Dr. Ray DeArrigunaga Memorial Scholarship Award

Applicants are competing for scholarship up to $1,000 and no less than $500. Students must be currently enrolled and seeking a degree from a College or University in South Florida. Individuals must demonstrate a commitment to public service, through voluntary community work or other participation in community organizations or activities. Scholarship will be awarded at the 2017 ASPA Annual Awards event on June 16, 2017.

**Required Application Materials**

1. Proof of current enrollment in a College or University in South Florida.
2. Unofficial academic transcripts demonstrating a GPA of 3.0 or greater.
3. One (1) letter of recommendation from a professor or supervisor.
4. Completed application form.

The deadline for submission is March 1, 2017 at 5:00 PM. Application materials can be submitted as a PDF via email to aspasouthfla@gmail.com, or mailed/delivered to:

ASPA Scholarship Committee c/o
Dr. Agatha Caraballo
Florida International University
11200 SW 8 Street, PCA 257
Miami, FL 33199

If you have any questions, comments or concerns, please contact Dr. Agatha Caraballo at 305-348-1006 or email aspasouthfla@gmail.com.
# Application Form

**ASPA Member?**
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**Degree Seeking:**

Please provide a brief summary of your community service activities during the last three years:

If you are currently active with any student, professional, or community organizations, please identify the names of the current Chair and/or Executive Director:

List any Academic Honors or Community Recognition Awards:

**Certification**

I certify that all statements made in this application are correct. I further state that I read the application in its entirety.

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Essay Question

Please select one of the topics listed below. Compose an essay making a clear and concise argument. Your essay should be double-spaced and not exceed 1,000 words.

Essay Topics:

Choose One:

1) Explain why you are interested in a public sector career.

2) Pick a law or local government regulation and explain why it should be changed.

3) Give your suggestions about what local government should be doing to increase employment opportunities and grow new local businesses in this economy.