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Executive Director**Dear Architecture Students:**

The American Institute of Architects Lower Rio Grande Valley Chapter is proud to announce its annual scholarship. This year we are offering three (3) **\$1,500.00** scholarships to deserving students in architectural education at an accredited architecture program. Each applicant must be declared an architecture major at an accredited university recognized by the N.A.A.B. (National Architectural Accrediting Board) and have completed a minimum of 30 credit hours, to be considered for this scholarship. A list of accredited schools may be found at www.naab.org.

Also, this year we are offering two (2) **\$1,000** to deserving students in architectural education at Texas Southmost College, South Texas College, or Texas State Technical College.

These scholarships are based on academic achievement, personal strength and service. Please fill out the enclosed application and return it, along with your written essay and portfolio as a PDF file **no later than August 31, 2018**.

On behalf of the AIA-LRGV, the Scholarship Committee would like to extend our gratitude for participating and wish all applicants the best of luck. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact our chapter Executive Director, Maria Sustaeta, by email at msustaeta@lrgvaia.org.

Sincerely,

**Sergio R. Láinez, AIA, MBA
Scholarship Committee Chairman**



AIA Lower Rio Grande Valley

Scholarship Application

Application Deadline: Friday, August 31, 2018

Name _____ Current Phone _____

Permanent Phone _____ University Phone _____

Current Address _____

Permanent Address _____

Name and Address of University _____

Financial Office Contact info _____

Current Email _____

Overall GPA _____ Architecture GPA _____

Extra-Curricular Activities and Community Service:

Special Honors, Scholarships, Awards: _____

Essay Question:

Who or what inspires you and how does that relate to your architectural education? (Please attach response to this application.)

Submittals:

Along with your essay, a digital copy of an unofficial transcript and portfolio of your work with a brief description including the problem, the process and your solution, if applicable. (Limit to five examples of recent work)

Submission:

Once your submittals are complete, send to **AIA-LRGV** at msustaeta@lrgvaia.org.

Should you have any questions please feel free to email us at msustaeta@lrgvaia.org.

Applicant Signature _____ Date _____