



Center for Mexican
American and Latino/a Studies

College of Liberal Arts
and Social Sciences

GUSTAVO H. VILLALPANDO EXCELENTE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

ABOUT

The Center for Mexican American and Latino/a Studies and The Crim & Villalpando Law Firm proudly offer the Gustavo H. Villalpando Scholarship for a student minoring in Mexican American Studies and in need of financial assistance to complete their undergraduate education at the University of Houston.

Application Due Date: January 31, 2025

Award Amount: \$5,000. To be awarded as \$2,500 in the Fall of 2025 and \$2,500 in the Spring of 2026.

Eligibility:

- Declared Minor in Mexican American Studies
- 3.0 GPA or higher for priority consideration
- Currently enrolled full time undergraduate University of Houston student

Requirements:

- Completed application
- 500 word essay describing your interest in Mexican American Studies and how it will complement your educational goals
- 2 letters of recommendation on company/organization letterhead from individuals that will attest to your commitment to completing your education (must not be relatives)

Full Name

UH Student ID Number

Birth Place

Birthdate (**MM/DD/YYYY**)

Street Address

City

State

Zip Code

E-mail Address

Phone Number

Declared Major/Minor

Classification

UH GPA

Your signature will grant us permission to access your records at the University of Houston in accordance with the Privacy Information Act. Refusal to sign does not affect your status as a scholarship candidate.

Signature

Date

Questions and completed application packets should be addressed to:

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