



Deadline: April 13, 2018

Criteria Check-Off List

- **Must be from Italian-American Descent (or from a family of Italian American- Descent.)**
- **Academic Excellence (85% or higher)**
- **Service to School and Community**
- **Must be planning to attend a 2 or 4 yr institution in Fall 2018**
- **250-500 word essay – What my Italian/American Ancestry means to me**
- **3 Letters of Recommendation (two from school personnel and one from a community member)**

Students must attend a high school in Ulster County and be enrolled as a full time student. All applicants must arrange for an original, sealed transcript to be forwarded to the Awards Committee.

Our Mission:

We are dedicated to preserving, promoting and celebrating the rich culture Italian Americans share in Ulster County. We achieve our goals through outstanding cultural programs, language classes, educational lectures, monthly dinners and community support. We raise funds to provide scholarships to students, contributions to not-for profit organizations and to those individuals in need of hardship assistance. To work with and partner with existing Italian organizations within Ulster County.

Award applications are available online at www.uciaf.org and can be mailed to:

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