



Press Release

SANTANDER SIGNS FIRST AGREEMENT WITH BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Funding Will Provide Scholarships to Students in Need

BOSTON, June 26, 2014 –Santander Bank, N.A. announced today that it recently entered into an agreement with Borough of Manhattan Community College (BMCC) of The City University of New York (CUNY) for its Santander Universities division to provide scholarships to low- to moderate-income students.

“Our collaboration with the Borough of Manhattan Community College is very meaningful to us,” said Eduardo Garrido, director of Santander Universities US. “We look forward to providing BMCC students with the opportunity to pursue their studies and broaden their knowledge of other cultures through these funded scholarships.”

Through this agreement, Santander will help support a BMCC annual gala that benefits the college’s scholarship fund. Santander’s support will provide full-tuition scholarships to students in need. In addition to scholarships, Santander will enable BMCC to increase its offerings of cultural, sports, and academic services provided to the BMCC community.

“A strong working relationship with Santander allows BMCC to foster academic activities and international outreach,” said Antonio Pérez, President of Borough of Manhattan Community College. “The agreement provides an opportunity to share ideas and discuss collaborative engagements as we continue to expand our academic programs and services to students, for years to come.”

About Us

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Santander Universities was founded in 1996 to advance the Santander Group's commitment to its communities by supporting higher education. The Santander University Global Division provides funding for teaching and research, international cooperation, knowledge and technology transfer, entrepreneurial initiatives, student exchange and innovation. It maintains more than 1,100 agreements with universities and research centers worldwide, including 32 in the United States through Santander Bank. In 2013, Santander Universities provided funding for 4,105 new projects and 37,712 scholarships globally, including over 100 projects and over 1,000 scholarships in the United States. For more information about Santander Universities Global Division, visit www.santander.com/universities.

Borough of Manhattan Community College (BMCC) is part of The City University of New York (CUNY) and enrolls over 24,000 degree-seeking and 11,000 continuing education students a year. BMCC delivers a quality education to students from over 100 countries, who strive to enter the field of their choice and build a foundation for their higher education, earning associate degrees in 31 fields including Science, Engineering, Mathematics, Liberal Arts, Computer Information Systems, Speech, Communication Studies, Theatre, Writing and Literature, Teacher Education, Human Services, Criminal Justice, Nursing, Media Arts & Technology, Community Health Education, Business Management, Allied Health Science and more.

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