

# THE DEPARTMENT OF HISPANIC STUDIES WILL AWARD THREE (3) \$1000 MARY LOUISE WHITE SCHOLARSHIPS FOR FUTURE TEACHERS OF SPANISH

## **Application Deadline April 11<sup>th</sup>, 2014**

# Recipient will be acknowledged at the Hispanic Studies Awards Ceremony on April 25, 2014

**ELIGIBILITY**: The MLW Scholarship is for undergraduate students with a minimum GPA of 3.0, who are majoring in Spanish or Spanish Teacher Education, and who meet the following requirements:

- 1. The applicant must plan to teach Spanish in elementary or secondary school, or at the college level.
- 2. The applicant must have earned at least six semester-hours in Spanish, prior to the Spring 2014 semester, from the University of Houston, and have been enrolled as a full-time student (at least 12 hours each semester) at the University of Houston (Main Campus) for 2013-2014 academic year.
- 3. The applicant must be an UNDERGRADUATE student at the University of Houston in the fall semester of the 2014-2015 academic year. NOTE: Funding is awarded for the 2014-2015 academic year in the form of tuition, and will be received then.

#### MATERIALS TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE COMMITTEE in an enclosed envelope:

- 1. A letter (1 page) in Spanish that addresses the reasons the student desires the MLW Scholarship. Clearly state your career goals and address how the money is to be used. The scholarship is awarded on the basis of merit, while need is considered in the case of a decision between two candidates.
- 2. Two letters of recommendations. (Please use the form posted on departmental website: http://www.uh.edu/class/spanish/) These letters should come from authorities who know the applicant's scholarly work and/or career plans and personal traits.

  Applicants should have letters sent or hand-delivered to

Ms. Norma Quiñones Department of Hispanic Studies University of Houston 416 Agnes Arnold Hall Houston, TX 77204-3062 Re: Mary Louise White Scholarship

- 3. An updated official transcript: A list of the courses currently being taken and the anticipated grades in those courses must also be included with the transcript.
- 4. Full name, mailing address, telephone number, e-mail address, and PeopleSoft of the applicant.

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Please submit your application packet, in an envelope, to the <u>Mary Louise White Scholarship Committee</u>, Department of Hispanic Studies, 416 AH. Applicants should write their full name, address, email, and telephone number on the sealed envelope containing their application packet.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT: Department of Hispanic Studies, 416 A.H., (713)743-3007