



Adrian Joseph Romo Memorial Scholarship

Amount: \$500

Adrian graduated with honors from Humboldt State University in 2018, completing a degree in Kinesiology with emphasis in Pre-Physical Therapy and minors in Psychology and Native American Studies. Adrian was active in numerous clubs and activities across campus, acted as an Activities Student Assistant and even served as a mentor. However, it was his involvement in ITEPP that provided him with a home away from home and created important lifetime relationships. His family hopes to extend Adrian's deep, life-long desire to help other and support his community through this scholarship, thereby assisting students in successfully completing their degree while they actively participate in ITEPP.

Candidates who meet all of the following criteria are eligible:

- A current Cal Poly Humboldt undergraduate or graduate student, who will be attending Cal Poly Humboldt next academic year.
- Must be a Native Indigenous student enrolled in ITEPP/ Native American Center for Academic Excellence for a minimum of one year.
- Must display qualities of leadership and significant involvement with building and supporting the ITEPP student community.
- Demonstrates financial need.

If you have any questions, please contact Tayshu Bommelyn with Native Cultures Fund (NCF) at tayshub@hafoundation.org or (707) 267-9906.

To apply, please submit a completed application by March 31, 2023.

Submit your application, in PDF formatting to: nativecultures@hafoundation.org

or by mail to: Native Cultures Fund
Attn: Tayshu Bommelyn
363 Indianola Road
Bayside, CA 95524



Adrian Joseph Romo Memorial Scholarship Application

Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Gender: _____

Mailing Address: _____
Street, City, State, Zip

Email: _____ Phone Number: _____

Major: _____

Minor: _____

Full-Time Student? Yes No Student ID: _____

Next academic year, I will be: Undergraduate student Graduate student

How long have you been a part of the ITEPP program? _____

Current GPA: _____ Anticipated Graduation date: _____

Check this box and contact us if you, or a close relative, is a current or former Staff Member, Board Member or Donor who established a scholarship at HAF+WRCF. Our staff will need to review your individual circumstances to ensure you meet the legal qualification for proceeding with the scholarship application.
A close relative is defined as a parent, stepparent, grandparent, child, stepchild, grandchild, sibling, spouse/domestic partner, mother-in-law, father-in-law, brother-in-law, sister-in-law, son-in-law, or daughter-in-law.

Financial Need Statement

Please include a brief statement how you plan to finance your education. You can include information about sources of income, other support you are receiving, or your family situation if you so choose.

For example:

- I will be working part-time and have applied for scholarships. If I don't receive any scholarships, I will be taking out student loans.*
- I am ineligible for student loans. I will be relying on scholarships and working full time.*



Personal Statements

Please provide short responses to the following prompts about your involvement and interactions with ITEPP.

1. What does ITEPP mean to you? How has your participation in ITEPP made a difference in your higher educational journey?

2. How are you currently supporting the ITEPP program and your fellow students?

3. How do you hope to honor your involvement in ITEPP in the future?



4. Share a memory of ITEPP that demonstrates your involvement and highlights what you enjoy about being in ITEPP and/or around the ITEPP office, staff, fellow students, or community.