BHCC FOUNDATION GALA SCHOLARSHIP
For Continuing Students

This application form should be used only by students who have completed at least 15 college-level credit hours. Students with fewer than 15 college-level credits should apply as new students.

**Award**
$2,500 per semester for a maximum of $10,000
This scholarship can be combined with federal (Pell) or state grants.

**Eligibility Criteria**
- Have completed at least 15 college-level credits at BHCC or elsewhere with a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher
- Financial need as demonstrated by FAFSA
- Plan to register for at least 9 college-level credit hours in Fall 2021
- Intend to complete an associate degree at the college according to the timeline noted on the application form but no later than 2023

**Participation requirements**
- Commit to take sufficient college-level credits during fall, spring and summer semesters, to keep you on track to graduate by the following target dates:
  - 15 – 23 credits, the graduation target is December 2022 or May/August 2023
  - 24 – 34 credits, the graduation target is 2022, May, August or December
  - 35 or more credits, the graduation target is December 2021 or May/August 2022
- Engage in active and consistent planning for transition out of BHCC, either to a job or a four-year college.
- Sign a FERPA Release Form in order to allow the College to report to the Foundation on your progress toward graduation
- Agree to work no more than 20 hours per week during those semesters in which you are taking 12 or more credit hours.

This scholarship will renew provided the student maintains a cumulative GPA of 3.0 in college-level courses, fulfills the participation requirements, and continues to demonstrate financial need as determined by a FAFSA.

**HOW TO APPLY**
If you are interested in applying please fill out this application form and submit it along with your essay and your college transcript to:

Marilyn Kuhar
Bunker Hill Community College
570 New Rutherford Avenue, Suite H-150
Boston, MA 02129

Submit all of your material via this email address: mkuhar@bhcc.edu. Any questions regarding this scholarship please contact Marilyn Kuhar.

Application deadline is 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, July 15, 2021
BHCC FOUNDATION GALA SCHOLARSHIP FOR CONTINUING STUDENTS
APPLICATION FORM
Academic Year 2021 - 2022

NAME ___(Mr.) ___(Ms.)

Last Name                                           First Name                                          MI

BHCC Student ID: ________________________________________________

CONTACT INFORMATION

Street                                      Apartment

City                                     State                                    Zip Code

Phone                                      E-mail (BHCC and/or personal email)

SCHOOL MOST RECENTLY ATTENDED

Name                                           City and State

HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA RECEIVED ___ Yes ___ No

AREA OF STUDY AT BHCC

_____ Associate of Arts Degree with Concentration in ______________________________

_____ Associate of Science Degree with Concentration in ______________________________

ESSAY
You are required to submit a one-page, typed statement describing your educational and career goals and how this scholarship will help you to achieve those. If you wish, you may include in your essay information about your involvement in community and/or high school activities, and honors or awards you have received.

An academic transcript and Student Self-Service educational plan must also be submitted.

APPLICANT’S AGREEMENT
I have read and understand the award eligibility and participation requirements. I authorize BHCC to furnish a copy of my financial aid information to the Scholarship Review Committee.

Applicant’s signature _____________________________   Date_____________________