Terms and Conditions

The Avonte Oquendo Memorial Scholarship is open to all students attending school in the United States. Applicant must be an enrolled student at an accredited college, university, or vocational school, or be accepted to begin school at an accredited college, university, or vocational school in the semester for which the application is being offered. Applicant must be a United States Citizen or otherwise authorized to work or attend school in the United States. Documented proof of Autism diagnosis may be required.

Scholarship winner will be determined solely by a selection committee at The Perecman Firm. Selection will in no way be influenced by gender, race, national origin, sexual orientation, or any criteria other than the meeting of the application requirements and the committee’s evaluation of the essay attached with the application.

All decisions of the selection committee are final. Deadline for submission is July 31, 2020 at 11:59 EST. Scholarship winner will be notified mid-August by phone or email, using the contact information provided in the application. All funds will be dispersed to the scholarship recipient by the end of August for the Fall 2020 semester.

PRIVACY STATEMENT: We will not sell, share, or distribute any information you submit with your scholarship application to any third parties. The information you submit will be used only for determining the scholarship recipient. Should the scholarship winner choose to have their name, qualifying school, photo, or any excerpt from their essay published on The Perecman Firm website and/or social media outlets, an additional release form will need to be signed once notified of selection.