IME BECAS 2018 Scholarship

The IME BECAS 2018 Scholarship is a need-based program. Need is determined per methodology established by Financial Aid and Scholarships, Office of International Programs, and Dreamers Resource Center. The IME BECAS 2018 Scholarship is not a competitive scholarship and if awarded will NOT qualify the student to pay in-state tuition rates. In order to be considered, students must submit this form along with all required documentation by July 13, 2018. Award notifications will be sent to awarded students no later than July 20, 2018 and the award must be accepted no later than July 27, 2018.

The scholarships will range from $500 to $1,500 per student. The committee will designate award amounts based on essay and statement of financial need.

IME BECAS 2018: IME Becas es un programa del Gobierno de México que busca ampliar las oportunidades educativas de los mexicanos en el exterior y está dirigido a los estudiantes de bajos recursos. Ofrece estímulos económicos con el objetivo de apoyar a estudiantes de origen mexicano para comenzar, continuar y terminar estudios superiores fuera de su país de origen: México. Es un programa del Gobierno de México, por conducto de la Secretaría de Relaciones Exteriores y el Instituto de los Mexicanos en el Exterior (IME), operado con los esfuerzos de su red consular en el extranjero y este año con el apoyo de San Antonio-Mexico Friendship Council (SAMFCO) organización de San Antonio, Texas.

For more information about the Mexican Consulate, visit: https://consulmex.sre.gob.mx/sanantonio/

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:
- Demonstrate financial need
- Undergraduate student of Mexican origin must have at least a 2.5 cumulative GPA;
- Graduate student of Mexican origin must maintain a 3.0 cumulative GPA;
- Maintain good academic standing and Satisfactory Academic Progress as defined by Financial Aid & Scholarships;
- Enrollment (taking classes) as a UTSA student the semester prior to summer session;
- Must be enrolled fulltime and be designated as ‘degree-seeking’;

STEP 1: Required Documents

☐ A 250 word typed statement explaining how she/he is a good ambassador for Mexico and how she/he represents Mexico at UTSA.

☐ A statement fully explaining the need for financial assistance. Include any recent change in financial situation and explain why the total amount of funding necessary for Fall 2018 cannot be obtained. You may attach any additional support documentation but it is not a requirement to do so for consideration.

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**myUTSAID:**_________        **Student First Name:**____________________    **Last Name:**________________

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**STEP 2: Biographical Data**

**FULL NAME:** ___________________________        **myUTSA ID:** ______________

**PLACE OF BIRTH (CITY AND STATE OR COUNTRY):**______________________________________________

**STREET ADDRESS:**______________________________________________________________

**CITY:**______________________**STATE:**____________**ZIP:**____________

**HOME TELEPHONE #:** (AREA CODE) ________/_________________**CELL #:** (AREA CODE) ________/___________________

**PREFERRED EMAIL ADDRESS:** _________________________________________________________________________

**CLASSIFICATION:** □ FRESHMAN □ SOPHOMORE □ JUNIOR □ SENIOR □ GRADUATE

**DECLARED MAJOR AT UTSA:** __________________________ **IF NONE, AREA (S) OF ACADEMIC INTEREST:** ______________________________________

**HIGH SCHOOL (INCLUDE CITY/STATE):** _________________________________________________________

**GRADUATION DATE:** __________

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**STEP 3: Supplemental Questions**

1) **Mexican Origin:** □ Yes □ No

2) **Will you receive a stipend or scholarship that entitles you to in-state tuition in 2018-2019?**
   □ Yes □ No
   If yes, please list the source of the stipend or scholarship and the amount:

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**STEP 4: Certification Statement**

*Please check the boxes below and sign to confirm your acknowledgement of the following:*

- □ The information submitted for review is true and correct to the best of your knowledge.
- □ I understand that I must have a complete application packet submitted by the application deadline (July 6, 2018). Failure to do so will result in the loss of consideration.
- □ Information will be sent to my preferred email account.
- □ Information Release: I waive my rights under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, as amended (Buckley Amendment), by allowing the University of Texas at San Antonio to release information about me to the Consulate General of Mexico in San Antonio and the Government of Mexico.

**Student Signature:** ___________________________        **Date:** ______________