We are excited to announce that we are accepting applications for
THE 2017 KEY BANK/UNIDOS BRIDGING COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP

Two Scholarships Awarded DUE 9-12-17 $1500 each Latinx heritage Eligible for Juniors/Seniors

Introduction
On behalf of the KeyBank Community, the Hispanic/Latino employees of KeyBank will recognize the academic success and community involvement of one Hispanic/Latino college or university student in eight of Key Bank’s markets. Since the inception of the HLKBING’ s scholarship program in 2009, 46 scholarships have been awarded to college juniors and seniors each year.

The 2017 scholarships will be awarded in each of the following KeyBank geographic locations: Capital New York, Central Indiana, Colorado, Hudson Valley, Kansas City, Northeast Ohio, Oregon, Utah, and Washington. Each scholarship will carry the name of KeyBank and the Market’s nonprofit partner, for example, 2017 Key Bank/Unidos Bridging Community Scholarship.

Scholarship Description
The KeyBank Latino Scholarship is a one-time scholarship totaling $1,500. Funding for each scholarship is provided by the Hispanic/Latino Key Business Networking Group Scholarship Program, the KeyBank Foundation, and the KeyBank market where the student resides.

Non-Profit Community Partner
In this region, Key Bank partners with Unidos Bridging Community, a private, non-profit organization based in McMinnville, Oregon. Unidos serves Yamhill County, Oregon and has the following mission:

- To promote the integration, participation, representation, and success of Latino individuals and families in Yamhill County
- To build bridges of understanding and support among Latinos and non-Latinos.

More information about the work of Unidos can be found at its website: www.unidosyamhillcounty.org

Student Eligibility
Applicants must be:

- of Latinx/Hispanic heritage
- enrolled as a full-time student in a four-year accredited college or university
- in Junior or Senior year
- a resident of the Key Bank market awarding the scholarship
- a student in good standing with a cumulative grade point average of 2.8 or higher
- able to demonstrate community service and civic involvement in the Hispanic/Latino community
- willing to be featured in KeyBank related promotions
- NOT a current employee of KeyBank
Completed application must include

- This page with personal and college information (p.2)
- Personal Statement up to 250 words and (p.3)
- University/College student verification form on university letterhead or other official designation (p.4)
- Signed photo release form (p.5)

Please send completed application to:  (We suggest you make a copy of your complete application for yourself.)

Sally L. Godard, Executive Director
Unidos Bridging Community, 309 NE Third Street, Suite 1, McMinnville, OR 97128
or by email to unidosyamhillcounty@gmail.com  Send questions to unidosyamhillcounty@gmail.com

The completed application must be received on or before September 12, 2017.

We may ask to meet with finalists for a brief interview. We hope to have the selection of scholarship recipients completed by Unidos Bridging Community by October 20, 2017. Scholarship checks will be issued directly to recipients’ universities/colleges in December 2017.

Personal Information
First Name, Middle Initial, Last Name:

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Mailing Address:  __________________________________________

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Phone Number:  __________________________________________

Email Address:  __________________________________________

KeyBank Market Region: Oregon

College/University Information
College/University Attending ______________________________________

Major ______________________________________________________

Anticipated Graduation Date ________________________________

Most Recent GPA  ________________ Signature: ______________________
Personal Statement

*In 300 words or less,* please explain why you should receive this scholarship. Include information regarding your civic involvement in the Hispanic/Latino community, your future aspirations, how this scholarship will assist you in accomplishing your educational goals and *if* received, what this funding means to you.

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Name

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Signature

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Date

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Name

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August 2017

The following student is applying for a 2017 KEY BANK/UNIDOS BRIDGING COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP which is due by September 12, 2017. To consider this student’s application, the student needs to include official verification of his/her/their current GPA. Please verify on official letterhead, transcript forms, or with official university stamp. If you have questions, please contact Sally Godard at unidosyamhillcounty@gmail.com

Date: ________________________________

Student Name: ____________________________________________

Student ID Number: _________________________________________

Current GPA: _____________________________________________

Verified by

Name: _____________________________________________________

Title: _______________________________________________________  

Signature: ___________________________________________________
NAME RELEASE

I, __________________________, do hereby irrevocably consent to the use of my name and/or likeness, by KeyCorp and any of its subsidiary and affiliated companies and licensees for the purpose of advertising, promotion and trade in any media throughout the United States.

I waive any inspection, or approval of the finished materials and I release KeyCorp and any of its subsidiary and affiliated companies and licensees from any claim of alteration, optical illusion, or faulty mechanical reproduction.

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(Signature)

(Print Name)

Dated: _____________________

City of: _____________________

State of: _____________________

Witness: _____________________

___________________________ (Print Name)