

June 30, 2020

Dr Terry Richard

Jerry and Terry Richard Endowed Award

Dear Dr Terry Richard,

I am writing to thank you for your honourable Jerry and Terry Richard Endowed Award. I am delighted and appreciative to have been selected as a recipient to your generous scholarship.

I am a first-generation Hispanic student and my family faced many struggles to provide me with an education; now I am an example for my brothers and friends. I attended Hall High School and I had one goal in mind - going to college. Today I am a Junior majoring in Criminal Justice with a minor in Information Technology. I chose UALR because it offers one of the best Criminal Justice programs in the State. After I graduate with my bachelor's degree I will attend Bowen Law School. I want to become an immigration attorney and give back to the community in the scope of the Criminal Justice field.

Due to The Covid-19 Pandemic, I lost my job. Today you have lightened my financial pressure which allows me to focus more on learning. Knowing that there are people like you who help others has inspired me to do the same thing. I deeply appreciate your scholarship and hope that one day I can also help other students the way you have helped me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Oscar Gomez', with a large, stylized loop at the beginning and a horizontal line extending to the right.

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