



“Drexel scholars are a valued asset to Rohm and Haas. As Co-ops, these students bring an objective and diverse perspective to cross-functional problem solving situations. Meanwhile, they are able to gain valuable communication and leadership experience on global projects, which leads to high visibility at multiple levels within the organization.”

- Kara Dundas, BSChE

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### THE SCHOLARSHIP

Rohm and Haas understands and appreciates the value of diversity for the abundance of new insights, ideas, and solutions it lends to the fields of chemical and mechanical engineering. Our scholarship is designed to increase the number of minority candidates graduating from Drexel University with chemical and mechanical engineering degrees.

The Rohm and Haas Minority Scholars @ Drexel University program establishes a financial opportunity for eligible students entering their sophomore, pre-junior, junior and senior years. It awards a total of \$10,000, not including co-op payments, over this four year college term. The value qualifies for support of “educational expenses” and does not offset any state, federal or other financial aid package. One scholarship is awarded in each class year.



“Working for a leader in the Specialty Materials field has offered me **excellent opportunities** to not only apply the **knowledge** obtained at Drexel but also to continue developing my competencies as a **leader** in the US and abroad.”

**- Julio A. Correa, BSME and MBA**

### WHO IS ELIGIBLE

The Rohm and Haas Minority Drexel Scholarship seeks recipients who are African American, Latino/Hispanic, Native American or ethnic/racial backgrounds that are underrepresented in the Chemical and Mechanical Engineering fields. In addition, the following academic standards must be met:

#### FOR INCOMING SOPHOMORES:

- Have a Drexel overall GPA of 3.0 or higher.
- Illustrate intent to major in Chemical or Mechanical Engineering

#### FOR INCOMING PRE-JUNIORS, JUNIORS OR SENIORS:

- Have a Drexel overall GPA of 3.0 or higher and
- Have a 3.2 in the major of Chemical or Mechanical engineering

#### PREFERENCE WILL BE GIVEN TO STUDENTS WHO:

- Come from regions where Rohm and Haas has an operating facility
- Illustrate intellect, honesty and integrity

#### HOW TO APPLY:

To apply to become a Rohm and Haas scholar at Drexel you must:

- Contact Professor Meyer in the College of Engineering to discuss the program.
- Download and complete the scholarship application at <http://go.rohmhaas.com/drexelscholars>
- Email the completed application along with your resume to [Recruiting@Rohmhaas.com](mailto:Recruiting@Rohmhaas.com) and enter DREXEL SCHOLARS APPLICATION as your subject (this is critical).

If you are selected for an interview, a Rohm and Haas representative will contact you to arrange for an interview where you will be asked to discuss your choice of major and your background.

### HOW SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS ARE DETERMINED

A Drexel committee led by the Associate Dean for the College of Engineering nominates a slate of student candidates based on the academic criteria listed. The student candidates are then contacted and asked to complete and submit the Rohm and Haas scholarship application.

The Rohm and Haas recruiting team reviews the applications and interviews a select group of those who have completed applications. The Rohm and Haas recruiting team then makes a final decision based on transcript, application and interview. Drexel management and the students are notified of their status and with the name of the scholarship recipient.

### STUDENT COMMITMENT

- Maintain GPA requirements - 3.0 overall GPA and 3.2 in the major
- Commit last co-op to Rohm and Haas
- Maintain status as a student in good standing with the University
- Promote the Scholarship program at National Society of Black Engineers and Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers events and other similar events organized by Drexel University.

### DREXEL COMMITMENT

- Facilitate scholarship process by promoting scholarship internally among students and faculty
- Maintain student records to ensure continued eligibility and provide to Rohm and Haas as appropriate
- Provide support services for students who are Rohm and Haas Scholars
- Maintain student advocate in the chemical or mechanical engineering department who will serve as a liaison to Rohm and Haas

### ROHM AND HAAS COMMITMENT

- Award scholarship to a student in each eligible class who meets the criteria\*
- Identify student mentor at Rohm and Haas
- Establish and maintain ongoing communication with Drexel scholarship recipient through graduation
- Facilitate Co-op placement and application for employment when appropriate\*\*

\* Rohm and Haas retains the right to review and withdraw the student's continued eligibility for the scholarship.

\*\* There is no requirement on the part of Rohm and Haas Company to offer a permanent position or for the student to accept employment at Rohm and Haas upon graduation.