



LATINOS UNITED FOR

COLLEGE EDUCATION

SCHOLARSHIPS

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**LUCES 2021 Annual Report
Submitted by Tera Cobb President**

This year has been another challenging and rewarding year for LUCES and many other nonprofit organizations due to COVID-19 and many other issues affecting our community, our state, and our country. However, 6 Latino students received scholarships of \$ 2,000.00 in one-time payment to be utilized for one semester! They are currently attending different colleges and universities across the State of Wisconsin. Thanks to the generosity of our donors, sponsors, and United Way of Dane County and United Way of Milwaukee and Waukesha County, these students can pay a portion of their college's tuition and achieve their dreams.



Mission

LUCES is a 501c3 Nonprofit Organization that promotes and advocates for Higher Education and Advancement of Latino Students in Wisconsin through Mentoring Programs and the provision of Merit and Need-Based Scholarships.

Vision

LUCES Vision is to ensure that every Latino student that graduates from every Wisconsin High School enrolls in college, stays in college, and graduates college.

Program Description

Our Mentoring Program at LUCES enhances the work that the Scholarship Committee provides to help pay partial tuition for our students so they can achieve their dreams to have a better and brighter future, for them, their families and our Wisconsin community.

LUCES offers a mentoring program for all scholarship recipients, past, present and future. Our goal is to support, enhance, educate, and be a resource to our students.



Financial Information

Dates: From 01/31 to 11/30/2020

Sponsors

Nick & Judith Topitzes Family Foundation Inc.	\$2,500.00
Alliant Energy	\$1,500.00
Hawks Quindel	\$1,500.00
Sherwin-Williams Madison District	\$1,500.00
CUNA Mutual Group	\$2,500.00
Quartz Health Solutions, Inc	\$800.00
Sherwin-Williams Corporate Match	\$1,500.00
One City Schools	\$7,000.00
Bank of Sun Prairie	\$2,500.00
Sub Total:	\$21,300.00

Donations

1.27.21 Paypal Sherwin Williams	\$1,140.02
9.14.21 Paypal Mandi Sersch-Morstad & Sergio Gonzales	\$823.96
Sub Total:	\$1,963.98
Total:	\$23,263.98

Expenses

LUCES Scholarships	\$12,000.00
Certified Mail/Stamps	\$100.50
LUCES P.O. Box Renewal	\$146.00
Moonstruck Media/Videos	\$1,543.49
LUCES Website Maintenance	\$168.87
WI Department of Financial Institutions	\$64.00
Microsoft Yearly Plan	\$105.49
Zoom Yearly Plan	\$158.15
Office Supplies	\$9.45
Board Meeting Meals	\$315.30
Mentorship Gifts	\$249.95
Gift Cards	\$520.00
Total:	\$15,381.20

2021 Gala Sponsors and Donors

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