Spring 2013
The Eve St. Martin Wallenstein Memorial Scholarship Award
$2,000.00

This scholarship of $2000.00 will be awarded to one (1) qualified Merritt College student. Ms. Wallenstein began teaching at Merritt College (then Oakland City College) in 1960, where she was a dynamic instructor of American Government, Comparative Government, and the French language until her retirement in 1988. She returned to Merritt College to teach classes in Political Science on a limited basis until 2002. Also, during her retirement, she served as a member of several faculty committees and led the in-service training for new faculty hires at Merritt College. Later, unable to maintain her teaching duties or committee work because of illness, Ms. Wallenstein assisted students in the Learning/Tutorial Center until 2006. Truly dedicated to her vocation as a teacher, Eve St. Martin Wallenstein was a mentor to her students and her colleagues in academia, as well as a loyal friend.

Requirements:

1. Applicant must be considering a career in teaching
2. Applicant must submit a personal statement (no more than two double-spaced pages long) on why he or she is considering teaching as a career and how he or she plans to help future students
3. Applicant shall have completed at least 20 degree-applicable or transferable units at Merritt College, with a GPA of at least 2.75
4. Applicant shall have been admitted as a transfer student to a four-year accredited college or university. Applicant must provide a copy of the admission letter from said college or university.
5. Applicant shall complete a master scholarship application

Applications are due to Tae-Soon Park, Merritt College by Monday, April 8, 2013, 4pm

For more information, contact Tae Soon-Park, Merritt College (Merritt College Faculty Senate)
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It is recommended that all applicants for scholarships complete the Free Application for Financial Aid (FAFSA) and any other required forms through the Financial Aid Office to provide the selection committee with the applicant’s financial needs assessment. However, under the California Dream Act (AB 130) students attending a Peralta college who are exempt from paying nonresident tuition under AB 540 are eligible to receive scholarships funded by private donations and administered through the Peralta Colleges Foundation. See the Master Scholarship Application for other acceptable ways to demonstrate financial need.