

GERALDINA ORTIZ-MÚNIZ

SPANISH SCHOLARSHIP

The following basic criteria will be applied to applicants:

- Major in Spanish
- Must have completed their junior year at EIU at time of the award
- Will be enrolled for their senior year
- Cumulative GPA of 3.5 or above
- GPA of 3.5 or above in Spanish major
- Merit based
- Must submit one letter of recommendation by faculty (by a member/members of the Spanish faculty, if possible)

All criteria must be met. Criteria will be interpreted according to the discretion of the Department's Scholarship Committee. In judging a scholarship candidate, the Committee will consider a student's potential for making a contribution in the area of Foreign Languages as well as evidence of academic achievement, responsible character, sense of purpose, growth, and participation in departmental activities. Significant contribution to foreign languages or the department may be a deciding factor, if all other criteria are judged equal.

Award will be given to only one recipient per year. Financial need is a consideration only in case of two equally qualified candidates.

Completed applications must be hand-delivered to Ms. Leslie Ashley-McLean in the main office (Coleman 1159) no later than 11:30 am on Friday, March 23, 2018. Students who believe they have exceptional circumstances that make them unable to personally deliver applications (due to being out of the country for study abroad, for example) should contact Dr. Routt (keroutt@eiu.edu) to discuss the possibility of making alternate arrangements. Applications turned in by any other means, including to student workers and in professor mailboxes, may not be considered.

Unless special arrangements are made in advance, awards will not be distributed until after the second week of the fall semester following a candidate's selection. Students who do not return to EIU or enroll in an approved study abroad program in the fall will forfeit the award.

Scholarship winners are expected to perform some service for the department during the academic year following receipt of the award. This service may take the form of unpaid tutoring, helping with the language clubs, honor societies, fund-raising, or some other appropriate service in or for the department. Those who do not fulfill this requirement will be ineligible for further departmental aid.

Due date: Friday, March 23, 2018 at 11:30 am to Ms. Leslie Ashely-McLean in Coleman 1159.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
Geraldina Ortiz-Múniz Spanish SCHOLARSHIP

Department of Foreign Languages
Coleman Hall 1355

Eastern Illinois University
Charleston, Illinois

Please fill out the following accurately and completely. Check with your advisor if you are unsure about some items.

1. Name _____ Email address _____
2. E# _____
3. Local address & Phone number _____

4. Majors (s) _____
5. Degree (B.A.; B.A. with Teacher Certification; B.S. etc.)

6. Minor(s) _____
7. Faculty Advisor (in FLG Dept.) _____
8. Cumulative grade point average at Eastern _____
9. Cumulative grade point average in major (include only those grades from your language of concentration)

10. Upper-division courses (beyond 2202) taken:

11. Total hours toward graduation (not counting courses you are now taking) _____
12. Explain in detail the Foreign Language related activities that you have been active in while at Eastern.

13. Briefly describe your future plans to study your language of concentration, your professional goals and the role foreign languages has in these goals.

You may write more on other side if needed.