



TORERO RENAISSANCE SCHOLARS

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"Embracing the Pursuit of Excellence"

Enrollment forms to the Torero Renaissance Scholars Program are being accepted on a rolling basis. Please thoroughly read the document. Please complete the *full document* including personal statement.

Please turn in to:

Dr. Cynthia Avery, Assistant Vice President, Student Affairs
Student Affairs Office, Hahn University Center, Room 232
5998 Alcalá Park, San Diego, CA 92110 or cynthiaavery@sandiego.edu

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ Middle Name: _____

Preferred Name: _____ USD ID#: _____

Mailing Address _____

Cell Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____

USD Email: _____@sandiego.edu

Age: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Gender: _____

T-Shirt Size: _____

How did you hear about the program? _____

Ethnicity (Optional): *Check all that apply

- American Indian, Alaskan Native, or other Tribal enrollment or affiliation
- Latino/Hispanic Black, non-Hispanic, including African American
- Asian/Pacific Islander White Other Decline to State

Personal Experience For Former Foster Youth * this information will be kept private

Number of schools attended while in foster care or as homeless youth, unaccompanied minor or orphan youth: _____ Elementary _____ Middle School _____ High School

Total years spent in foster care: _____

Were you in foster care on or after your 13th birthday? Yes No

Current Living Situation:

- Foster Home Group Home Relative Residential Facility Other _____

Personal Experience for Homeless/at Risk of Homelessness

Current Living Situation:

Housing and Medical

Plans for housing while attending University of San Diego:

- On-campus Off-campus With family/friend Not yet determined

Current medical coverage:

- Medi-Cal University of San Diego Private Insurance Other

Academics

Have you participated in any of the following educational programs? Please check below:

- Upward Bound Student Support Services (SSS) Talent Search
- Independent Living Skills Program (ILP) AVID Other: _____

Class level fall 2017: Incoming First Year Second Year Junior Senior

Activities

Tell us about your co-curricular interests – Include whether or not you are currently engaged in the activity, or if you have interest in getting involved in it.

Current Barriers to Academic Success or Employment

Your goals are important to us and we want to do everything we can to help you achieve them. Help us by letting us know if there is anything that might hinder your success at USD. Checking any of these items will in no way inhibit your chances of participating in the Renaissance Scholars Program. Please put an x next to any areas that might affect you:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Need Childcare	<input type="checkbox"/>	Anger Problems
<input type="checkbox"/>	No Transportation	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mental or Emotional Health Issues
<input type="checkbox"/>	Having Family Problems	<input type="checkbox"/>	History of Substance Abuse
<input type="checkbox"/>	No Place to Live/Homeless	<input type="checkbox"/>	Criminal Record
<input type="checkbox"/>	Need Help Getting Food	<input type="checkbox"/>	Pregnant or Parenting
<input type="checkbox"/>	Need Help Purchasing Books/Supplies	<input type="checkbox"/>	Legal Problems (court date, probation, etc.)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Coping with a Violent Relationship	<input type="checkbox"/>	Self-Esteem
<input type="checkbox"/>	No Close Family Members	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other:

Emergency Contacts

Please provide the names of two individuals that can be contacted on your behalf:

Name: _____ Relationship: _____ Phone: _____

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Social Support

We want to be able to provide a social support system that meets your needs. Please use the space below to let us know what kind of community you're looking for as a member of TRS. Some questions to consider include: What kinds of support and relationships are you looking for? How involved would you like to be? What kind of environment do you think you would thrive in?

As a part of the TRS program, you will be paired with a TRS guide who will serve as a mentor and support you throughout your journey at USD. What resources can they provide for you?

How often would you like to take part in social activities each semester? What kinds of social activities are you interested in?

What are your future goals? This could include personal, academic, or career goals.

Personal Statement

Your personal statement is an important part of your application to the Renaissance Scholars Program. We use your statement to learn more about you as an individual - your background, aspirations, and potential. Your personal statement is an opportunity to introduce yourself to us.

Directions: Applicants are required to submit a personal statement. Type your statement, double-spaced, 12 point font, and no longer than three pages. On the top right corner of every page please include your first and last name. Please include your personal statement along with this application.

- Tell about your personal background.
- Explain why a college education is important to you.
- Why do you want to participate in the Torero Renaissance Scholars Program?
- Please provide any additional information you would like us to know.

* You are invited to submit a resume with this enrollment form.