

CUNY/Adult and Continuing Education (ACE) Scholarship Fund
Get Help Advancing Your Career

Introducing a *Scholarship* Just for ACE Students!

The new **Adult and Continuing Education Scholarship Fund**, supported by the *Helena Rubinstein Foundation*, is the first such program at CUNY that is just for individuals enrolling in adult and continuing education programs. It is open to those who seek to advance their career through learning and gaining new skills, and who do not have access to other sources of funding to pay for tuition and fees. The courses for which scholarships are awarded may be in any field, and may be credit-bearing or non-credit (though scholarships will generally not be given to anyone with 60 or more college credits). Candidates must submit a 1-2 page personal essay with their application. ***This scholarship has already helped several of our students get closer to achieving their dreams!***

Meet Some of Our Winners



Aliza Rosario

Inspired by her father's experience as an Emergency Medical Technician (EMT), Aliza Rosario's goal since she was in high school has been to become a nurse. However, her high school education was interrupted when she became a mother at a young age. She has since earned her high school equivalency certificate in LaGuardia's GED Bridge to Health Careers Program (GBHC) and is now studying in ACE's Medical Office Clinical Technician Program, with the future goal of pursuing a career in nursing.



Eyana Smith

Eyana Smith is on the road to becoming a doctor—an Emergency Room Physician to be exact. Already a certified EMT, Eyana has continued on this journey in LaGuardia's Paramedic Program. Once she has completed her paramedic studies, she plans to apply to college to begin a premedical program. *"When I first came to LaGuardia, I was overwhelmed. That changed when I was introduced to the [paramedic] staff,"* Eyana explains. *"With [their] help I focused on the task ahead."*



Raquel Grullon

Raquel Grullon is a dedicated student. She came to LaGuardia with the idea that she wanted to become an EMT, and she accomplished that goal. Along the way she picked up an award for perfect attendance. Now she is applying herself in the college's Paramedic Program. *"LaGuardia has given me the opportunity to achieve my goals,"* she says.

Other LaGuardia winners include **Vincent Pena** and **Steven Soto** from the Paramedic Program.

*For more information on the
Adult and Continuing Education Scholarship Fund
contact staff at the ACE program you're interested
or already enrolled in.*