The AIA Santa Clara Valley understands the importance of assisting with the education of these future professionals. We feel a student’s decision to study architecture should be determined by talent and perseverance, and not limited by financial status.
In these times, scholarships are becoming even more important. AIASCV offers four scholarships to students pursuing an architectural degree.

**David W. Lakamp Scholarship Fund**
The applicant shall be any architecture student attending any school of architecture in the State California. Applicant needs to be a legal resident of the USA, or hold a valid a U.S. Student Visa. Interests and studies should be focused on the cutting edge of architectural design, and in combination with an allied or other field of study. The annual award for this fund is limited to one student. Previous winners may not re-apply.

**Leo and Trinidad Sanchez Scholarship Fund**
The applicant shall be Hispanic/American (at least one parent Hispanic or Hispanic American Heritage), a legal resident of Santa Clara or Santa Cruz County, and must be a graduating high school senior, accepted to be enrolled, or a student currently enrolled in a program at any school leading to a degree in architecture.

**Ehrlich Rominger Scholarship Fund**
The applicant shall be a student that is one of the following:
- a legal resident of Santa Clara County, attending any school with architectural program.
- a legal resident of the USA, attending a school with an architectural program in Santa Clara County.

**AIASCV William R. Hawley Scholarship Fund**
The applicant shall be a student that is one of the following:
- a legal resident of Santa Clara County, attending any school with an architectural program
- a legal resident of the USA, attending a school with an architectural program in Santa Clara County

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APPLICATION FOR THE 2015 SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

SUBMITTAL:
1. Portfolio of work. Graphic materials that demonstrate the applicant’s design abilities. The submittal shall represent the independent work of the applicant. Portfolios become the property of AIASCV and contents may be used to promote the AIASCV’s scholarship program. Additionally, applicants must submit 3 digital images (of at least 1000 pixels in shortest dimension) from their portfolio in jpeg format. The email submission should not exceed 8MB.

2. Written statement of personal goals as pertaining to your interest in architecture. Not to exceed one page. The written statement needs to be submitted with the portfolio.

3. Two letters of recommendation from teachers and/or practicing professional architects. The letters need to be on letterhead, signed, and specific to this application. Hard copy or electronic is acceptable.

4. Completed “Applicant Information” sheet needs to also be included with the portfolio.

APPLICATION DEADLINE:
Deadline for submittal to the AIASCV office is 4:00 pm, April 13, 2015. A hard copy of all written and graphic materials is required to be delivered to:

The American Institute of Architects – Santa Clara Valley Chapter
325 South 1st Street, Suite 100
San Jose, CA 95113

Required electronic documents and images are also due by 4:00pm, Monday, April 13, 2015. Email to: info@aiascv.org with the email Subject Line to read: Scholarship – “your name”

SELECTION PROCESS:
Selection of Finalist shall be based on the merits of submitted portfolio and materials. Finalist must be available for a scheduled, 30 minute interview, on April 29th & April 30th. Final awards shall be made after interviews with the Finalist. Award winners will be notified by May 7, 2015

The Scholarship Award Celebration will be in late May 2015. It is our goal to have all the Scholarship Recipients available to attend this event. The date & location have not been finalized, but it will be held in the vicinity of Santa Clara County.

If you have any questions about the AIASCV SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM, please contact Patricia Appelquist at the AIASCV Office at 408.298.0611 pappelquist@aiascv.org