



Young Latinas Leadership Institute

The **Young Latinas Leadership Institute** was created to help young Latinas become professionally skilled and socially conscious, helping them meet the challenges of leading in the 21st Century. The program provides an annual \$1,000 scholarship for four years.

Eligibility Criteria:

- Candidates should be Latinas who are recent high school graduates, entering their freshmen year in a **CUNY 4-year University**.
- Candidates must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident.
- Must have a high school average of 3.0 or higher.
- While pursuing a baccalaureate degree, candidates must maintain a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher.
- Commitment to participate in the Program for four years while remaining at a CUNY University and attend three annual workshops.
- Demonstrate desire to support actions and initiatives of their community, and to participate in the decision-making processes that affect their environment.

The application must be typed and include Parts I and II, your academic transcript, resume, and two letters of recommendation from an employer, professor or individual who is familiar with your abilities. Please mail completed applications to:

100 Hispanic Women Inc.
President, Shirley Rodriguez Remeneski
75 Maiden Lane, Suite 606
New York, NY 10038
(212) 239-1430

Part I – Application

Year 2010 Application

Deadline–December 10, 2009

Personal Background

First Name	Middle Name/Initial	Last Name	
Permanent Address/Apt. #	City	State	Zip
Telephone	Mobile	E-mail Address (if available)	
Current Address/Apt. #	City	State	Zip
Telephone	Social Security #	Date of Birth	
Ethnic background (Please Specify)		Place of Birth (City/State/Country)	
U.S. Citizen?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If Not, Specify _____	

Current Educational Background

High School Attended	Year Graduated		
Address	City	State	Zip
SAT Verbal	SAT Math	High School	GPA
College Attending	Year of Graduation		
Declared Major	Cumulative GPA (to date)		
Degree(s) Intended: <input type="checkbox"/> BA <input type="checkbox"/> BS <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____			

Individual Background

(Please attach additional sheets if necessary)

List Academic/Community Activities and Awards (include dates):

Disclosure

(Please Read, Sign and Date)

I hereby certify that the information contained in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I hereby authorize 100 Hispanic Women, Inc. to utilize any information which I have submitted, or will submit, as part of this application. I further authorize 100 Hispanic Women, Inc. to utilize any information contained herein and any photos, for marketing purposes. I understand and agree to participate in the program for four years with a reasonable attendance record, complete a community service project, and to utilize any stipends for the purposes designated by YLLI.

Signature

Date

Part II – Essay

Please type a 500 word personal statement describing your career goals, what would help you realize those goals, what leadership means to you as a Latina, and how you will contribute to the Hispanic community upon graduation . (Attach a separate sheet, if necessary).

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1. Section I and II (Typed)
2. Academic Transcript
3. Resume
4. Two letters of recommendation
5. Signed and dated disclosure agreement