Manuel Perez Memorial Scholarship
Fall Semester 2021

Lorain County Community College is proud to announce the availability of the Manuel Perez Memorial Scholarship. This award is intended to support Lorain County Community College/University Partnership students. Preference will be given to those who meet the following criteria:

- GPA of 2.5 or greater;
- Demonstrated Financial Need;
- Preference will be given to minorities, but all students may apply;
- Graduate of any Lorain High School and preference to those who reside in the City of Lorain;
- Scholarship will be awarded to students pursuing an associate’s degree with plans to obtain a bachelor’s degree through LCCC’s University Partnership Schools – Liberal and Creative Arts Program;
- 300 (minimum) Word Essay – Describe your academic careers goals, plans to achieve them, life experience that may have helped shape who you are today and any challenges that you overcame. Define what leadership means to you.

University Partnership Students: You must attach your most recent transcripts and proof of enrollment in the UP Institution for the semester of the scholarship. LCCC students’ status can be accessed by LCCC's Financial Services; therefore, they are exempt of having to show proof of enrollment and transcripts.

To apply, complete this application by June 30, 2021

Return your completed application to:
FINANCIAL SERVICES CENTER, LC146
LORAIN COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE
1005 N ABBE ROAD, ELYRIA, OHIO 44035

Questions: Please call 440-365-5222 or 1-800-995-5222

Please complete the following:

First Name ___________________ Middle Initial ________ Last Name _______________ LCCC Student Number/UP School _______________________

Home Address (Street, Apartment Number) _______________________________ City, State Zip ______________

Home/Cell Phone Number _______________________________ E-mail address (if available) ______________________________

Number of Total College Credits Earned (if applicable): ______________ Current GPA ______________
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I certify that I have truthfully completed all of the information required for receipt of this award. All information on this form is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I give permission to LCCC to release information about my financial aid and academic record to the LCCC Foundation Office, Scholarship Donor and the Scholarship Selection Committee. In addition, I understand that if I am selected as a recipient of this award, I may be asked to participate in recognition or appreciation activities of the LCCC Foundation to help ensure continued support of the LCCC Foundation Scholarship Program.

Signature __________________________ Date _______________

Scholarship Sponsored by: This scholarship is made possible through the generosity of donors to the LCCC Foundation Scholarship Program. The LCCC Foundation supports Lorain County Community College by making possible scholarships and other program and technology enhancements that otherwise would not be possible. Individuals, businesses and organizations give generously to ensure scholarships are available to help needing and deserving students receive a college education at LCCC or its University Partnership. Their support is greatly appreciated.
Manuel Perez, affectionately known as Manny or Noli, was born November 4, 1976 in Lorain, Ohio. Manny was a 1995 graduate of Southview High School. Upon his graduation, he attended the Art Institute of Atlanta where he majored in musical engineering. He moved to Columbus, Ohio in 1997 and resided there until his death in 2020.

Manny was friendly, quick witted and extremely intelligent. He was a wordsmith who incorporated his intellect in his music. He loved music and was always the life of the party. He brought energy and joy to any room he entered. He was pleasant, compassionate and empathetic to others. Manny never met a stranger. He was an excellent DJ and could turn any space into a great dance party. Manny was an amazing lyricist. Through his music, he will never be forgotten and his voice continues to have life.

In addition to music, Manny loved traveling, attending sporting events and spending time with his family and friends. He was a great story teller and would keep anyone in stitches with his antics. Manny had many gifts but his best trait was his compassion towards mankind.

Tomorrow’s not promised. Today is a gift. –AKAManny