The Robert D. Dockendorff Scholarship is to be used to support one or more annual scholarships with preference given to underrepresented minority undergraduate students who contribute to the diversity of the University of Iowa campus, and demonstrate financial need.

BIOGRAPHY
Robert (Bob) D. Dockendorff received an A.A. from Burlington Community College in 1958 and graduated from The University of Iowa in 1960 with a B.A. in Sociology. He joined the Naval Reserve and continued graduate studies at the University of Iowa for several years. In 1964, Mr. Dockendorff applied for Naval Officer Candidate School and was commissioned an Ensign in the U.S. Naval Reserve. He was assigned to small boat operations in Vietnam. He remained in the Navy Ready Reserve and retired with the rank of Captain in 1988 after 25 years of service. In 1968, Mr. Dockendorff was hired by Pacific Maritime Association where he worked for 35 years, retiring as a Vice President in 2003. He lives in San Francisco, CA and continues working on transportation and infrastructure projects. He is also developing a series of documentary film projects. He is active with charitable organizations promoting social change.

AWARD
Award(s) of a minimum of $1,000 will be given for 2019-2020 academic year.

ELIGIBILITY
• Students who identify as an underrepresented minority (African American, Latinx, Native American, LGBTQ+)
• Students who contribute to the diversity of the University of Iowa campus
• Students who demonstrate financial need
• Students must be in good academic standing (have a minimum of 2.0 cumulative GPA)

TO APPLY
1. Complete application form (via QR code below or online: bit.ly/Dockendorff19)
2. Submit the following to Emma Welch (emma-welch@uiowa.edu).
   • University of Iowa Transcript
   • A completed essay (no longer than 1000 words, typed double-spaced) telling us about your involvement with diversity initiatives on the University of Iowa campus; your contribution to the diversity of The University of Iowa campus; and your educational and career goals.

DEADLINE
All materials (application form, transcript, and essay) must be submitted no later than Monday, April 1st.

SELECTION
Recipients shall be determined by a selection committee made up of University of Iowa staff and faculty, in coordination with the Office of Student Financial Aid. Applicants that are selected will be notified no later than Monday, April 29th.

Please scan with QR reader for application form:

If you have any questions, please contact Emma Welch, Coordinator of the Pride Alliance Center, at emma-welch@uiowa.edu.