



## Meet our six new VISIONAR scholars!

The VISIONAR family keeps growing! Thanks to the support of our friends and communities, we just awarded six new scholarships! Meet our students:

Eliana Pérez is working toward her English teaching degree at FASTA, Fraternidad de Agrupaciones Santo Tomás de Aquino, a well recognized private institution in San Francisco, Argentina. Eliana enjoys working with children and teaching, two passions that she can combine with this college program. Eliana hopes to show her students in the future the value of an education as a means to build one's future. Eliana's mom, Laura, is a single mother raising two kids. Thanks to VISIONAR's help, Eliana can afford to go to college.

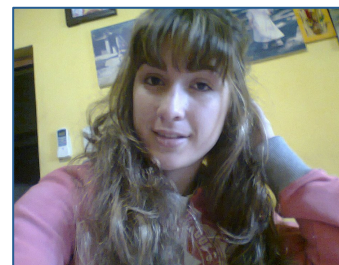


Julieta Ludueña is all set to start Medicine (undergraduate program) at the National University in Córdoba city. Julieta sees medicine as a service to others by way of curing disease and saving lives. Julieta is the youngest of four children, and says her best role model is her mother, because she is the emotional foundation for the family.



Antonela Rubiolo has started a program to become Veterinarian, at the Facultad de Ciencias Veterinarias, in Esperanza city. Antonela graduated high school with the third best grade point average, despite having to deal with a congenital anomaly in her feet that has required multiple surgeries, which takes time and focus away from school. Antonela's determination and motivation will continue to guide her as she goes into college.

Karen Gutiérrez left her hometown of Altos de Chipión a month ago to start college in San Francisco. After receiving a VISIONAR scholarship, she enrolled in a four-year FASTA program in Educational Psychology. When asked about her role models, Karen mentioned her cousin who also faced economic hardship



but thanks to her effort was able to become a doctor. Karen is prepared to put in that same effort in her college education.



Mariana Filippi-Tornati's goal is to become a Physical Education teacher. Mariana has always practised sports, including swimming and volleyball, and loves to work with children. Her long term goals include not only a career in an activity that she loves, but also "travel the world, experience different cultures, have a family, and live a long, long life".

Sofía Ruiz Miraglio has started a Chemical Engineering program at UTN, Universidad Tecnológica Nacional, in San Francisco. Sofía thinks that after earning her college degree, she would like to specialize in Food Chemistry. Besides chemistry, Sofía has a passion for horses and loves spending time in the countryside.



Along with these new students, we continue to support five continuing scholars: Emiliano, Maximiliano, Angela, Pamela, and Gastón.

We wish all of our students the very best for the new 2013 academic year that has just started.

VISIONAR is proud of this group of deserving students. Each one of them has a dream, and a desire to have an education. Without your precious help through VISIONAR, they would not be able to accomplish these goals.

As always, our most sincere thanks to all of you!

