EDISON RESEARCH SCHOLARSHIPS 2019

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA BARBARA

Deadline to Apply
Applications are accepted throughout the academic year

Please email or return application to:

McNair Scholars Program
Building 477, Room 124
Santa Barbara, CA 93106-MC2087
mcnair@mcnair.ucsb.edu

The information in this application is solely for the purpose of determining the applicant’s eligibility for the Edison Scholarships. Information received is treated confidentially.
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University of California, Santa Barbara

Eligibility Checklist

Use the following list to verify that you are eligible to receive an Edison Scholarship.

- Currently enrolled at UCSB
- GPA of 3.0 or above
- Must be a citizen or a permanent resident of the United States*
- Engaged in academic research or applying to graduate school programs
- Eligible Majors (B.S. Majors Only):
  - Chemical Engineering
  - Chemistry
  - Computer Engineering
  - Computer Science
  - Earth Science
  - Electrical Engineering
  - Environmental Studies
  - Mathematics
  - Mechanical Engineering
  - Physics
  - Statistics

Scholarships are available to low-income, first-generation, veterans, and underrepresented students in Edison-specified fields.

*Dream Scholars please visit the McNair Scholars Program Office for more information.

If you checked all the boxes, then you are eligible to apply for the Edison Scholarships.
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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name________________________________________________________
  Last First Middle

Current Address________________________________________________
  City State Zip

Permanent Address______________________________________________
  City State Zip

Santa Barbara/Local Phone ____________ Permanent Phone ____________

E-mail Address________________________ Date of Birth ____________ Gender __________

Perm #__________ Major________________________ Year __________

Last Quarter G.P.A. _______ Cumulative G.P.A. _______

Expected quarter and year of Graduation ______________________________

Citizenship (check one): □ U.S. Citizen □ Permanent Resident □ Other (specify)________

Ethnic Heritage (check all that apply):
□ African American □ Latino □ White
□ Chicano/Mexican-American □ Filipino □ Asian American
□ Native American □ Pacific Islander □ Other________________________
  (tribe)

FAMILY INFORMATION

Mother’s Highest Grade Completed: ______

College Degree Earned (Check all that apply):
  □ Associate □ Bachelor’s □ Master’s □ Doctorate □ None

Father’s Highest Grade Completed: ______

College Degree Earned (Check all that apply):
  □ Associate □ Bachelor’s □ Master’s □ Doctorate □ None

FAFSA INFORMATION

(You can find on your FAFSA Student Aid Report (SAR) at: https://fafsa.ed.gov)

Expected Family Contribution: __________

Staff only
L/I Yes□ No□
FG Yes□ No□
URM Yes□ No□
x____________
x____________
Statement of Interest

The statement is required of all students who apply to the Edison Scholarships. Please provide a summary of your personal background, research activities at UCSB, and/or plans for graduate study. Please also include how this research scholarship will help you achieve your goals. A thoughtful, well-constructed, and candid response is expected.

(250-500 typed words)

Educational Experiences

If applicable, please list participation in special programs (MESA, STEP, CAMP, UC LEADS, SACNAS, etc.)

(150 typed words or less)
Awards, honors, and participation and leadership in academic/campus organizations and activities:

(150 typed words or less)

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Funds Request

What type of funding are you requesting? Please check off all that apply.

- Research Support
- Graduate School Applications
- Academic Travel
- Capstone Project Support
- Other *(please describe below)*
Budget

1. RESEARCH SUPPORT / CAPSTONE PROJECT SUPPORT

Participants may use funds to cover select costs associated with research and college/department capstone projects (e.g., lab materials, supplies, human subject’s compensation). For research or capstone project support, expenses must be incurred from January 1, 2019 to September 1, 2019. All receipts must be submitted no later than September 1, 2019.

Item: ___________________________________________ Cost: ____________________

Item: ___________________________________________ Cost: ____________________

Item: ___________________________________________ Cost: ____________________

Item: ___________________________________________ Cost: ____________________

Item: ___________________________________________ Cost: ____________________

Item: ___________________________________________ Cost: ____________________

TOTAL: __________________

Please provide a brief statement justifying why you need the items listed on your budget.

(150 typed words or less)
2. GRADUATE APPLICATION SUPPORT

Students should list the cost for application fees and graduate school transcripts. For graduate application support, expenses must be incurred from January 1, 2019 to April 1, 2019. All receipts must be submitted no later than April 1, 2019.

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TOTAL COST: ________________

3. ACADEMIC CONFERENCES AND PRESENTATIONS

Identify national or regional professional meetings or conferences that will assist in professional development and networking. For academic travel support, expenses must be incurred from January 1, 2019 to September 1, 2019. All receipts must be submitted no later than September 1, 2019.

Conference: _____________________________________________________________

Location: _______________________________________________________________

Are you presenting a poster or talk at these meetings? _________________________

Date: __________________________

Registration Costs: ________________ Membership Fee: _________________________

Transportation Costs: __________ Hotel Costs: __________ Meal Costs: ____________

Poster Printing Costs: __________

TOTAL: ________________
4. SCHOLARSHIP BUDGET

Based on your estimated costs for the events and activities contained in the budget, please transfer the total costs here.

RESEARCH TOTAL

   Research Materials/Capstone Project: $__________

GRADUATE APPLICATION SUPPORT

   Cost of graduate applications: $__________

ACADEMIC CONFERENCES AND PRESENTATIONS

   Anticipated cost of travel: $__________

TOTAL EXPENSES REQUESTED (NOT TO EXCEED $1,000)

   TOTAL $__________
APPLICANT SIGNATURE

My signature below indicates that, to the best of my knowledge, the information given in this application is true, complete, and accurate.

I give permission to the McNair Scholars Program Staff to check my UCSB grades in order to determine program eligibility.

Participant Name (PRINT): __________________________________________

Signature: _______________________________ Date: ________________

UCSB FACULTY MEMBER SIGNATURE

Students must be engaged in research activities with a UCSB faculty member to apply for a research-related scholarship. For both research-related and graduate school-related expenses, the student must include a signature from a UCSB faculty member in support of their application.

Faculty Member Name (PRINT): ______________________________________

Faculty Member Department: ______________________________________

Signature: _______________________________ Date: ________________

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