



## **Press Release**

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## Galena Park High School Student Awarded QuestBridge Scholarship

Houston, Texas: Congratulations to Jaquelyne Bardales, Galena Park High School senior, for winning the QuestBridge Scholarship. The scholarship, worth over \$200,000, is awarded to the nation's brightest students who have the desire to continue their education and career opportunities.

"I'm proud to say I got matched as a QuestBridge Scholar to Rice University. I'm the first in my family to go to college and to get a full ride, I've never been happier. I'd like to thank Mrs. Couch and all my teachers, you were all an essential part of my academic growth and I couldn't have done it without y'all. I am beyond excited and am looking forward to what the future holds for me," Bardales said.

Bardales will attend Rice University, and major in social policy analysis.

Congratulations, Jaquelyne! Good luck at Rice University.



Pictured: Jaquelyne Bardales

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