GIFFIN GARCIA SCHOLARSHIP Application Form

Applications are due by the close of business on the first Monday in April to the Office of the Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs, Old Main 1020.

Nominee	 E#	
Current	 Phone	
Address	Zip Code	

Scholarship Criteria

The scholarship award recipient(s) shall be enrolled and accepted as a full-time student at Eastern Illinois University for the Fall 2017 semester. Applicants must have at least an overall 3.0 grade point average on a 4.0 scale and have sophomore, junior or senior standing. The recipient(s) shall have a declared major toward a career in one of the health-related fields. This shall include the following professions: physical therapy, premed, med tech, nursing, speech therapy, pharmacy, occupational therapy. Financial need may be a consideration. Recipient(s) must be an Eastern student at the time the check is issued. The award(s) shall be issued in the Fall 2017 semester. The recipient(s) may be eligible to apply for, and receive, the award again provided she/he continues to meet the criteria stated above.

The Selection Committee shall require a one-page essay of the applicants. Applicants should outline in the essay why they want to pursue a career in their chosen health-related profession and financial need may be a consideration. Please attach essay to application.

The award(s) shall be payable in the Fall 2017 Semester to Eastern Illinois University to be first applied against costs (tuition, fees, housing, etc.) associated with the recipient(s) attending Eastern Illinois University. Any remaining amount will be disbursed to the recipient(s).

Recipient(s) will be chosen in the Spring 2017 semester. Fall 2017 enrollment must be verified before scholarship is awarded.

The application is also available on the Eastern Illinois University website at: http://www.eiu.edu/finaid/other_scholarships.php.