



**Ophelia Flores Laurella Pathfinder Scholarship
in Humanities for First-Generation College Students
2019-2020 Application**

The Ophelia Flores Laurella Pathfinder Scholarship in Humanities was established by Carl L. and Vanessa B. Laurella in 2015 as a way to honor Carl's late mother, Ophelia. The scholarship is available to first-generation college students studying Humanities at the University of Utah with demonstrated financial need. While Ophelia could not attend college herself, she made sure her children could. Carl, a U of U Communication alum, was the first in his family to graduate from college and has established this scholarship with his wife to help encourage other first-generation college students to graduate in the Humanities.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:

To qualify for this \$1,000 tuition scholarship, applicants must be currently enrolled at the University of Utah with a declared major or minor in a Humanities field.

APPLICATION PROCESS:

1. Complete the application form.
2. Provide current academic transcript.
3. Submit two one-page, single-sided letters of recommendation (from employers, teachers/professors, and/or community service professionals)
4. Submit two one-page essays (single-sided, double-spaced) answering the following questions: What should the scholarship committee know about you? What are your career goals?

Name _____ **Date** _____

Address _____ **Telephone/Cell** _____

Email _____ **Expected Graduation** (*month/year*) _____

Major(s) _____ **Minor** _____

Student ID# _____ **Date of Birth** (*mm/dd/yy*) _____

Completed applications must be submitted to the College of Humanities Dean's Office, 2100 LNCO, by **5 pm on Friday, March 15, 2019.**