THE JOSEPH A. UNANUE LATINO INSTITUTE
THE PERLA LEADERSHIP AWARD

Through a special gift, the Joseph A. Unanue Latino Institute at Seton Hall University is able to provide financial aid to selected students who show an appreciation of Latino/Hispanic culture, history, and/or community life. This award is available to undergraduate sophomores, juniors, and seniors currently enrolled in Arts & Sciences or Business programs at Seton Hall. Students may only receive the award once in an academic year.

Eligibility
To qualify for consideration, students must meet the following criteria:

- Must be currently enrolled as a full time undergraduate at Seton Hall University
- Must show an appreciation of Latino/Hispanic culture, history, and/or community life
  For sophomores, juniors, and seniors in the fields of Arts, Sciences, or Business
- Must have a minimum of 3.0 cumulative GPA at Seton Hall
  Prior to applying, students must have been actively involved in the Institute
- Selected students will be required to actively collaborate in the planning and execution of at least 2 events for the Institute during one semester (minimum of 20 hours total)

Requisite
On a separate piece of paper, answer the questions listed on page 3

Selection
This award will be of $1,000.00 awarded to selected students based on academic performance, involvement in the Seton Hall community and financial need. Award notification will be sent to all applicants 4-6 weeks after the application deadline. Award funds will only be credited to the student’s bursar account.

Instructions
Please complete the application form below and return it to the Joseph A. Unanue Latino Institute (Fahy 246) no later than May 15 for the Fall semester or November 30 for the Spring semester. Late applications will not be considered.
Biographical Information:

Student’s First Name: __________________________ Last Name: _______________________
Student’s CWID: ___________________________ Gender (circle one)  F  M
Place of Birth: ___________________________ Date of Birth: ______________________
Address: __________________________________ City: ______________________________
State: __________ Zip: ______________ Phone Number: _________________________
Mother’s Name: ___________________________ Place of Birth: ______________________
Father’s Name: ___________________________ Place of Birth: ______________________

Status at Seton Hall University

This award application is being submitted for: Fall _________
I am a:  Resident  Commuter
Are you a transfer student?  Yes  No
If yes, from where did you transfer? _________________________________
What year are you:  Freshman  Sophomore  Junior  Senior
Major: ___________________________ Cumulative GPA: _________________
Anticipated Date of Graduation: ___________________________
Have you previously received this award:  Yes  No  (if yes, when? _________________)
Have you previously received any scholarships provided by the Latino Institute?
Yes  No  (if yes, when and which one? _________________________________)

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Reference 1
Name:
Address:
Phone Number: Relationship:
Email address:

Reference 2
Name:
Address:
Phone Number: Relationship:
Email address:

On a separate piece of paper, answer the following questions:

1) Please summarize how you have been actively involved in the Institute beyond attending the Institute’s events. We expect students to show leadership and volunteerism in our day-to-day activities and our special programs.

2) Please detail how you plan to involve yourself with the planning and execution of the future events of the Unanue Institute

3) How are you a servant leader in the Latino community? (Minimum 800 words)

By signing below, I verify that the information provided on this application is true and accurate; I have read and understand the terms and requirements of this award.

Print Name: ___________________________
Signature: ___________________________
Date: ___________________________