

2021 – 2022

**UIC Liberal Arts and Sciences
Herbert E. Paaren Scholarship**

A scholarship for junior and senior undergraduates majoring in Chemistry.

*This award carries a prize of \$5,000 (\$2,500 applied to Fall 2021, \$2,500 applied to Spring 2022). Please note that all final award amounts and how they will be distributed will be determined by the Office of Student Financial Aid on the basis of your unmet financial need for the 2021-2022 academic year and other relevant factors.

**THIS APPLICATION MUST BE COMPLETED AND EMAILED TO
SAMANTHA BORJAL (SBORJA3@UIC.EDU) NO LATER THAN 4:00
PM ON FRIDAY, APRIL 9, 2021.**

NAME:

Last

First

Middle

ADDRESS:

Street and Number

City

State

Zip

Cell Phone Number

Alternate Phone Number (if any)

_____@uic.edu

UIC E-Mail Address

Alternate E-Mail Address (if any)

UIN (9 digits): _____

When did you:

First enroll at UIC?

Select

DATE OF BIRTH: _____
MM/DD/YYYY

MM/YYYYY

Semester

SEX: Select

Declare your current major?

Select

MM/YYYYY

Semester

Based on course hours accumulated, you are designated as a:

- First year undergraduate
 Second year undergraduate
 Third year undergraduate – min. 60 hours
 Fourth year undergraduate – min. 90 hours
 Other (SPECIFY) _____

Are you among the first generation in your family to attend college?

- Yes No

Are you among the first generation in your family to graduate college?

- Yes No

Are you currently attending UIC:

- Full-time? Part-time?

Did either of your parents attend or graduate from college? Yes No

Please answer the following questions to the best of your knowledge based on your academic standing up to and including the Spring 2021 semester:

Your major(s): _____

Minor(s), if any: _____

Your major GPA(s): _____

Transfer Credit

Total hours of transfer credit (if any): _____ Hours

Total credit hours completed in your current major(s): _____ Hours

Transfer GPA: _____

Total credit hours earned towards your current degree: _____ Hours

Planned graduation date:

_____ MM/YYYY

Please note: This scholarship pertains to the Fall 2021 and Spring 2022 semesters. Students graduating before Spring 2022 (May 2022 graduation date) may not qualify for this scholarship.

Your cumulative GPA: _____

In addition to completing this form, you must write and attach a narrative that includes:

- A list of any honors you've received or other evidence of scholarship.
- Your professional and academic plans and goals in acquiring a chemistry degree.
- In general, why you believe you deserve this scholarship & why you have chosen chemistry as your course of study.
- **The narrative must *not* exceed 500 words and must be typewritten double-spaced.**
- **The narrative you attach to this application must specifically reference the Herbert E. Paaren Scholarship. The reference should be made at the opening of the narrative.**

I, the undersigned, agree that all information provided on this application is accurate and truthful. I certify that I qualify to apply for this scholarship. I authorize disclosure of my academic records by the University for review by the Chemistry Awards Committee for my consideration for this and any other departmental scholarship.

Signature (electronic signature NOT accepted)

Date (MM/DD/YYYY)

ALL STATEMENTS ARE SUBJECT TO VERIFICATION. ANY OMISSIONS AND/OR FALSE INFORMATION WILL DISQUALIFY APPLICANTS FROM FURTHER CONSIDERATION.