

Access to Excellence Scholarship

The Goizueta Foundation Scholars Fund Award Leadership Program Academic Year 2012-2013

Academic Requirements

- Fulltime student (12 credit hours or more during the fall and spring semesters) at University of North Georgia
- Maintain a 2.5 (out of 4.0) GPA per semester to maintain this scholarship

Leadership Program Requirements

- Attend monthly meeting with Dr. Kristen Roney Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs & Academic Enrichment or Luis Santos-Rivas Hispanic Leadership Development
- Work 2 hours/week as peer tutors in the Writing Center/ESL lab and/or Academic Computing, Testing, and Tutorial Center (ACTT) center in support of other students, or will participate in another defined service-learning activity for at least 30 hours/semester. Students will work with Mr. Santos-Rivas on determining what constitutes acceptable activities.
- Thank you letter to Goizueta Foundation, to be submitted to Dr. Kristen Roney Associate VP for Academic Affairs and Academic Enrichment for collection and mailing.
- Attend a minimum of two leadership conferences or workshops. Examples of acceptable conferences are:
 - UNG Leadership Conference
 - Georgia Collegiate Leadership Conference

Participate in the Student Leader Common Reading Initiative

Engage in leadership training; seminars; conferences focused on leadership development. They are aware that some evenings and weekends will be required to participate in leadership program activities. In addition, they understand to notify Dr. Roney within 24 hours if they are not able to attend a scheduled event or appointment. An unexcused absence in scheduled activities may terminate the scholarship.

Goizueta Scholar's Responsibilities

- As a receipt of the Goizueta Foundation Scholars Fund Award at University of North Georgia, they may not recruit, promote or represent other colleges and/or universities during the commitment to University of North Georgia
- Any information in reference to the Goizueta Foundation Scholarship or Leadership Program at University of North Georgia may only be publicized officially by the University of North Georgia Public Relations Department

Hispanic Legacy Scholars Program

Requirements:

- **Attend monthly meetings with the Coordinator for Hispanic Leadership Development**
- **Take part in assigned classroom activities and assignments**
- **Attend the UNG Leadership Conference in the Fall**
- **Attend the Georgia Collegiate Leadership Conference in the Spring**
- **Participate in the Latino Student Association (LSA)**
- **Complete 20 hours of community service (10 hours per semester)**
- **Maintain 2.5/4.0 grade point average**
- **Participate in the Common Read Initiative**

As a participant in this program they have been awarded a scholarship in the amount of \$1500 (\$500 per semester including summer).

Students Organizations

Latino Students Association (LSA):

Founded in 1996 LSA has hosted many successful events that have become traditions. Together with the Multicultural Student Affairs celebrate the Hispanic Heritage Month.

In addition they celebrate different events to enrich the Hispanic/ Latino culture.

Hispanic Red Cross club:

This club has recently formed and is the first one in the state of Georgia and probably the first in the country.

Their priority is to outreach the Hispanic community and educate them in the case of any disaster.