## UNIVERSITY of HOUSTON MCL

# FRENCH PROGRAM SCHOLARSHIPS CHARLES SILIN FUND Academic Year 2018-2019

The French Program will award scholarships to students who have demonstrated academic excellence in, and significant commitment to, the study of French.

For the year 2018-2019, 2 scholarships of \$350 each will be awarded.

### Eligibility requirements:

- Enrollment in French during the 2018-2019 academic year.
- Applicants must be full time students at the University of Houston.
- Although not required, preference will be given to majors or minors in French.
- Must return to UH in Fall 2019 and enroll in a French course.
- French GPA of 3.0 or higher.
- ➤ GPA of 2.5 or higher at the University of Houston.
- > Students who are awarded the "John Mitchell" or the "John and Wanda Martin" scholarship will not be eligible to receive the Charles Silin scholarship.

#### **Application process:**

- Submit your application form and your one-page statement (see below), by email, to Dr. Rachel Pope (<a href="mailto:repope@Central.UH.EDU">repope@Central.UH.EDU</a>).
- ➤ With your application form, submit a <u>one-page</u> statement in French (Times new Roman 12pt font double spaced), stating the reasons for the application. Use of "google translate" will disqualify applicants. All submissions must be emailed.
- ➤ Important: Your application form and your one-page statement must be combined into <u>one PDF</u> (do not send two separate documents).
- ➤ DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: March 18, 2019, 5PM.

#### **Selection process:**

- A review committee of faculty will select candidates based on academic merit and dedication to the study of the French language and French & Francophone cultures.

#### Advertisement of scholarships:

All French Program Scholarships will be advertised via flyers, classroom announcement, distribution lists, MCL website and Blackboard.