The Graduate Student Emergency Fund is available to any UNM SPANPORT MA/PhD student with critical financial need for the current academic year based on evidence submitted. Selected graduate students will be awarded up to $300.

**Submission Requirements**

*Completed applications must have the following:*

* One-page personal statement expressing the situation that created the emergency and how this scholarship will support your educational goals.
* Any other supporting documentation that will assist the committee in making its decision.
* Completed application form, page 2.

**Application Cycle**

* Scholarships are available from September 1st to April 1st

**Scholarship Process**

* Submit completed application packet to: Fabiola Parra-Oldham at fabi@unm.edu
* Decision will be notified via your UNM email. If awarded, it will be processed in your UNM Bursar’s account approximately within 2 weeks.

Please note that in order to continue providing resources for as many students as possible, if you are awarded the fund, you are not eligible to apply for another fund during the current Academic Year. For any questions, please email us at fabi@unm.edu.

Faculty and staff in SPANPORT highly encourage you to seek and apply for complementary funding/scholarship opportunities that are available here at UNM “in addition to this one from SPANPORT”. We list here some units for consideration:

1. [Spanish and Portuguese Graduate Student Association](https://spanport.unm.edu/resources/get-involved.html) (SPGSA)
2. Language Learning Center (LLC) for equipment such as laptops or other devices.
3. [Lobo Respect](https://loborespect.unm.edu/services/short-term-loans.html) loans (additional resources from Lobo Respect [here](https://loborespect.unm.edu/support/resource-guide1/resource-guide.html))
4. Global Education Office (GEO)
5. [Centro de la Raza](https://elcentro.unm.edu/services-tab/emergency-scholarship-23-24.pdf) *(they have their own student emergency scholarship application process)*
6. [African American Student Services](https://afro.unm.edu/services/scholarships.html) scholarships
7. [UNM Campus Lobo Food Pantry](file:///C:\Users\fabi\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.Outlook\4IRN5NOM\Campus%20Lobo%20Food%20Pantry)
8. For those of you who are PORT graduate students, Margo Milleret’s funding is available. Please contract professors Jessica Carey-Webb ([jcareywebb@unm.edu](mailto:jcareywebb@unm.edu)) and Paulo Duta ([pdutra@unm.edu](mailto:pdutra@unm.edu)).

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Degree seeking: \_\_\_\_MA \_\_\_Dual MA \_\_\_\_PhD

Have you previously received SPANPORT Student Emergency Funding?

If you have previously received funding, please enter here the date(s) when you were granted funding.

Anticipated Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. List here all the funding you currently have in UNM (Taship, GAship, RAship…) and include Department/Program for such funding, hours/week and funding amount.
2. Identify here other emergency funding you are pursuing here (list the Departments/Programs/Units for such funding opportunity here at UNM).
3. Attach here your one-page explanation of your need in relationship to your educational goals and provide additional documentation as evidence.

All the information on this application, and attached to this application, is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. This information will remain confidential to the members of the SPANPORT events committee members and will not be shared publicly.

Applicant Signature\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Application packet received (Date):

Final decision confirmed (Date):