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Salesian Alumni Association Presents the 2020 Artemio G. Navarro Scholarships

Montebello, CA – Now in its second year, the Artemio G. Navarro Scholarship is proudly awarded to outstanding graduating seniors from Bishop Mora Salesian High School in Los Angeles, California. These scholars intend to pursue a STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Math) degree at a four-year university. The program is administered by Great Minds in STEM through the generous support of Salesian alum Mr. Artemio E. Navarro (Class of ’68), who established the scholarship in memory of his father, Artemio G. Navarro.

This year, 15 students were selected to receive a $2,000 merit-based scholarship. These students completed the comprehensive application, maintained a competitive GPA throughout their four years in high school, and conducted community service hours for the elderly and persons with special needs. Additionally, these scholars attained acceptance to a 4-year university and plan to enroll in a STEM field of study, in the fall of 2020. The honorees will be recognized on Thursday, May 28, 2020, during a virtual Salesian Senior Farewell Ceremony.

Meet the Class of 2020 Artemio G. Navarro Scholars, who join the larger family of Great Minds in STEM Scholars.

Sean Aguilar
Aaron Badillo
Angel Barrueta
Adrik Blake
Brandon Cervantes
Daniel Delara
Eduardo Esparza
Jonathan Garcia
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If you are interested in supporting the Great Minds in STEM Scholars Program, please contact Dr. Gary Cruz at gcruz@greatmindsinstem.org.

About Great Minds in STEM
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