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Press Release

Congreso de Paraguayos Migrantes en los Estados Unidos, Inc. announces Scholarship program for college bound Paraguayans

CPMUSA has formalized a scholarship program which will be offered to the Paraguayan community this year. Starting on February 1st, the website will contain the criteria and application.

According to Ana Di Sessa, President of the CPMUSA, “Higher education is very expensive in this country. Every dollar helps, and we hope our program can provide some relief”.

The purpose of the scholarships is to assist with items such as books, supplies and other expenses associated with college. Amounts of the scholarships will vary based on funding, however the expectations for 2013 are awards of three (3) \$1,000 scholarships.

“This is our first year for the program”, says Ana Di Sessa. “We will go through a learning curve but plan on a fair and well defined process to choose the recipients”. Eligible participants will be current High School students who will be attending a 2 or 4 year college in the fall of 2013. The recipient will be of Paraguayan descent and at least one parent should have been born in Paraguay.

The **Congreso de Paraguayos Migrantes en los Estados Unidos Inc.** is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) Corporation registered in the State of NY. Their main mission is to work on projects and programs which will help enhance the lives of Paraguayans living within the United States, and also help support efforts to enhance the lives of people of Paraguay.

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