NINA VACA-HUMRICHHOUSE SCHOLARSHIP

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HONORING EXCELLENCE

Nina Vaca-Humrichouse graduated from Texas State University with a B.A. in speech communications and business administration and was honored as a Distinguished Alumna in 2005. Dr. Vaca-Humrichouse also holds a Doctor of Laws “Honoris Causa” from Northwood University. She founded Pinnacle Technical Resources in 1996 as an information technology services provider to Fortune 500 companies.

As the first two-time winner of the U.S. Hispanic Chamber of Commerce Business Woman of the Year Award, Dr. Vaca-Humrichouse appeared in Fast Company as one the Top 25 Women Business Builders in the country. She was also selected as one of the 50 Most Important Hispanics in Business and Technology by Hispanic Engineer & Information Technology Magazine, and is a two-time winner of Hispanic Business magazine’s Entrepreneur of the Year Award for InfoBusiness. She received the Ernst & Young 2005 Entrepreneur of the Year Award for Technology and Communications for the Southwest Region.

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA

The recipient(s) of the annual Nina Vaca-Humrichouse Scholarship (a $500 award) is chosen from Latina students who:

- are enrolled full-time at Texas State University, taking a minimum of 12 hours per semester
- have a minimum overall 2.5 GPA
- exhibit leadership and commitment to public service

APPLICATION PROCESS

To apply:
Complete an online application, including a 1 to 1½-page response to an essay question

[txstate.edu/cdgs/scholarships/cdgs-scholarships](http://txstate.edu/cdgs/scholarships/cdgs-scholarships)

Deadline:
Applications are due by March 1 for the fall distribution awards. Selection of recipient(s) shall be the responsibility of the Texas State University Scholarship Committee of the Center for Diversity and Gender Studies.