



*The*  
**JULIAN SAMORA**  
**ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP**  
*For 2016-2017*



The Julian Samora Research Institute (JSRI) is proud to provide an opportunity for current MSU students to apply for the Julian Samora Endowed Scholarship for academic year 2016-2017. The scholarship, named in honor of Dr. Julian Samora, supports graduate and undergraduate students engaged in scholarly activities focused on Latino/as in Midwestern communities. Applications will be reviewed and recommended by the JSRI Scholarship Committee and two (2) finalists will be announced March 2016. Awards will appear as a \$1,000 credit per semester for fall 2016 and spring 2017.

**REQUIREMENTS**

Applicants must be current MSU students and **must be attending MSU fall 2016 and spring 2017**. They must demonstrate excellent academic standing, and provide evidence of interest in research on Chicano/Latino communities. Two scholarship awards will be given in the amount of **\$2,000 for each award**.

**INSTRUCTIONS**

Applicants must submit the following materials by **Friday, February 12, 2016**.

1. Cover letter with personal statement describing accomplishments, research/educational interests, and student goals.
2. Latest official transcript at MSU.
3. Resume which includes current local address and phone number.
4. One letter of recommendation from a Professor or advisor.

The awards committee will nominate two scholarships: one scholarship for an undergraduate student award, and one scholarship for a graduate student award.

**DEADLINE**

Submissions must be received at JSRI by 5:00 p.m. on **Friday, February 12, 2016**.

**Direct all letters and application packet to:**

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