

TF Educational Foundation Fund Scholarship In Armenian Studies

The TF Educational Foundation Fund Scholarship in Armenian Studies is given annually to eligible students as described below. The amount of scholarship will be determined by the Director of the Armenian Studies Program based on the funds available.

The **TF Educational Foundation Fund** awards scholarships to students who meet the following criteria:

1. Have declared a major course of studies in Languages and Cultures with an Armenian Option, or
2. Have declared a minor course of study in Armenian in the Department of Modern and Classical languages and Literatures, or
3. Have enrolled in the Integrated Teacher Education Program's (ITEP), Armenian Studies Teacher Training program (ASTTP), through the Liberal Studies Program

In order to apply for the scholarship all applicants must be/have:

- Currently enrolled at CSUN
- A full-time CSUN undergraduate student
- Already completed (or in the process of completing at the time of application), a minimum of 2 (two) Armenian Studies courses, unless a) a student is a Freshman accepted in the ITEP/ASTTP or b) a transfer student accepted in the ITEP/ASTTP
- Enrolled in at least one (1) Armenian Studies course during the academic year for which he/she is applying for the scholarship
- A student with an overall GPA of 2.5 and a GPA of 2.8 in the Armenian courses at the time of application. **Note: Those who are enrolled in the ITEP must have an overall GPA of 2.67.**

All applicants must complete and submit all required documents to the Director of the Armenian Studies Program, Dr. Vahram Shemmassian via email at vahram.shemmassian@csun.edu

- Scholarship Application
- Statement of purpose (no longer than one typed page, single space) indicating the importance of enrolling in one of the three options mentioned above
- An official CSUN transcript
- Two letters of recommendation from the following:
 - If enrolled in the ASTP, from the Armenian Studies Program Director and
 - if enrolled in the ITEP, from the ITEP Director
 - one from a professor with whom the applicant has studied
 - one from a not-for-profit organization/institution that serves the Greater Los Angeles Armenian Community
- Any other documentation as needed at the time of application

Applicants may apply for this scholarship for two consecutive years.