SCHOLARSHIP RESOURCE GUIDE

FOR

HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS
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- National Medical Fellowships
- American Associations of University Women (AAUW)
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University Sponsored Scholarships

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- Eastern Michigan University Alumni Association**
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http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/

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SCHOLARSHIPS FOR HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS AND COLLEGE UNDERGRADUATES
**AABE National Scholarship**

**Name of Sponsor:** American Association of Blacks in Energy (AABE)

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor is a professional organization of African Americans in the energy industry.

**Award:** Up to $5,000

**Eligibility requirements:** Applicants must:
- Have at least an overall “B” academic average and a “B” average in mathematics and science courses.
- Be a graduating high school senior who has applied to one or more accredited colleges/universities.
- Plan to major in business, engineering, technology, mathematics or physical science fields.
- Be a member of one of the underrepresented minority groups (African American, Hispanic or Native American) in the sciences and related areas of technology.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Students must submit an application to their nearest chapter of AABE.

**How to apply:**
http://www.aabe.org/index.php?component=cnews&site_id=78&id=143

**Scholarship deadline:** March (see website for further updates)

**Contact information:**
AABE Michigan Chapter
c/o Consumers Energy
ATTN: Sheila Patterson
One Energy Plaza 7-253
Jackson, Michigan 49201
Phone: 517-788-1893 or 517-768-7552
Email: sapatterson@cmsenergy.com

**Miscellaneous:** AABE Michigan Chapter will award at least one (1) scholarship to a student of the AABE - Michigan Chapter’s region.

**Category:** High School Senior

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**ACS Scholars Program**

**Name of Sponsor:** American Chemical Society

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor is a congressionally chartered independent membership organization, which represents professionals at all degree levels and in all fields of chemistry and sciences that involve chemistry.

**Award:** Up to $5,000 per year (renewable)

**Eligibility requirements:** Applicants must be:
- African-American, Hispanic/Latino, or American Indian;
- U.S. citizen or permanent resident of the U.S.;
- Full-time student at a high school or accredited college, university, or community college;
- Demonstrate high academic achievement in chemistry or science (Grade Point Average 3.0, "B" or better);
- Demonstrate financial need according to the FAFSA form (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) and the Student Aid Report (SAR) form;
- A graduating high school senior or college freshman, sophomore or junior intending to or already majoring in chemistry, biochemistry, chemical engineering or a chemically-related science or intending to or already pursuing a degree in chemical technology; Planning a career in the chemical sciences;
- Students intending to enter Pre-Med programs or pursuing a degree in Pharmacy are not eligible for this scholarship.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** In addition to submitting an application, students must provide a student aid report (SAR), an official transcript and two letters of recommendation. Please see website for more information about specific requirements for high school seniors and undergraduates.

**How to apply:**
http://portal.acs.org/portal/acscorg/content?_nfpb=true&_pageLabel=PP_TRANSITIONMAIN&node_id=1234&use_sec=false&sec_url_var=region1

**Scholarship deadline:** March 1st (Annually), Application opens November 1

**Contact information:**
American Chemical Society Scholars Program
1155 16th Street, NW
Washington, DC 20036
Phone: 1 (800) 227-5558 (ext. 6250)
e-mail: scholars@acs.org

**Category:** High School Senior and Undergraduates
Amazon Student Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: Amazon

Information about sponsor: Amazon opened on the World Wide Web in July 1995. The company is guided by three principles: customer obsession rather than competitor focus, passion for invention, and long-term thinking. Customer reviews, 1-Click shopping, personalized recommendations, Prime, Fulfillment by Amazon, AWS, Kindle Direct Publishing, Kindle, Fire phone, Fire tablets, and Fire TV are some of the products and services pioneered by Amazon.

Award: $5,000 towards tuition and $500 for textbooks

Eligibility requirements:
- Must be an Amazon Student member
- Must be a full-time students at an accredited, not-for-profit U.S college or university for the fall or who intend to be full-time student for the following fall semester.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: The scholarship is merit based. Applicants will be scored on GPA, community service, and leadership experience. Semifinalists will be required to write an essay to advance to the final round.

How to apply: http://www.amazon.com/b/?node=9944643011

Scholarship deadline: November 20

Contact information:
Amazon.com, Inc.
Media Hotline, 206-266-7180
amazon-pr@amazon.com
www.amazon.com/pr

Miscellaneous: Amazon Student gives college students Free Two-Day Shipping on millions of items, and special offers and promotions created just for students as part of the six month free trial.

Category: High School Seniors and Undergraduates

American Indian College Fund

Name of Sponsor: American Indian College Fund

Information about sponsor: The American Indian College Fund provides scholarship support to each tribal college. They also administer several scholarship programs offered to American Indian students attending tribal colleges and state and private universities.

Award: Varies by scholarship

Eligibility requirements: American Indian students attending mainstream and tribal colleges pursuing undergrad, graduate and professional degrees. A recent digital photo and four documents are required to complete this application. The required documents include:
- official college transcript;
- tribal enrollment verification or proof of descent;
- one recommendation letter; and
- financial needs analysis form (this can be found on the online application).

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Tribal Enrollment Verification – Please provide scanned copies of proof of enrollment into a federally recognized tribe. A copy of a Tribal Enrollment Card or Certificate of Indian Blood is acceptable for this field.
- If you are a descendant, you must provide a copy of Tribal Enrollment information for the family member that is an enrolled member of a federally recognized tribe and birth certificates linking the student to the enrolled member to complete this requirement.

How to apply: http://www.collegefund.org/scholarships/main.html

Scholarship deadline: May 31st (see website for further details)

Contact information:
American Indian College Fund
8333 Greenwood Blvd.
Denver, CO 80221
Toll Free: (800) 776-3863
Phone: (303) 426-8900

Category: High School Seniors, Undergraduates and Graduates
Atlas Shrugged Essay Contest

Name of Sponsor: Ayn Rand Institute

Information about sponsor: This sponsor introduces young people to Ayn Rand's novels, to support scholarship and research based on her ideas, and to promote the principles of reason, rational self-interest, individual rights and laissez-faire capitalism to the widest possible audience.

Award: Up to $10,000

Eligibility requirements: Applicant must be enrolled in a college/university or in the 12th grade at the time of entry

Criteria for awarding scholarship: One entry per student. Applicants must write an essay that is no fewer than 800 and no more than 1,600 words in length, and double spaced on topics that are listed on the website.

How to apply:
http://www.aynrand.org/site/PageServer?pagename=education_contests_atlas

Scholarship deadline: October 24

Contact information:
Atlas Shrugged Essay Contest
The Ayn Rand Institute
P.O. Box 57044
Irvine, CA 92619-7044
Comments or questions: info@aynrandnovels.com

Category: High School Senior, Undergraduates and Graduates

Automotive Hall of Fame

Name of Sponsor: Automotive Hall of Fame

Information about sponsor: This sponsor is a non-profit 501(c) 3 organization dedicated to recognizing outstanding achievement in the automotive and related industries; preserving automotive heritage; and educating future generations of industry participants.

Award: Varies

Eligibility requirements:
- Submit a completed application form indicating a sincere interest in an automotive career.
- Provide an official transcript of all academic work.
- Submit two letters of recommendation supporting your automotive interests.
- Submit a letter of acceptance for an associate, bachelor, or masters program.
- Be accepted at an accredited college, university or trade school within the United States at the time of application (trade school should equal a two-year associate program).
- Student must be a United States citizen or in the United States on a Student Visa.
- Must be enrolled full-time.
- Must have 3.0 GPA or higher.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: In addition to submitting a complete application, candidates must also submit two letters of recommendation, an official transcript, and a brief explanation of career goals.

How to apply: http://www.automotivehalloffame.org/scholarships.php

Scholarship deadline: Applications accepted Feb. 1st - June 30th of each year

Contact information:
Award and Scholarship Programs
Automotive Hall of Fame
21400 Oakwood Boulevard
Dearborn, Michigan 48124 USA
Phone: 313.240.4000
e-mail: sue@thedrivingspirit.org

Category: High School Senior or 1st year College Student
AWG Minority Scholarship

**Name of Sponsor:** Association for Women Geoscientist

**Information about sponsor:** This new program encourages young minority women to pursue an education and later a career in the geosciences. It provides financial aid and matches the student with a mentor in the same field who will offer guidance and support. This exchange will enhance the student’s experience and provide a view of the world ahead.

**Award:** $6,000

**Eligibility requirements:**
- An African-American, Hispanic, or Native American woman
- A full-time student who is pursuing an undergraduate degree in the geosciences (geology, geophysics, geochemistry, hydrology, meteorology, physical oceanography, planetary geology, or earth science education) at an accredited college or university (high school students who will enter one of these fields during their freshman year may also apply)

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** A contributor to the larger world community through her academic and personal strengths. Applicant must also submit academic and career goals, two letters of recommendation, high school and college transcripts, and SAT or ACT scores.

**How to apply:** [http://www.awg.org/eas/minority.htm](http://www.awg.org/eas/minority.htm)

**Scholarship deadline:** June 30

**Contact information:**
Association for Women Geoscientists
Attn. Minority Scholarship
12000 N. Washington St., Suite 285
Thornton, Colorado 80241
Email: Christina Tapia at office@awg.org for any questions

**Miscellaneous:** Winners may reapply for continuing support

**Category:** High School Seniors and Undergraduates

AXA Achievement Scholarship

**Name of Sponsor:** AXA Foundation of AXA Equitable Financial Services, LLC

**Information about sponsor:** The AXA Foundation directs the company's philanthropic and volunteer activities. Their programs align with AXA’s strong commitment to Corporate Responsibility and work to improve the quality of life in communities across the US where AXA has a presence.

**Award:** $10,000 – $25,000

**Eligibility requirements:**
- Be United States citizens or legal residents
- Be current high school seniors who plan to enroll full-time in an accredited two-year or four-year college or university in the United States
- Eligible students are encouraged to apply for both the Achievement and Community scholarships, but a student may receive only one of these AXA-sponsored scholarships.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Demonstrate ambition and self-drive as evidenced by outstanding achievement in school, community or work-related activities. Special consideration will be given to achievements that empower society to better face risk through education and action in areas such as financial, environmental, health and/or emergency-preparedness

**How to apply:** [https://us.axa.com/axa-foundation/AXA-achievement-scholarship.html](https://us.axa.com/axa-foundation/AXA-achievement-scholarship.html)

**Scholarship deadline:** December 15 Application opens in the early Fall.

**Contact information:**
AXA Achievement Scholarship
Scholarship America, One Scholarship Way
Saint Peter, MN 56082
Phone: 800-537-4180
Email: axaachievement@scholarshipamerica.org

**Miscellaneous:** Using a tiered process students apply on a state level and the top students from that group are recognized on a national level with an additional award.

**Category:** High School Seniors
Blacks at Microsoft Technology Heritage Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: Microsoft

Information about sponsor: Blacks at Microsoft (BAM) is a company-sponsored employee network dedicated to supporting the continued growth and development of black employees at Microsoft Corporation. BAM encourages and enable black high school students to (a) go to college, (b) realize the impact technology has on the world, and (c) target a career in the technology industry.

Award: $5,000, renewable up to $20,000

Eligibility requirements:
- Be a high-school senior of African descent (for example, African American, African, or Ethiopian).
- Plan to attend a four-year college or university in the fall of the year following high-school graduation.
- Plan to pursue a bachelor's degree in engineering, computer science, computer information systems, or select business programs (such as finance, business administration, or marketing).
- Demonstrate a passion for technology.
- Demonstrate leadership at school or in the community.
- Have a cumulative GPA of 3.3 or higher.
- Require financial assistance to attend college.

Criteria for awarding scholarship:
- Two letters of recommendation, Resume, Picture of yourself, Official transcript, Two essays


Scholarship deadline: March 1, must be postmarked

Contact information:
The Seattle Foundation
C/o BAM Scholarship
1200 5th Avenue, Ste. 1300
Seattle, WA 98101

Miscellaneous: Applicants will receive response by April 15.

Category: High School Seniors

CIA Undergraduate Scholar Program

Name of Sponsor: Central Intelligence Agency (CIA)

Information about sponsor: The CIA is an independent agency responsible for providing national security intelligence to senior US policymakers.

Award: up to $18,000 per year

Eligibility requirements:
- US citizenship
- 18 years of age by April 1 of your senior year
- 1500 SAT (1000 Math & Critical Reading, 500 Writing) or 21 ACT scores or higher (high school students)
- 3.0/4.0 scale high school or college GPA or higher
- Financial need as demonstrated by the household income ceiling up to $70,000 for a family of four, and $80,000 for a family of five or more, or $35,000 or less for independent scholars
- Meet employment standards by successfully completing both security and medical processing
- Available to work in the Washington, DC area during your periods of employment

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Scholars work at CIA offices in Washington, D.C. metro area during summer breaks and receive annual salary in addition to up to $18,000 per school year for tuition, fees, books, and supplies. Must commit to employment with Agency after college graduation for period 1.5 times length of scholarship.

How to apply: https://www.cia.gov/careers/student-opportunities/undergraduate-scholarship-program.html

Scholarship deadline: Varies. See website for more information

Contact information:
Phone: 800-368-3886
Fax: 703-374-2281
Web: www.cia.gov

Miscellaneous: Applications are accepted year-round. Applications for summer employment will be accepted until October 15th. Applications for winter, spring, and fall employment should be sent nine to twelve months before the desired start date.

Category: High School Seniors
**Coca-Cola Scholars Program**

**Name of Sponsor:** Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation

**Information about sponsor:** The Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation works on behalf and at the direction of the entire Coca-Cola system to provide scholarship programs and enrichment opportunities in support of exceptional young people’s thirst for knowledge and their desire to make a difference in the world.

**Award:** $20,000

**Eligibility requirements:** Applicants must be a current high school (or homeschooled) seniors attending school in the US (or select DoD schools) and a US Citizen; US National; US Permanent Resident; Refugee; Asylee; Cuban-Haitian Entrant; or Humanitarian Parole. Also, he or she must be a senior anticipating completion of a high school diploma during the academic year in which application is made, planning to pursue a degree at an accredited US post-secondary institution and carrying a minimum 3.0 GPA at the end of their junior year of high school.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Scholarship committee is looking for students that demonstrate leadership and excellence through academic achievement and extracurricular activities, including commitment to community service. Applicants must submit an online application to apply.

**How to apply:**
http://www.coca-colascholarsfoundation.org/applicants/#.VBCFhfldWPY

**Scholarship deadline:** October 31st

**Contact information:**
Toll Free 800-306-2653
e-mail: scholars@na.ko.com

**Miscellaneous:** Applicants may not be children or grandchildren of employees, officers or owners of Coca-Cola bottling companies, The Coca-Cola Company or any bottler or Company divisions or subsidiaries

**Category:** High School Seniors

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**Coca-Cola Community College Academic Team Scholarship**

**Name of Sponsor:** Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation

**Information about sponsor:** The Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation works on behalf and at the direction of the entire Coca-Cola system to provide scholarship programs and enrichment opportunities in support of exceptional young people’s thirst for knowledge and their desire to make a difference in the world.

**Award:** varies

**Eligibility requirements:** Open to non-members, must be nominated by your college’s designated nominator, must demonstrate outstanding academic achievement, and must demonstrate significant campus and/or community leadership and service.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Interested students should check with their campus contact (listed on our website) for application and deadline information.

**Scholarship deadline:** December 3rd

**How to apply:** Apply by completing the Fall Common Application
http://www.ptk.org/become-a-member/scholarships

**Contact information:**
Online: http://www.ptk.org/contact
Email: scholarship.programs@ptk.org
Phone: (800) 946-9995

**Miscellaneous:** Students who attend community college in the United States do not need to be a member of Phi Theta Kappa. Students attending community colleges outside of the U.S. need to be members of Phi Theta Kappa and may only apply for the New Century Scholars program.

**Category:** Undergraduates
### Coleman A. Young Foundation Scholars Program

**Name of Sponsor:** Coleman A. Young Foundation (CAYF)

**Information about sponsor:** This organization focuses on developing future leaders in Detroit that represent many different professions who will become leaders and benefit the city.

**Award:** up to $20,000

**Eligibility requirements:** Applicants must plan to attend one of the country’s fully-accredited, Historically Black Colleges/Universities, or an accredited, four-year college or university in Michigan; plan to pursue a degree in an area of emphasis for the Foundation. Current areas include: Liberal Arts, Education, Economics, Finance, Engineering, and Science; have a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or better; demonstrate financial need; and provide proof of residence in the City of Detroit.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** In addition to submitting a complete application, candidates must also submit proof of residence in Detroit, proof of family income, three recommendations, an essay and a resume.

**How to apply:** [http://www.cayf.org/scholars-about.php](http://www.cayf.org/scholars-about.php)

**Scholarship deadline:** March 13th

**Contact information:**
Coleman A. Young Foundation
2111 Woodward Avenue, Suite 600
Detroit, Michigan 48201
Phone: (313) 962-2200
Fax: (313) 962-2208
Website: www.cayf.org

**Category:** High School Seniors

### Courage To Grow Scholarship

**Name of Sponsor:** Courage To Grow

**Information about sponsor:** The "Courage to Grow Scholarship" was created to help students realize their college dreams. We don't want the college dreams and plans of so many young men and women to get lost in the financial shuffle. It takes a lot of determination and courage to forge ahead when sometimes it would be easier to give up

**Award:** $500

**Eligibility requirements:** Applicants must be current sophomores or juniors in qualifying Historically Black Colleges and Universities. They must be U.S. citizens of African-American or Hispanic descent. Applicants must also have a GPA of 3.0 or higher and enroll full-time for the upcoming academic year.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:**
- Final candidates will be selected 1 week after the application deadline.
- All scholarship recipients will be honored by receiving a certificate of award.
- Scholarship monies will be distributed to the student's college/university account pending the following:
  - Proof of enrollment in college via the college administration department.
  - Proof of grade point average of 2.5 or better was obtained.

**How to apply:** [http://www.couragetogrowscholarship.com/](http://www.couragetogrowscholarship.com/)

**Scholarship deadline:** End of each month

**Contact information:**
Courage to Grow Scholarship
P.O. Box 2507
Chelan, WA 98816
Phone: 509-731-3056
Email: support@couragetogrowscholarship.com
Website: www.couragetogrowscholarship.com

**Miscellaneous:** One scholarship will be awarded each month

**Category:** High School Seniors and Undergraduates
Daughters of the American Revolution Scholarships

Name of Sponsor: Daughters of the American Revolution

Information about sponsor: This sponsor is a non-profit, non-political volunteer women's service organization dedicated to promoting patriotism, preserving American history, and securing America's future through better education for children.

Award: Varies

Eligibility requirements: Varies with scholarship. See website for more details.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Varies with scholarship

How to apply: All applicants must obtain a letter of sponsorship from their local DAR chapter. (The only exception is the American Indian Scholarship.) Your state scholarship chairman will assist in locating the chapter nearest you. Please send a self-addressed, stamped business-size envelope to obtain the name and address of your state scholarship chairman and an application for any of the following scholarships.

Scholarship deadline: See website
http://www.dar.org/national-society/education/scholarships

Contact information:
Committee Services Office
Attn: Scholarships
1776 D Street, NW
Washington, DC 20006-5303
Phone: (202) 628-1776

Category: High School Seniors, Undergraduate and Graduate

DECA Scholarships

Name of Sponsor: Distributive Education Clubs of America (DECA)

Information about sponsor: This sponsor supports the development of marketing and management skills in career areas such as hospitality, finance, sales and service, business administration and entrepreneurship.

Award: Varies

Eligibility requirements: Applicants must be a current of Deca member at the national level to be eligible for the scholarships.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Varies with scholarship

How to apply: http://www.deca.org/scholarships/

Scholarship deadline: January 16

Contact information:
DECA Inc.
1908 Association Drive
Reston, VA 20191
Phone: (703) 860-5000 (ask for the Corporate & External Affairs Dept)
Fax: (703) 860-4013
e-mail: Kathy_onion@deca.org

Michigan DECA
208 King Hall
Eastern Michigan University
Ypsilanti, MI 48197
Phone: (734) 487-3322
Fax: (734) 487-4329

Category: High School Seniors and Undergraduates
**Dell Scholars Program**

**Name of Sponsor:** Michael & Susan Dell Foundation

**Information about sponsor:** Michael and Susan Dell established the foundation in 1999. The gift was inspired by their passion for supporting children’s causes as a way to make an even greater difference in a measurable way, particularly for those children living in urban poverty

**Award:** Up to $20,000

**Eligibility requirements:**
- Participating in a Michael & Susan Dell Foundation approved college readiness program in grades 11 - 12
- Graduating from an accredited high school this academic year
- Earning a minimum of a 2.4 GPA
- Demonstrated need for financial assistance
- Eligible to receive federal student aid
- Planning to enroll full-time in a bachelor’s degree program at an accredited higher education institution in the fall directly after your graduation from high school

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:**
- Recommendation(s)
- Essay
- Transcript

**How to apply:** Application opens November 1
http://www.dellscholars.org/scholarship/how-to-apply/

**Scholarship deadline:** January 15

**Contact information:**
Phone: 800-294-2039
Email: apply@dellscholars.org
Web: www.dellscholars.org

**Miscellaneous:** Scholars will be notified in April

**Category:** High School Seniors

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**Detroit College Promise**

**Name of Sponsor:** The Detroit College Promise

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor is a public charity that provides tuition scholarships to Michigan public colleges and universities for Detroit Public School students.

**Award:** Varies, For the Class of 2014 the award ranged from $250-$1000

**Eligibility requirements:** Scholarships are available to all students who live in Detroit and are enrolled in a DPS high school continuously from 9th grade through graduation (see application for more details).

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** See application for more details.

**How to apply:**

**Scholarship deadline:** Applications are accepted between

March
July 1

**Contact information:**
The Detroit College Promise
30100 Telegraph Road, Suite 408
Bingham Farms, MI 48025
Phone: 248.646.3269
Fax: 248.646.3119
e-mail: DetroitCollegePromise@gmail.com

**Miscellaneous:** Registration is required for Classes of 2011-2017. Beginning with the Class of 2018, the students are preregistered.

**Category:** High School Seniors
Detroit Economic Club Scholarship Program

Name of Sponsor: Detroit Economic Club

Information about sponsor: The Detroit Economic Club (DEC) is a non-partisan, non-profit organization committed to the discussion and debate of important business, government and social issues.

Award: $2,000 (Renewable Scholarship)

Eligibility requirements: Applicants must be high school seniors in public or private high schools in Wayne, Oakland or Macomb counties who begin full-time college enrollment in the fall.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Students must demonstrate a strong scholastic performance, exemplary leadership and character through extra-curricular activities, service in school and community, volunteer involvement and paid work experience, family economic need and achieving the equivalent of a 3.2 average in the last two years or at graduation.

How to apply: Students must first be nominated by their counselor based on scholastic, social and financial need, and then invited to apply for scholarship consideration. Therefore, no application form is available online.

Scholarship deadline: May 1st
http://www.econclub.org/Educational/Scholarship.aspx

Contact information:
Community Foundation for Southeast Michigan at (313) 961-6675 or scholarships@cfsem.org

Miscellaneous: Special consideration is given to students who have overcome hardships to achieve their personal and educational goals

Category: High School Seniors

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Detroit Tigers Willie Horton Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: Detroit Tigers/Community Foundation for Southeast MI

Information about sponsor: The Detroit Tigers is a major league baseball team

Award: $5,000

Eligibility requirements: Applicant must be a senior from Detroit Collegiate Preparatory High School at Northwestern High School who excels in academics and community involvement.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Student must submit a completed application.

How to apply: Applications can be obtained from Northwestern High School

Scholarship deadline: April 1st

Contact information:
Detroit Tigers Willie Horton Memorial Scholarship Fund Committee at Northwestern High School
Community Foundation for Southeast MI
Attention: Scholarship Consultant
333 West Fort Street, Ste. 201D
Detroit, MI 48226
Phone: (313) 961-6675
or scholarships@cfsem.org

Category: High School Seniors
Discover Scholarship Program

Name of Sponsor: Discover Financial Services

Information about sponsor: This sponsor is a leading credit card issuer and electronic payment services company.

Award: $1,000 (up to 40 scholarships)

Eligibility requirements: Applicant must be a high school junior who has at least a 2.75 cumulative grade point average on a 4.0 scale for 9th and 10th grades, demonstrate accomplishments in community service and leadership and has faced a significant roadblock or challenge.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Applicant must submit an application

How to apply: Visit website for more information about how to apply https://www.discover.com/student-loans/scholarships/award.html

Scholarship deadline: April 15

Contact information:
Phone: (866) 756-7932.
e-mail: info@applyists.com

Miscellaneous: Scholarships may be used for any type of post-high school education or training, certification, licensing, two- or four-year trade and technical education or a two- or four-year college degree.

Category: High School Juniors

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Edison Scholars Program

Name of Sponsor: Edison International

Information about sponsor: Edison Scholars is designed to help minority, low-income and under-represented students in Southern California pay for college studies in STEM fields, helping them develop skills and knowledge they need to thrive in the workforce of the future. As Edison Scholars, the students may also be eligible for summer internships at Edison and can get paired with professionals at our companies for mentoring and guidance throughout the students’ years on campus.

Award: up to $40,000

Eligibility requirements:
- GPA of 2.8 or better
- Live in the Southern California Edison service territory, or attend a high school in the Southern California Edison service territory
- Demonstrate financial need
- Plan to major in math, physics, chemistry, engineering, materials science or computer science/information system

Criteria for awarding scholarship:
To qualify, you must be a high school senior planning to pursue science, technology, engineering or math (STEM) at a four-year college or university on a full-time basis.

How to apply: Application opens in October
www.scholarsapply.org/edisonscholars.

Scholarship deadline: See website

Contact information:
Edison International
P.O. Box 976
Rosemead, CA 91770
info@edisonintl.com

Miscellaneous: Must pre-quality before application is submitted
http://www.edison.com/home/community/how-to-apply.html#prequalify/2/true

Category: High School Seniors
Elks Most Valuable Student Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: Elks National Foundation

Information about sponsor: The Elks provide tomorrow's leaders, our youth, with lifelong skills; honor the Elks' pledge to never forget our veterans; help the state Elks associations accomplish their charitable objectives; and fund projects that improve the quality of life in local Elks communities.

Award: Up to $50,000

Eligibility requirements:
- Any high school senior who is a citizen of the United States is eligible to apply.
- Applicants need not be related to a member of the Elks.
- Applicants must be citizens of the United States on the date their applications are signed; permanent legal resident status does not qualify.

Criteria for awarding scholarship:
- Male and female students compete separately
- College students are not eligible to apply.

How to apply: Application opens September 1
http://www.elks.org/enf/scholars/mvs.cfm

Scholarship deadline: December 5

Contact information:
Email Scholarship@elks.org
Call (773)755-4732.

Miscellaneous: Applications must be submitted to the Elks Lodge closest to the student's permanent U.S. address. Applications must advance through local, district and state competitions to reach national judging.

Category: High School Seniors

ESA Foundation Scholarship Program

Name of Sponsor: Entertainment Software Association Foundation

Information about sponsor: ESA Foundation established a scholarship program to assist women and minority students who are pursuing degrees leading to careers in Computer & Video Game Arts.

Award: Up to $3,000

Eligibility requirements:
- Women or minority students,
- Pursuing degrees leading to careers in computer and video game arts (high school seniors must already be accepted into a program),
- Enrolling or enrolled in a full-time undergraduate course of study at an accredited four-year college or university in the United States,
- Maintaining a grade point average of 2.75 or above on a 4.0 scale (or its equivalent), and
- US citizen

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Check website for more information

How to apply: https://aim.applyists.net/esaf

Scholarship deadline: May 15

Contact information:
317 Madison Ave, 22nd Floor
New York, NY 10017
917-522-3250

Miscellaneous: Up to 30 scholarships of $3,000 each will be awarded annually, 15 to graduating high school seniors and 15 to current college students.

Category: High School Seniors and Undergraduates
FEEA Regional Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: Federal Employee Education and Assistance (FEEA) Fund

Information about sponsor: This program provides financial assistance to federal employees, their spouses, and their children

Award: $500-$5,000

Eligibility requirements:
- Current civilian federal and postal employees with at least three years of federal service, their children and spouses
- Dependent applicants may first apply as high school seniors
- Dependents must be full-time students; employees may be part-time
- Enrolled (or plan to enroll) in an accredited post-secondary school
- Course of study that leads to a two-year, four-year or graduate degree
- 3.0 grade point average on a 4.0 scale

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See website

How to apply: Visit the website for application information and deadline in January

Scholarship deadline: Applications are available January - March each year.

Contact information:
Niki Gleason
Program Director, Scholarships
Phone: (303) 933-7580
Fax: (303) 933-7587
e-mail: ngleason@feea.org

Category: High School Seniors and Undergraduates

GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: The Ronald Reagan Presidential Foundation & Library

Information about sponsor: The GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program honors the legacy and character of our nation's 40th President by rewarding college-bound students who demonstrate exemplary leadership, drive, integrity, and citizenship with financial assistance to pursue higher education.

Award: up to $40,000

Eligibility requirements: Check website for more information

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Semifinalists chosen for the GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program are required to submit a nomination from a community leader, such as a high school principal, an elected official, or a nonprofit executive.

How to apply: http://www.reaganfoundation.org/GERFScholarships.aspx

Scholarship deadline: Early January. Check website for more information

Contact information:
Scholarship Management Services
1-507-931-1682 ask for the GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program
Email: ge-reagan@scholarshipamerica.org

Miscellaneous: Each recipient will attend an awards ceremony in Simi Valley, California.

Category: High School Seniors
Google Anita Borg Memorial Scholarship for First Years

Name of Sponsor: Google & the Anita Borg Institute (ABI)

Information about sponsor: ABI provides resources and programs to help industry, academia, and government recruit, retain, and develop women leaders in high-tech fields, resulting in higher levels of technological innovation. ABI programs serve high-tech women by creating a community and providing tools to help them develop their careers. ABI is a not-for-profit 501(c) 3 charitable organization.

Award: $10,000

Eligibility requirements: Applicants must be high school seniors and meet the following eligibility criteria:
- Intend to be enrolled in or accepted as a full-time student at a university in the U.S. International students are eligible to apply as long as they intend to be enrolled at a local university;
- Intend to be enrolled in or accepted for enrollment in a baccalaureate Computer Science, Computer Engineering or related program; and
- Able to demonstrate a commitment to and passion for computer science and technology.

Criteria for awarding scholarship:
You will also be asked to submit the following in order to have a complete application:
1. Online application (includes contact information, intended university, leadership information).
2. Academic transcripts (from your high school).
3. Two letters of reference:
   - One letter of reference must be from a high school teacher in a STEM (science, technology, engineering, or mathematics) field familiar with the applicant's academic work.
   - The second letter of reference must be from a person who has known the applicant for two or more years and is not a relative.
4. Three essays (200 words each).
5. Three short answer questions.

How to apply: Apply Online: http://www.google.com/anitaborg/junior-anita-borg.html

Scholarship deadline: See website for more details

Contact information: E-mail: anitaborgscholarship@google.com

Category: Currently Enrolled College Student

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Great Lakes National Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: Great Lakes Educational Loan Services, Inc.

Information about sponsor: Great Lakes Educational Loan Services, Inc., a nationwide servicer of federal loans, invites students majoring in science, technology, engineering, or math (STEM) disciplines to apply for $2,500 scholarships through the Great Lakes National Scholarship Program.

Award: $2,500

Eligibility requirements:
- High school senior or graduate, or current postsecondary undergraduate or graduate level student.
- A student with a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale.
- Able to demonstrate financial need.
- A student who plans to enroll at an accredited, nonprofit two-year or four-year college, university, or vocational-technical school for the entire 2014-2015 academic year.
- Enrolled in an eligible major: Math, Natural Science, Physical Science, Biological/Agriculture Science, Engineering/Technology, Computer/Information Science

Criteria for awarding scholarship:
- Parent/Guardian contact information (telephone and e-mail address), Transcript, Work History, Extracurricular/community activities, Short statement of purpose (educational goals, career goals), Financial info (from most recent tax return)

How to apply: https://www.scholarshipamerica.org/greatlakes/

Scholarship deadline: April 4

Contact information:
Great Lakes
PO Box 7860
Madison, WI 53707-7860

Miscellaneous: The number of entries is capped by Great Lakes once they receive 20,000 applications, the scholarship will be closed.

Category: High School Senior, Undergraduate, or Graduate
**H.T. Ewald Scholarship Program**

**Name of Sponsor:** H. T. Ewald Foundation

**Information about sponsor:** The aim of this foundation is to help provide the necessary funding so that a college education will become a reality for these young people.

**Award:** up to $500 - $3,500 (2 to 18 per year)

**Eligibility requirements:** Only graduating high school students residing in the metropolitan Detroit area, and entering college in the fall, are eligible for competition, financial need, overall academic record and character of applicant).

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Applicants must submit a completed application, at least three recommendations, a small photograph, an autobiography of at least 500 words, a high school transcript and ACT/SAT scores.

**How to apply:** Submit application materials to the address below. For more information about the scholarship, visit the following website: http://www.ewaldfoundation.org

**Scholarship deadline:** March 1st

**Contact information:**
H.T. Ewald Foundation
15450 E. Jefferson, Suite 180,
Grosse Pointe, MI 48230
Tel: 313-821-1278 •
Fax: 313-821-3299
email: ewaldfndtn@aol.com
Contact Shelagh K. Czuprenski

**Category:** High School Seniors

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**HACU Scholarships**

**Name of Sponsor:** Hispanic Association of Colleges and Universities

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor is a collection of Hispanic serving institutions.

**Award:** Varies

**Eligibility requirements:**
- Demonstrate financial need;
- Meet the specified criteria for the scholarship to which they are applying;
- Be attending a HACU-member institution (excluding international members) at the time applications are completed and scholarship awards are made. For the most up-to-date listing of HACU member institutions, then please visit www.hacu.net.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** See website.

**How to apply:** http://www.hacu.net/hacu/Scholarships.asp
Application opens in the Spring.

**Scholarship deadline:** Deadlines vary. See website for more information.

**Contact information:**
HACU Scholarship Program
8415 Datapoint Dr.
Ste #400
San Antonio, TX 78229
Phone: (210) 576-3250
Fax: (210) 690-0823
e-mail: scholarship@hacu.net or hacu@hacu.net

**Category:** High School Seniors, Undergraduates and Graduates
Horatio Alger National Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: Horatio Alger Association of Distinguished Americans, Inc.

Information about sponsor: This sponsor helps America’s disadvantage youth to realize the economic and personal opportunities that are available to them through receiving an education.

Award: $22,000

Eligibility requirements: Applicants must be enrolled full time as a high school senior and planning to enter college no later than the fall following graduation; have a strong commitment to pursue a bachelor's degree at an accredited institution (students may start their studies at a two-year institution and then transfer to a four-year institution); critical financial need ($55,000 or less adjusted gross income per family is preferred; if higher, an explanation must be provided); involvement in co-curricular and community activities; demonstrate academic achievement (minimum grade point average of 2.0); and be a United States citizen.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Applicants must fill out an application and all required forms and complete three essays for this scholarship.

How to apply: http://www.horatioalger.org/scholarships/

Scholarship deadline: October 25

Contact information:
Horatio Alger Association
99 Canal Center Plaza
Suite 320
Alexandria, VA 22314
Phone (703) 684-9444
Fax (703) 548-3822

Category: High School Seniors

HSF Scholarships for High School Seniors

Name of Sponsor: Hispanic Scholarship Fund

Information about sponsor: This sponsor helps to strengthen America by advancing higher education for Hispanic Americans.

Award: Varies

Eligibility requirements:
- Be of Hispanic heritage;
- Be a U.S. citizen or legal permanent resident with a permanent resident card or passport stamped I-551 (not expired);
- Be graduating from high school in the end of the academic year;
- Have a minimum cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale (or the equivalent);
- Have plans to enroll FULL-TIME in a degree seeking program at a four year U.S. accredited institution in the U.S., Puerto Rico, U.S. Virgin Islands or Guam during the next academic year;
- Must apply for federal financial aid by completing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA);

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See website

How to apply: http://hsf.net/en/scholarships/programs/

Scholarship deadline: Varies

Contact information:
Hispanic Scholarship Fund, Headquarters
55 Second Street, Suite 1500
San Francisco, CA 94105
1-877-HSF-INFO (1-877-473-4636)
Fax: 415-808-2302

Miscellaneous: Remember each scholarship program has its own requirements, so make sure you are eligible before you apply.

Category: High School Senior, Community College Students and Graduates
Joe Martin Scholarship

**Name of Sponsor:** Bank of America

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor is a national bank that is committed to creating meaningful change in the communities we serve through our philanthropic efforts, associate volunteerism, community development activities and investing, support of arts and culture programming and environmental initiatives.

**Award:** $2,500 (Renewable for up to three years)

**Eligibility requirements:**

- Be 23 years of age or younger and a dependent of a Bank of America associate;
- Be a high school senior or graduate;
- Plan to be enrolled or currently be enrolled in a full-time undergraduate course of study at an accredited 2- or 4-year college, university, or vocational/technical school;
- Enroll in the college of their choice no later than the fall of the year in which the award is given;
- Have an above average academic record; be actively involved in school and community activities; possess a desire to pursue educational and career goals; and wish to develop a well-rounded character.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** See application in December for more details

**How to apply:**

**Scholarship deadline:** Applications are available December 1st – end of February

**Contact information:**
Phone: 1.800.537.4180
See this page for email information:
http://www.bankofamerica.com/foundation/index.cfm?template=contact_us

**Miscellaneous:** Awards may be renewed for up to an additional 3 years on the basis of satisfactory performance.

**Category:** High School Seniors and Undergraduates

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John F. Kennedy Profile in Courage Essay Contest

**Name of Sponsor:** John F. Kennedy Library Foundation

**Information about sponsor:** The John F. Kennedy Library Foundation is a non-profit organization that provides financial support, staffing, and creative resources for the John F. Kennedy Presidential Library and Museum. The Kennedy Library Foundation is not a grant-making foundation.

**Award:** Up to $10,000

**Eligibility requirements:** The contest is open to United States high school students in grades nine through twelve attending public, private, parochial, or home schools; U.S. students under the age of twenty enrolled in a high school correspondence/GED program in any of the fifty states, the District of Columbia, or the U.S. territories; and U.S. citizens attending schools overseas. Past winners and finalists are not eligible to participate. Employees of John Hancock Financial Services and members of their families are not eligible to participate.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** See website for further details

**How to apply** http://www.jfklibrary.org/Education/Profile-in-Courage-Essay-Contest/Eligibility-and-Requirements.aspx

**Scholarship deadline:** January 5

**Contact information:**
John F. Kennedy Library Foundation
Profile in Courage Essay Contest
Columbia Point, Boston, MA 02125
Email: profiles@nara.gov

**Category:** High School
KFC Reach Educational Grant Program

**Name of Sponsor:** Kentucky Fried Chicken Foundation

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor empowers students to improve their lives with scholarship resources to attend an accredited public college within their state of residence.

**Award:** $2,000

**Eligibility requirements:** The REACH Educational Grant Program™ helps KFC restaurant hourly Team Members and Shift Supervisors pursue their educational dreams. It help Team Member recipients attend accredited four-year and two-year colleges, as well as trade/vocational schools. Winners are selected via a competitive application process and may reapply each year.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:**
- Complete online application

**How to apply:** [http://www.kfcscholars.org/default.asp](http://www.kfcscholars.org/default.asp)

**Scholarship deadline:** April 30

**Contact information:**
- Email: scholars@kfc.com and/or kfcscholars@act.org
- Phone: (866) KFC-7240

**Category:** High School Seniors, Undergraduates

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Kids’ Chance of Michigan

**Name of Sponsor:** Kids’ Chance of Michigan

**Information about sponsor:** Kids’ Chance of Michigan is dedicated to helping Michigan kids who need assistance for college or vocational education because a parent has been killed or catastrophically injured in a work-related accident.

**Award:** $2,500 - $5,000

**Eligibility requirements:** The child’s parent must have sustained a catastrophic injury or fatality in a Michigan work related accident covered by workers’ compensation

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:**
- A completed Kids’ Chance Scholarship Applications.
- Must be between 17-22 years old
- High school or College Transcript
- Copy of Financial Aid Award Letter
- Copy of your Student Account Statement
- Proof that parent has sustained a catastrophic injury/illness resulting from work-related accident
- Death certificate of deceased parent, if applicable.
- 1-3 paragraphs noting the specific work-related accident and why this scholarship would help you attain your educational goals.
- A copy of your 2014-2015 SAR Student Aid Report
- 3 Letters of recommendation minimum.


**Scholarship deadline:** Check website for deadline

**Contact information:**
- Kids’ Chance of Michigan
c/o Scholarship Committee
300 E. Long Lake Rd., Suite 200
Bloomfield Hills, Michigan  48304-2376
Phone: 248-205-2760

**Miscellaneous:** The Scholarship Committee will not review your application until it has received copies of all documents referenced in the scholarship application form.

**Category:** High School Senior, Undergraduate, or Graduate
### Kohl’s Kids Who Care® Scholarship Program

**Name of Sponsor:** Kohl’s Cares for Kids  

**Information about sponsor:** Kohl’s is a national department store  

**Award:** Up to $10,000  

**Eligibility requirements:** Applicants must be legal U.S. residents of a state in which a Kohl’s store is located. Also, they must be between the ages of 6 and 18 and not yet a high school graduate as of March 15th of the award year.  

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Applicants must be nominated by someone of at least 21 years of age who can describe how the nominee has contributed to the community in a meaningful way by performing volunteer services that helped non-family members.  

**How to apply:**  

**Scholarship deadline:** March 14  

**Contact information:**  
Email: kohls@scholarshipamerica.org  
Call: 1-507-931-1682 and ask for Kohl’s Kids Who Care Scholarship Program  
Write: Kohl’s Kids Who Care® Scholarship Program  
Scholarship Management Services  
One Scholarship Way  
Saint Peter, MN 56082  

**Category:** Students ages 6-18

### Lawrence P. Doss Scholarship

**Name of Sponsor:** Lawrence P. Doss Scholarship Foundation  

**Information about sponsor:** This foundation provides financial assistance and mentoring opportunities for disadvantaged city of Detroit high school seniors interested in pursuing careers in the fields of accounting, finance, management and business at the college level.  

**Award:** $20,000  

**Eligibility requirements:** Demonstrate financial aid, provide evidence of community service, be admitted to a four-year college or university as a full-time student, give a commitment to study in one of the designated disciplines, have a minimum 2.5 GPA, provide a copy of your ACT or SAT scores, provide a copy of your high school transcript, and submit a letters of recommendation.  

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Each candidate must submit a complete application and a 150-250 word essay.  

**How to apply:**  
http://www.lawrencepdossfnd.org/  

**Scholarship deadline:** March 15th (visit website for more details)  

**Contact information:**  
Lawrence P. Doss Scholarship Foundation  
P.O. Box 351037  
Detroit, MI 48235-9998  
Phone: (313) 891-4524  
Fax: (313) 891-4520  
e-mail: ldfsfoundation@aol.com  

**Miscellaneous:** Each awardee must commit to working in Detroit for four years after their graduation, and to earnestly contribute toward the empowerment of the City.  

**Category:** High School Seniors
Lincoln Community Foundation Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: Lincoln Community Foundation

Information about sponsor: The Lincoln Community Foundation was founded on April 11, 1955, with the goal to secure gifts to perpetually enrich and improve our community and the lives of all its citizens.

Award: Varies

Eligibility requirements: Please refer to the website for updated scholarship information.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Please refer to the website for updated scholarship information.

How to apply: http://www.lcf.org/scholarships

Scholarship deadline: Deadline in late March. See website for more details.

Contact information:
Lincoln Community Foundation
Attn: Scholarship Coordinator
215 Centennial Mall South, Suite 100
Lincoln, NE 68508
E-mail: lcf@lcf.org

Category: High School

Alcatel-Lucent Academic Awards Program

Name of Sponsor: Alcatel - Lucent

Information about sponsor: The Alcatel-Lucent Academic Awards Program carries this commitment further by providing scholarships for children of Alcatel-Lucent employees. Students who apply must have participated in volunteer service activities and projects in their communities or schools. These awards make a significant statement to youth about the importance of intellectual development and community involvement.

Award: up to $6,500

Eligibility requirements:
- Current high school seniors planning to enroll for the first time in full-time undergraduate study at an accredited two-year or four-year college or university in the U.S..
- Cumulative high school grade point average of 3.25 on a 4.0 scale. Renewal GPA must be a minimum 2.75

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Dependent children of U.S. based regular full-time and part-time Alcatel-Lucent employees represented by the CWA*. Employees must have completed six months of continuous employment and be actively employed at the time of announcement, at the time of award, and at the time of any subsequent renewal. The program covers natural or legally adopted children and stepchildren living with the employee for six months or more during the 12 months preceding the date of initial application and each renewal.

How to apply: http://sms.scholarshipamerica.org/alcatel-lucent/index.html

Scholarship deadline: December, applications opens in October

Contact information:
Alcatel-Lucent Academic Awards Program
Scholarship Management Services – S. Fredrickson
One Scholarship Way
Saint Peter, MN 56082
Email: sfredrickson@scholarshipamerica.org
Toll-free telephone: 1-800-537-4180 ext 426 or (507) 931-0426

Miscellaneous: May reapply yearly based on GPA.

Category: High School Senior
Michigan Retailers Foundation Scholarship

**Name of Sponsor:** Michigan Retailers Association

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor is the nation’s largest state trade association of general merchandise retailers.

**Award:** $500 (for community college) and $1,000 (for public or private college students).

**Eligibility requirements:** To be eligible, the student applicant or a parent or guardian must work at a business that is a member of MRA. High school seniors and college freshmen, sophomores and juniors may apply.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Complete online application. Applications are available in January of each year.

**How to apply:** [http://www.retailers.com/mra/events/scholarships-competition.html](http://www.retailers.com/mra/events/scholarships-competition.html)

**Scholarship deadline:** April 1st

**Contact information:**
Michigan Retailers Association
603 South Washington Avenue
Lansing, Michigan 48933
517.372.5656 ext. 313
toll-free: 800.366.3699 ext. 313
fax: 517.372.1303
E-mail: mra@retailers.com

**Miscellaneous:** Financial need is not a consideration

**Category:** High School Seniors and Undergraduates

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Michigan Tuition Incentive Program

**Name of Sponsor:** Michigan Higher Education Assistance Authority

**Information about sponsor:** The goal of the Student Scholarships and Grants (SSG) is to help students pay for college and provide a "one-stop-shop" for the administration of Michigan's scholarships and grants programs.

**Award:** Full tuition for up to 2 years, and up to $2,000 for the next two years

**Eligibility requirements:** Students must be enrolled in courses leading to an associate degree or certificate. Students must meet a Medicaid eligibility history requirement. Eligible students must apply prior to high school graduation or GED completion.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:**
- Provide evidence of eligibility to the financial aid office of the college.
- Must complete the acceptance form and return it to SSG no later than August 31 of the academic year in which the student graduates from high school or completes the GED.
- Obtain a high school diploma, certificate of completion, or GED certificate prior to age 20.
- Be enrolled at least half time in a program earning less than 80 semester or 120 term credits.
- Be a Michigan resident as determined by institutional criteria.
- Be a U.S. citizen, permanent resident, or approved refugee.

**How to apply:** [http://www.michigan.gov/mistudentaid/0,4636,7-128-60969_61016-274565--00.html](http://www.michigan.gov/mistudentaid/0,4636,7-128-60969_61016-274565--00.html)

**Scholarship deadline:** See website for more details

**Contact information:**
Michigan Higher Education Assistance Authority
Office of Scholarships and Grants, P.O. Box 30462
Lansing, MI 48909
Phone: 888-447-2687
Fax: 517-241-5835
E-mail: ssg@michigan.gov

**Miscellaneous:** Can be eligible as early as nine years old.

**Category:** High School Senior
The Hubertus W.V. Willems Scholarship for Male Students

Name of Sponsor: Poise Foundation

Information about sponsor: The POISE Foundation’s goal is to assist Pittsburgh and Allegheny County’s Black community to grow its ability to become self-sustaining.

Award: $3,000

Eligibility requirements:
- Be a male majoring in one of the following: Engineering, Chemistry, Physics or Mathematical Sciences.
- Be a US citizen.
- Be currently enrolled or accepted to an accredited college in the United States.
- NAACP membership and participation is highly desirable.
- Must demonstrate financial need based on the federal poverty guidelines.

Criteria for awarding scholarship:
Graduating High School Seniors and Undergraduate Students:
- Must be full-time student.
- Must possess a grade point average of 2.5 (C+) on a 4.0 system.
Graduate Students
- May be full or part-time student.
- Must possess a 3.0 (B) average on a 4.0 system.

How to apply: http://www.poisefoundation.org/component/content/article/179.html

Scholarship deadline: March 16

Contact information:
POISE Foundation
Two Gateway Center, Suite 1700
603 Stanwix Street
Pittsburgh, PA 15222
Phone: 412-281-4967
Fax: 412-562-0292

Miscellaneous: Application opens in January

Category: High School Senior, Undergraduate, and Graduate

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National Association of Hispanic Journalists

Name of Sponsor: PepsiCo Foundation

Information about sponsor: This sponsor is a consumer Products Company focused on convenient foods and beverages.

Award: $2,500

Eligibility requirements: Applicants must:
- Be a U.S. citizen or legal resident;
- Be a current high school senior in (Detroit, MI, Dallas, TX, Hayward/San Jose, CA, Los Angeles, CA and Miami, FL);
- Have a cumulative G.P.A. between 2.5 and 3.5 (on a 4.0 scale);
- Demonstrate financial need; and
- Plan to enroll full-time in an accredited two- or four-year college or university or vocational-technical school in the U.S.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: In addition of a complete application, candidates must submit a transcript, a recommendation and the first two pages of a parent’s (or legal guardians) most recently completed IRS 1040 tax form.

How to apply: http://nahj.org/scholarships/

Scholarship deadline: April 15

Contact information:
PepsiCo Foundation Diamond Scholars Program
Scholarship Management Services,
One Scholarship Way, P. O. Box 297
Saint Peter, MN 56082
Phone: (507) 932-0426

Category: High School Seniors, Undergraduate & Graduate Students
National Future Farmers of America

**Name of Sponsor:** National FFA Organization

**Information about sponsor:** Scholarships are sponsored by businesses and individuals through the National FFA Foundation and are given for a wide variety of experiences, career goals and higher education plans. The selection process takes into account the whole student - FFA involvement, work experience, Supervised Agricultural Experience (SAE), community service, leadership skills and academics.

**Award:** See website for more details

**Eligibility requirements:**
- Be no more than 23 years of age;
- Current FFA members unless otherwise stated;
- Have a valid mailing address in the U.S.;
- Plan to attend post-secondary school in the U.S.;
- High school senior or currently enrolled in college; and
- Full-time student if enrolled in a post-secondary institution (minimum 12 credit hours).

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** See application for more details.

**How to apply:**
https://www.ffa.org/programs/grantsandscholarships/Scholarships/Pages/default.aspx

**Scholarship deadline:** Available online from Nov. 15th – Feb. 8th (5pm EST)

**Contact information:**
National FFA Organization
P.O. Box 68960, 6060 FFA Drive
Indianapolis, IN 46268-0960
Phone: 317-802-6060
Email: scholarships@ffa.org

**Category:** High School Seniors

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National Peace Essay Contest

**Name of Sponsor:** United States Institute of Peace

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor is an independent, nonpartisan institution established and funded by Congress. Its goals are to help prevent and resolve violent international conflicts, promote post-conflict stability and development, and increase conflict management capacity, tools, and intellectual capital worldwide.

**Award:** $1,000

**Eligibility requirements:** Students are eligible to participate if they are in grades nine through twelve in any of the fifty states, the District of Columbia, the U.S. territories, or if they are U.S. citizens attending high school overseas. Students may be attending a public, private, or parochial school or participating in a high school correspondence program. Entries from home-schooled students are also accepted.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** In a 1500-word essay, answers a specific question. See website for question.

**How to apply:** [http://www.usip.org/academy/national-peace-essay-contest-high-school-students/awards-and-eligibility](http://www.usip.org/academy/national-peace-essay-contest-high-school-students/awards-and-eligibility)

**Scholarship deadline:** February 11

**Contact information:**
National Peace Essay Contest
United States Institute of Peace
Phone: (202) 429-1985
e-mail: essaycontest@usip.org

**Category:** High School Students (9th-12th grade)
Academic Competitiveness Grants (ACG) And National Science And Mathematics Access To Retain Talent Grants (SMART)

Name of Sponsor: U.S. Department of Education

Information about sponsor: This sponsor promotes student achievement and preparation for global competitiveness by fostering educational excellence and ensuring equal access.

Award: $750–$4,000

Eligibility requirements:
- Be a U.S. citizen;
- Be a Federal Pell Grant recipient;
- Be enrolled full-time in a degree program;
- Be enrolled in a four-year degree-granting institution;
- Major in physical, life or computer science, engineering, mathematics, technology, or a critical foreign language; and
- Have at least a cumulative 3.0 grade point average on a 4.0 scale (as set forth in regulations to be promulgated soon).


Scholarship deadline: See website for more information: http://www.studentaid.ed.gov/PORTALSWebApp/students/english/SmartGrants.jsp

Contact information:
Darryl Davis
Email: darryl.davis@ed.gov;
Phone: (202) 502-7657
U.S. Department of Education, OPE
Higher Education Programs
Institutional Development and Undergraduate Education Service
Robert C. Byrd Honors Scholarship Program
1990 K Street, N.W., 6th floor
Washington, DC 20006-8512

Miscellaneous: The amount of the SMART Grant, when combined with a Pell Grant, may not exceed the student's cost of attendance.

Category: High School and Undergraduate

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NSBE Scholarships

Name of Sponsor: National Society of Black Engineers

Information about sponsor: This sponsor helps to increase the number of minority students studying engineering at both the undergraduate and graduate levels.

Award: $500-$10,500

Eligibility requirements:
- Be an ACTIVE, PAID NSBE member.
- Submit your transcript for GPA confirmation to World Head Quarters (Fall 2010 or LATER).

How to apply: http://www.nsbe.org/programs/scholarships.aspx

Scholarship deadline: Deadline varies with scholarship. See website for more information.

Contact information:
Contact the Programs Services Department at NSBE Headquarters:
205 Daingerfield Road
Alexandria, VA 22314
Phone: 703.549.2207
Fax: 703.683.5312
E-mail at programs@nsbe.org

Miscellaneous: Each scholarship recipient cannot be awarded more than two (2) scholarships in a given program year. Members that apply for more than one scholarship that has an internship requirement. MUST rank acceptance of scholarship for awarding, if selected as a recipient. (A member cannot accept both internships for a given time period, thus must decide prior to selection which scholarship/internship they would want to accept in priority order.)

Category: High School, Undergraduate and Graduate
**Ordoñez Family Scholarship Fund**

**Name of Sponsor:** Community Foundation for Southeastern Michigan

**Information about sponsor:** The Community Foundation helps individuals, businesses, nonprofit organizations and other foundations meet their charitable goals.

**Award:** $2,500

**Eligibility requirements:** To be eligible, applicants must be a resident of southwest Detroit, demonstrate financial need, and have attended a southwest Detroit high school for their entire secondary education.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Along with a completed application, applicants must submit a personal statement on whom and what has influenced you and your educational and career goals, a recommendation and a Demonstration of family economic need by completion of the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid).

**How to apply:** https://cfsem.org/scholarships

**Scholarship deadline:** May 1 each year

**Contact information:**
Ordoñez Family Scholarship Fund
Community Foundation for Southeast Michigan
333 West Fort, Suite 2010
Detroit, Michigan 48226
Phone: (313) 961-6675

**Category:** High School Seniors and Undergraduates

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**QuestBridge College Prep Scholarship**

**Name of Sponsor:** QuestBridge

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor provides a single, internet-based meeting point which links exceptional students with the colleges, scholarship providers, employers, and organizations seeking students who have excelled despite obstacles.

**Award:** Full Tuition scholarship

**Eligibility requirements:** Applicants must be high school juniors who are high academic achievers and have a demonstrated financial need.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** See application for more details.

**How to apply:** [http://www.questbridge.org/for-students/cps-college-prep-scholarship](http://www.questbridge.org/for-students/cps-college-prep-scholarship)

**Scholarship deadline:** February (See website for further details)

**Contact information:**
115 Everett Avenue
Palo Alto, CA 94301
888.275.2054 (toll-free)
650.331.3280 (Tel)
800.298.8580 (Faxing Recommendations)
650.653.2516 (Fax)
Email: questions@questbridge.org

**Category:** High School Juniors
Robert Holmes Scholarship Program

**Name of Sponsor:** Community Foundation for Southeastern Michigan

**Information about sponsor:** The Community Foundation helps individuals, businesses, nonprofit organizations and other foundations meet their charitable goals.

**Award:** $1,000

**Eligibility requirements:** Applicants must be dependents of eligible Michigan Teamsters and high school seniors who will attend a Michigan college or university in the fall of the award year as a full-time student.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Applicants should show a strong scholastic performance while in high school or significant academic improvement in each successive year, achieving the equivalent of a B average at graduation, demonstrate exemplary qualities of leadership in school, extra-curricular activities, and the community and have applied or been accepted as a full-time, first-year student at an accredited post-secondary educational certificate/degree program; e.g., a four-year or two-year public/private college or university, a two-year technical college, or other accredited educational institution located in Michigan.

**How to apply:** Applications are available at any Teamster Union Local throughout the state of Michigan.

**Scholarship deadline:** May 1 each year

**Contact information:**
Robert Holmes Scholarship Program
Community Foundation for Southeastern Michigan
333 West Fort, Suite 2010
Detroit, Michigan 48226
(313) 961-6675

**Category:** High School Seniors

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Ron Brown Scholar Program

**Name of Sponsor:** Ron Brown Scholar Program

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor helps to accelerate the progress of African Americans into the mainstream of leadership in business, education, government and a wide spectrum of professions, while instilling a strong dedication to leadership and public service.

**Award:** $40,000 ($10,000 per academic year)

**Eligibility requirements:** This program is open to all high school seniors who are US citizens or permanent, excel academically, exhibit exceptional leadership potential, participate in community service activities and demonstrate financial need.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Applicant must submit a complete application, an official transcript, ACT or SAT scores and two letters of recommendation. See application for more details.

**How to apply:** [http://www.ronbrown.org/Apply/ApplicationDownload.aspx](http://www.ronbrown.org/Apply/ApplicationDownload.aspx)

**Scholarship deadline:** November 1st & January 9th (See website for further details)

**Contact information:**
Ron Brown Scholar Program
1160 Pepsi Place, Suite 206
Charlottesville, VA 22901
Phone: 434 964 1588
Fax: 434 964 1589
E-mail: info@ronbrown.org

**Miscellaneous:** Due to the volume of applications received, the Ron Brown Scholar Program can only notify semi-finalists and finalists of their status in the competition.

**Category:** High School Seniors
Rosa L. Parks Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: The Rosa L. Parks Scholarship Foundation

Information about sponsor: This sponsor is dedicated to awarding scholarships to Michigan high school seniors who hold close to Mrs. Parks’ ideals while demonstrating academic skills, community involvement and economic need.

Award: $2,000

Eligibility requirements:
- Be a senior attending a public or private Michigan High School;
- Graduate by August of the application year;
- Have GPA of 2.5 or above;
- Complete an application form and essay;
- Furnish official copies of high school transcript and ACT or SAT results; and
- And, meet additional requirements as noted in application package.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See application

How to apply: See website in January
http://rosaparksscholarshipfoundation.org/

Contact information:
The Rosa L. Parks Scholarship Foundation
P.O. Box 950
Detroit, MI 48231
Email: info@rosaparksscholarship.org
Phone: (313) 222-2538

Category: High School Seniors

SEED Scholar Program

Name of Sponsor: SEED Foundation

Information about sponsor: The SEED Foundation is a leading national non-profit organization providing innovative scholarship opportunities for Indian high school students.

Award: $10,000

Eligibility requirements:
- Must be of Asian-Indian heritage with at least one parent of Indian ancestry
- Must be a graduating U.S. high school senior (Class of 2014)
- Have a minimum G.P.A of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale
- Must enroll as a full-time undergraduate student in a U.S. university in the Fall of 2014
- Must be a legal resident of the United States

Criteria for awarding scholarship:
Note that the scholarship can be applied to tuition expenses only. Room and board and other related expenses cannot be covered by the SEED Scholarship

How to apply: http://www.seedfoundation.org/scholarship.html

Scholarship deadline: April 13

Contact information:
The SEED Foundation,
1325 Lance Lane,
Carol Stream, IL 60188
Email: info@seedfoundation.org
Phone: (630) 833-8599

Miscellaneous: Application opens in December

Category: High School Senior
Simon Youth Foundation Community Scholarships

**Name of Sponsor:** Simon Youth Foundation

**Information about sponsor:** A national 501(c)(3) public charity headquartered in Indianapolis, Ind., Simon Youth Foundation, or SYF, ignites hope through educational opportunities for students who are at risk of dropping out of high school.

**Award:** $1,500 - $2,500

**Eligibility requirements:** Check website for more details

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** The awards are primarily targeted at first-generation college students, and recipients also are selected based on financial need, academic performance, leadership skills, school participation and community, or civic, activities.

**How to apply:** [http://www.syf.org/our-initiatives/scholarships/community-application/](http://www.syf.org/our-initiatives/scholarships/community-application/)

**Scholarship deadline:** Check website for more details

**Contact information:**
Simon Youth Foundation Community Scholarship
Scholarship Management Services – Jason Anderson
One Scholarship Way
Saint Peter, MN 56082
Email: janderson@ScholarshipAmerica.org
Telephone: (507) 931-1682 Toll-Free Telephone: 1-800-537-4180


**Category:** High School Senior

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Society of Women Engineers Scholarship

**Name of Sponsor:** Society of Women Engineers

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor is a not-for-profit educational and service organization that empowers women to succeed and advance in the field of engineering, and to be recognized for their life-changing contributions as engineers and leaders.

**Award:** Varies

**Eligibility requirements:** SWE Scholarships are only open to women pursuing baccalaureate or graduate degrees in engineering or computer science, as well as engineering and computer science students enrolled in ABET-accredited engineering programs.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** See application in December

**How to apply:** [http://societyofwomenengineers.swe.org/index.php/scholarships#activePanels](http://societyofwomenengineers.swe.org/index.php/scholarships#activePanels)

**Contact information:**
Society of Women Engineers
203 N La Salle Street, Suite 1675
Chicago, IL 60601
Phone: 1.877.793.4636
Email: hq@swe.org

**Category:** High School Seniors, Undergraduates and Graduates
Southern Wayne County Regional Chamber Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: Community Foundation for Southeastern Michigan

Information about sponsor: The Community Foundation helps individuals, businesses, nonprofit organizations and other foundations meet their charitable goals.

Award: $1,000 (non-renewable)

Eligibility requirements: See Website for further details.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See Website for further details.

How to apply: http://cfsem.org/sites/cfsem.org/files/so_wayne_co-2013.pdf

Scholarship deadline: See Website for further details.

Contact information:
Community Foundation for Southeast Michigan
Phone: (313) 961-6675

Category: High School Seniors & Undergraduate

State Farm Companies Foundation Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: State Farm Companies Foundation

Information about sponsor: The Foundation provides support for key initiatives and scholarships, as well as associate-directed programs, including grants supporting volunteerism and matching gifts to two- and four-year colleges and universities. These programs support the communities where State Farm associates live and work.

Award: $3,000 - $8,000

Eligibility requirements: Only children or legal dependents of a State Farm agent, retiree or company employee are eligible.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See website for more information


Scholarship deadline: See website for more information

Contact information:
For complete program information and access to the entry form, please visit Foundation Scholarship or contact Michelle Wojda at 309-766-3587.

Miscellaneous: The children of agents' staff employees are not eligible to participate in this scholarship program, as well as grandchildren of agents, retirees, and company employees.

Category: High School Senior
Steve Smith Pershing High MSU Scholarship for Academic Achievement

Name of Sponsor: Steve Smith Scholarship Fund

Information about sponsor: This mission of this sponsor is to encourage students who have demonstrated the capacity to achieve educational and professional goals, the motivation to achieve these goals and the initiative to seek opportunities to further their progress.

Award: $13,000 per year (renewable up to four years)

Eligibility requirements: The Steve Smith/Pershing High School/MSU Academic Achievement Scholarship is available only to full-time Detroit Pershing High School students who will enter Michigan State University fall semester following your senior year. Preference will be given to students who are not recipients of an MSU athletic scholarship.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Student must submit a completed application.

How to apply:
http://admissions.msu.edu/documents/Steve_Smith_Scholarship_Application.pdf

Scholarship deadline: March 15 annually

Contact information:
Pershing High School
Guidance and Counseling Office
18875 Ryan Road
Detroit, MI. 48234-1917
Phone: (313) 866-7700
Email: steve@stevesmithcharitablefund.org

Category: High School Seniors

Susan G. Komen College Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: Susan G. Komen for the Cure

Information about sponsor: This sponsor is dedicated to curing breast cancer at every stage - from the causes to the cures, to the pain and anxiety of every moment in between.

Award: Up to $10,000

Eligibility requirements:
- Must have lost a parent/guardian to breast cancer or be a breast cancer survivor diagnosed at 25 years or younger;
- Must be a high school senior, college freshman, sophomore or junior;
- Must plan to attend a state-supported college or university in the state where they permanently reside (students in Washington DC can attend state-supported schools in Maryland and Virginia);
- Must have a high school and/or college GPA of 2.8 on a 4.0 scale;
- Must be no older than 25 years old by May of the application year;
- Must be a U.S. citizen, or documented permanent resident of the U.S. (or US Territory); and
- Never at any time have been subject to any disciplinary action by any institution or entity, including, but not limited to, any educational or law enforcement agency.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See website for application

How to apply:
http://ww5.komen.org/ResearchGrants/CollegeScholarshipAward.html

Scholarship deadline: October 15th

Contact information:
Email: collegescholarships@komen.org

Category: High School Seniors and Undergraduates
SWE Detroit High School Scholarship Program

**Name of Sponsor:** Society of Women Engineers- Detroit Section

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor is a not-for-profit educational and service organization that empowers women to succeed and advance in the field of engineering, and to be recognized for their life-changing contributions as engineers and leaders.

**Award:** $1,000 - $3,000

**Eligibility requirements:**
- Females in their senior year at a Michigan high school.
- Accepted into a university or college for the fall term following graduation.
- Pursuing an engineering degree program that is ABET-accredited.
- Must include academic information completed by high school counselor. Applications without a counselor signature will not be considered.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Applicants must submit a complete application, an official transcript and an essay describing why you want to be an engineer.

**How to apply:** [http://www.swe.org/SWE/RegionH/Detroit/student.html](http://www.swe.org/SWE/RegionH/Detroit/student.html)

**Scholarship deadline:** See website for further details.

**Contact information:**
SWE Detroit Section
ATTN: Shannon Atchison
Society of Women Engineers, Detroit Section
PO Box 2978
Southfield, MI 48037-2978
Email: Shannon.Aitchison@swe.org
Phone: (586) 453-3745

**Category:** High School Senior

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The Buick Achievers Scholarship Program

**Name of Sponsor:** General Motors Foundation

**Information about sponsor:** Over the past ten years, the GM Foundation has donated more than $350 million to send students to college, educate parents on how to keep children safe in and around vehicles, promote diversity and support vital non-profit organizations.

**Award:** Up to $25,000 per year for four years

**Eligibility requirements:**
- Be high school seniors or graduates or be current undergraduate students;
- Plan to enroll in full-time undergraduate study at an accredited U.S. four-year college or university for the entire 2012-13 academic year (excluding proprietary and online schools);
- Plan to major in a specified course of study that focuses on Engineering/Technology or select Design and Business-related programs of study. See the list of eligible majors;
- Be interested in pursuing a career in the automotive or related industries; and
- Be U.S. citizens and have permanent residence in the United States.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Academic achievement and financial need, Participation and leadership in community and school activities, work experience and interest in pursuing a career in the automotive or related industry. Please note special consideration will be given to the following applicants: first-generation college, female, minority, military veteran or a dependent of military personnel.

**How to apply:** [http://www.buickachievers.com/file/buickGuidelines.pdf](http://www.buickachievers.com/file/buickGuidelines.pdf)

**Scholarship deadline:** See website for further details.

**Contact information:**
Email: buickachievers@scholarshipamerica.org (Include your phone number and the best time to receive a phone call between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. CT (-6 GMT) with all inquires to Scholarship Management Service.
Phone: 1-800-537-4180

**Miscellaneous:** Excluded from consideration are employees and relatives of employees of Scholarship Management Services, Scholarship America and their affiliates and subcontractors, and GM Foundation Directors, Officers, and staff and their relatives. Although GM employees are not eligible, relatives of General Motors employees are eligible.

**Category:** High School Senior and Undergraduates
**The Davis-Putter Scholarship**

**Name of Sponsor**: The Davis-Putter Scholarship Fund

**Information about sponsor**: The Davis-Putter Scholarship Fund provides grants to students actively working for peace and justice. These need-based scholarships are awarded to those able to do academic work at the university level and who are part of the progressive movement on the campus and in the community.

**Award**: up to $10,000

**Eligibility requirements**:
- Three copies of your completed application form.
- Three copies of your personal statement, no longer than 1,000 words,
- The original and two copies of the transcripts of your previous academic work.
- The original and two copies of signed letters of support from two people able to evaluate your political work.
- Three copies of the Student Aid Report (SAR)
- One recent glossy passport-like color portrait photograph of you alone

**Criteria for awarding scholarship**: Active participation in struggles for civil rights, economic justice, international solidarity or other progressive issues. Completed applications must be postmarked by April 1 and will include a short personal statement, transcripts, letters of support from two people able to evaluate the applicant’s current political work, an official financial statement (i.e., FAFSA or SAR), and a passport-like photograph suitable for reproduction.

**How to apply**: [http://www.davisputter.org/apply/apply-for-scholarships/](http://www.davisputter.org/apply/apply-for-scholarships/)

**Scholarship deadline**: April 1

**Contact information**:
Davis-Putter Scholarship Fund
Post Office Box 7307
New York, NY 10116-7307

**Miscellaneous**: The scholarships are for normal educational and living expenses. The Fund is not a source to fund research or field work.

**Category**: High School Senior, Undergraduate, and Graduate

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**The Gates Millennium Scholars Program**

**Name of Sponsor**: Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation

**Information about sponsor**: This sponsor promotes academic excellence and to provide an opportunity for outstanding minority students with significant financial need to reach their highest potential.

**Eligibility requirements**: Applicants must
- Be African American, American Indian/Alaska Native*, Asian Pacific Islander American or Hispanic American;
- Be a citizen, national or legal permanent resident of the United States;
- Have attained a cumulative high school GPA of 3.3 on an unweighted 4.0 scale or have earned a GED;
- Will be enrolling for the first time at a U.S. accredited college or university as a full-time, degree-seeking, first-year student in the fall;
- Have demonstrated leadership abilities through participation in community service, extracurricular, or other activities;
- Meet the Federal Pell Grant eligibility criteria; and
- Have completed and submitted all three required forms (Nominee Personal Information form, Nominator form, and Recommender form) by the deadline.

**How to apply**: [http://www.gmsp.org/publicweb/aboutus.aspx](http://www.gmsp.org/publicweb/aboutus.aspx)

**Scholarship deadline**: January 16

**Contact information**:
Gates Millennium Scholars
P.O. Box 10500
Fairfax, VA 22031-8044
Toll-Free Phone: 1-877-690-4677

**Miscellaneous**: First time enrollees can also be GED recipients

**Category**: High School Senior
The Jackie Robinson Foundation’s Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: The Jackie Robinson Foundation

Information about sponsor: This sponsor is a public, not-for-profit national organization that provides financial aid, mentoring and education and leadership development training for students.

Award: Up to $7,500 annually

Eligibility requirements: This program is open to all high school seniors who are US citizens or permanent and plan to attend an accredited four-year college or university.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: In addition to a complete application, candidates must submit SAT (minimum score 1000) or ACT(composite score of 22) scores, an official transcript (with raised seal) and one letter of recommendation.

How to apply: http://www.jackierobinson.org/apply/application.php

Scholarship deadline: February 15th @5pm (ET)

Contact information:
Jackie Robinson Foundation
Attn: Scholarship Application
One Hudson Square
75 Varick Street, 2nd Floor
New York, NY 10013
Phone: (Toll-Free): 866.986.1601 x 7095 (option 2)
(Direct): 301. 907.7095
E-mail: customerservice@infosnap.com

Miscellaneous: all applicants are required to take either the SAT or the ACT and submit their scores. The Foundation's college codes are:
- SAT: 4248
- ACT: 6570

Please note that the College Board is NOT responsible for delivering your ACT/SAT test scores to the Foundation on time.

Category: High School Senior

The Louie Foundation Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: The Kim and Harold Louie Family Foundation

Information about sponsor: The Kim and Harold Louie Family Foundation was established to honor the memory of their parents and to fund qualified organizations engaged in healthcare, including but not limited to, those organizations caring for and supporting disabled people, organizations engaged in medical research and such other organizations that seek to improve the conditions and technologies for sick and disabled people.

Award: $4,000

Eligibility requirements:
- Minimum 3.5 GPA; SAT score of 1900 or ACT score of 27.
- Special consideration will be noted for applicants whose parents did not attend college, whose parents are United States veterans, who have overcome significant adversity, or who are first-generation immigrants to the United States.

Criteria for awarding scholarship:
- Proof of eligibility
- Financial need
- Academic achievement
- Proof of acceptance to college, personal essays, SAR, proof of citizenship or legal residency.

Scholarship deadline: March 15

Contact information:
The Kim and Harold Louie Family Foundation – Scholarship
445 Pullman Rd.
Hillsborough, CA 94010
Fax: 650-490-3153
Email: louiefoundation@gmail.com
Web: www.louiefamilyfoundation.org

Miscellaneous: Students can attend a college, university or vocational school

Category: High School Senior
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<td><strong>Information about sponsor:</strong> The Print and Graphics Scholarship Foundation (PGSF) is a not-for-profit, private, industry-directed organization that dispenses undergraduate college scholarships and graduate fellowship assistance to talented men and women interested in graphic communication careers.</td>
<td><strong>Information about sponsor:</strong> This sponsor serves individual and institutional customers worldwide by offering a variety of products and services, including mutual funds, annuities, real estate brokerage franchises, relocation services, and more.</td>
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<td><strong>Award:</strong> Up to $5,000</td>
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<td><strong>Eligibility requirements:</strong></td>
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<td>• Pursuing a career in graphic communications, printing technology, printing management or publishing.</td>
<td>• Is in grades 5–12 as of November 4.</td>
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<td>• A high school senior or high school graduate.</td>
<td>• Has engaged in a volunteer activity that occurred at least partly during the 12 months prior to the date of application.</td>
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<td>• A student who is enrolled in a two or four year accredited graphic or printing program at a technical school, college or university within the United States.</td>
<td>• Completes an application form following all directions carefully, and submits it to a school principal or the head of an officially designated local organization by November 4.</td>
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<td>• Applicant must be a full-time student.</td>
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<td>• be certified by the principal of a middle level or high school or the head of an officially designated local organization.</td>
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<td><strong>Criteria for awarding scholarship:</strong> Unless otherwise specified, scholarships are renewable annually. Students must maintain a 3.0 cumulative GPA, continue at the school in which they originally enrolled, and continue to major in graphic communication. If a student’s grades fall below 3.0, funds will be withheld.</td>
<td><strong>How to apply:</strong> <a href="http://spirit.prudential.com/view/page/soc/14830">http://spirit.prudential.com/view/page/soc/14830</a></td>
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<td>International Scholarship and Tuition Services</td>
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<td>Print and Graphics Scholarship Foundation</td>
<td>200 Crutchfield Avenue</td>
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<td>Attn: Bernie Eckert</td>
<td>Nashville, TN 37210</td>
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<td>200 Deer Run Road</td>
<td>Phone: 1-877-525-8491 (toll free)</td>
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### The Thurgood Marshall College Fund Scholarship

**Name of Sponsor:** The Thurgood Marshall College Fund

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor helps to develop and prepare a new generation of leaders by providing scholarships, resources, opportunities and advocacy to Public Historically Black Colleges & Universities, students and alumni.

**Award:** Average awards are $3,100 per student per semester

**Eligibility requirements:** See application

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** In addition to a complete application, students must submit an essay, a resume, a letter of recommendation & a transcript.

**How to apply:** [http://www.thurgoodmarshallfund.net/scholarship/about-scholarships-program](http://www.thurgoodmarshallfund.net/scholarship/about-scholarships-program)

**Scholarship deadline:** See website in February for deadline

**Contact information:**
The Thurgood Marshall College Fund 77 Water Street, 8th Floor New York, NY 10005 Phone: (212) 573-8888 Fax: (646) 722-4218

**Miscellaneous:**
- Are merit based; however, applicants must have a financial need to qualify.
- Awardees must re-apply annually for renewal.
- Are restricted for payment of tuition, on campus room and board, books and fees.
- Are paid to the college or university on behalf of the students to be credited to their school accounts. Awards are not paid directly to students.

**Category:** High School Senior and Undergraduate

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### Tom Joyner Full Ride Scholarship

**Name of Sponsor:** The Tom Joyner Foundation

**Information about sponsor:** To provide programming initiatives and partnerships in support of historically black colleges and universities (HBCU) and its communities.

**Award:** Full Tuition and Expenses

**Eligibility requirements:**
- A United States Citizen
- Current high school seniors attending school in the United States
- Minimum high school grade point average of 3.50 (on a 4.00 grade scale, excluding home school studies) and Minimum SAT score of 2100 (combined math essay and verbal score) or ACT score of 30.
- Applicants must apply and be accepted to an HBCU by July 1
- Applicants must have demonstrated leadership abilities through participation in community service, extracurricular, or other activities.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Students will be selected as finalists based on their academic accomplishments, intellectual and creative distinctions, extracurricular activities, letters of reference, and original essays. Finalists will be invited for a required interview with members of the Full Scholarship Selection Committee.

**How to apply:** [http://tomjoynerfoundation.org/category/scholarships/tjf-full-ride-scholars/](http://tomjoynerfoundation.org/category/scholarships/tjf-full-ride-scholars/)

**Scholarship deadline:** January 16

**Contact information:**
The Tom Joyner Foundation, Attn: Full Ride Scholarship Committee, PO Box 630495 Irving, Texas 75063. Address questions to the TJF Full Ride Program. Phone: 972-789-1058 or Fax: 972-789-1428.

**Miscellaneous:** One scholarship will be awarded

**Category:** High School Senior
**USDA/1890 National Scholars Program**

**Name of Sponsor:** United States Department of Agriculture: Office of the Assistant Secretary of Civil Rights.

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor provides overall leadership, coordination, and direction for USDA’s civil rights programs, including matters related to program delivery, compliance and equal employment opportunity.

**Award:** Full tuition, Employment with the USDA during the summer and after graduation, Employee benefits while employed with USDA, Fees, Books, Use of a laptop computer, printer, and software while on scholarship, Room and board for each of the 4 academic years.

**Eligibility requirements:**
- Be a U.S. citizen;
- Be an entering freshman;
- Hold a high school diploma or G.E.D. certificate;
- Have a high school GPA of 3.0 or better;
- Have a combined verbal/math score of 1000 or more on the SAT or a composite score of 21 or more on the ACT;
- Attend one of the eighteen 1890 Historically Black Land-Grant Institutions;
- Study agriculture, food, natural resource sciences, or other related disciplines; and
- Demonstrate leadership and community service.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** See application.

**How to apply:** Obtain an application by mail or by email.
http://www.outreach.usda.gov/education/1890/

**Scholarship deadline:** April 30

**Contact information:**
USDA/1890 Programs
1400 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, DC 20250, Mail Stop 9478
Telephone number: (202) 205-5692
Email: 1890init@usda.gov

**Miscellaneous:** Scholarship offers are usually made within 90 days of application deadline.

**Category:** High School Senior

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**Wal-Mart Associate Scholarship**

**Name of Sponsor:** Wal-Mart Stores, Inc.

**Information about sponsor:** This is a national retailer.

**Award:** $3,000

**Eligibility requirements:** Applicant must be a U.S. Citizen or Permanent Legal Resident of the United States; either actively employed with Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. for at least six consecutive months -OR- the dependent of a Wal-Mart Associate who has less than twelve consecutive months.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** See application

**How to apply:** Application is available in the fall.
http://www.act.org/walmart/associate/

**Scholarship deadline:** See website for further details (students can apply up to 4 times/year)

**Contact information:**
Wal-Mart Associate Scholarship
PO Box 4030
Iowa City, IA 52243-4030
Phone: 1-877-338-0284

**Category:** High School Seniors, GED Students
Wal-Mart Dependent Scholarship

**Name of Sponsor:** Wal-Mart Stores, Inc.

**Information about sponsor:** This is a national retailer.

**Award:** $3,000

**Eligibility requirements:** Applicant must be a U.S. Citizen or Permanent Legal Resident of the United States and may not be a Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. Associate, the dependent of a Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. Associate.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** See application

**How to apply:** Application is available in the fall.

**Scholarship deadline:** March 15th

**Contact information:**
Wal-Mart Stores, Inc.
702 SW 8th Street
Bentonville, Arkansas 72716-8611
Phone: 1-800-Walmart (1-800-925-6278)

**Category:** High School Seniors, GED Students
SCHOLARSHIPS FOR UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS
**ADHA Institute Scholarship Program**

**Name of Sponsor:** ADHA Institute for Oral Health

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor is an organization that provides professional support and educational programs to dental hygienists.

**Award:** varies

**Eligibility requirements:** Varies per scholarship. Scholarship are available for graduate, baccalaureate, and associate and certificates programs. Unless otherwise noted, applicants must demonstrate a cumulative dental hygiene grade point average of at least 3.5 on a 4.0 scale for all scholarships.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** See application for more information.

**How to apply:** [http://www.adha.org/scholarships-and-grants](http://www.adha.org/scholarships-and-grants)

**Scholarship deadline:** Check website for details

**Contact information:**
ADHA Institute for Oral Health
Scholarship Award Program
444 N. Michigan Ave., Ste. 3400
Chicago, IL 60611-3980
Phone: (312) 440-8900, ext. 244

**Category:** Undergraduates and Graduates

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**AIChe Minority Scholarship for College Students**

**Name of Sponsor:** Minority Affairs Committee (MAC) with funding support from Women's Initiative Committee (WIC) and AIChe Foundation.

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor is the world’s leading organization for chemical engineering professionals.

**Award:** $1,000 (a one-time award)

**Eligibility requirements:** Applicants must be AIChe national student members at the time of application, undergraduates in chemical engineering during application year, and members of a minority group (i.e. African-American, Hispanic, Native American, or Alaskan Native) that is underrepresented in chemical engineering. Students may apply who will complete the chemical engineering baccalaureate degree requirements in mid-year (i.e., after one semester, or one or two quarters), but such applicants, if successful, will receive prorated awards. The selection of recipients will be based on the applicant's academic record, participation in AIChe student and professional activities, career objectives, and financial need.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** See application

**How to apply:** [http://www.aiche.org/community/awards/minority-affairs-committees-minority-scholarship-awards-college-students](http://www.aiche.org/community/awards/minority-affairs-committees-minority-scholarship-awards-college-students)

**Scholarship deadline:** August 1

**Contact information:**
American Institute of Chemical Engineers (AIChe)
ATTN: Donia Elsherbeni
3 Park Avenue, 19th Floor
New York, NY 10016-5991
e-mail: donie@aiche.org

**Miscellaneous:** Candidates who receive the scholarship are expected to join their college’s AIChe Student Chapter.

**Category:** Undergraduates
### AICPA Scholarship for Minority Accounting Students

**Name of Sponsor:** American Institute of Certified Public Accountants

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor is the national, professional organization for all Certified Public Accountants.

**Award:** Up to $5,000 (renewable)

**Eligibility requirements:**
- An undergraduate or graduate-level accounting student enrolled full-time for the 2011-12 academic year;
- Black or African American; Hispanic or Latino; Native American or Asian American;
- completed at least 30 semester hours in college coursework with at least 6 semester hours in accounting;
- planning to pursue the CPA credential; and
- a major and overall GPA of 3.3.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** In addition to a complete application, candidates must submit an official transcript, one letter of recommendation, a brief essay and a financial fact sheet.

**How to apply:**
http://www.aicpa.org/Career/DiversityInitiatives/Pages/smas.aspx
Application will be posted in **December**

**Scholarship deadline:** April 1st

**Contact information:**
e-mail: scholarships@aicpa.org

**Category:** Undergraduates and Graduates

### TextbookX.com Scholarship Contest

**Name of Sponsor:** textbookx.com

**Information about sponsor:** It is a discount online bookstore that provides a venue for students to buy and sell textbooks.

**Award:** up to $500 towards textbooks

**Eligibility requirements:** "LIKE" our Facebook page and submit a #Bookshelfie, have your friends and family vote for your photo once every hour. The person with the most votes at the end wins! We are also going to choose two runner-ups who will each win $250.

A #BookShelfie is a selfie with your favorite book. A selfie is a picture taken of yourself by yourself, traditionally on a mobile camera phone.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** See website for more details

**How to apply:** http://www.textbookx.com/scholarship/index.php?action=show

**Scholarship deadline** Check website for more details

**Contact information:**
TextbookX.com
200 Connecticut Avenue
Norwalk, CT 06854

**Category:** Undergraduate and Graduate
**AKA-EAF Academic Scholarship**

**Name of Sponsor:** Alpha Kappa Alpha Educational Advancement Foundation

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor’s mission is to provide financial support to individuals and organizations engaged in lifelong learning.

**Award:** See website for more details

**Eligibility requirements:** This sponsor provides both merit and financial need-based scholarships for undergraduates and graduates.
- Be a full-time, sophomore or beyond;
- Be currently enrolled in an accredited degree-granting institution;
- Have a minimum GPA of 3.0 ("B" average);
- Demonstrate community service and involvement.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Applicants must fill out application and submit three letters of recommendation.

**How to apply:** http://www.akaeaf.org/undergraduate Scholarships.htm

**Scholarship deadline:** April 15th

**Contact information:**
AKA-EAF  
5656 South Stony Island Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60637  
ATTN: Scholarship Application Enclosed

**Category:** Graduate and Undergraduate

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**Allison E. Fisher Scholarship**

**Name of Sponsor:** National Association of Black Journalists

**Information about sponsor:** The Allison E. Fisher Memorial Fund promotes awareness of breast cancer in young women by telling Allison's story, providing scholarships and awards in Allison’s name, and supporting organizations that focus on awareness, action and advocacy of breast health.

**Award:** $2,500

**Eligibility requirements:** The scholarship is open to any foreign or U.S. student who is currently attending an accredited four-year university. All Students must have a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 and will be enrolled in an undergraduate or graduate school during the award year. Eligible students must be currently majoring in journalism-print, photography, radio and television-or planning a career in one of those fields. Previous NABJ scholarship winners are not eligible.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** See website for further details

**How to apply:** http://www.allisonfisherfund.org/awards.asp

**Scholarship deadline:** See website for further details

**Contact information:**
Allison E. Fisher Memorial Fund, Inc.  
PO Box 43402  
Baltimore, MD 21236  
Telephone: (410) 679-0595  
Email: fishers@verizon.net

**Category:** Undergraduate or Graduate
American Hotel & Lodging Education Scholarships

Name of Sponsor: American Hotel & Lodging Education Foundation

Information about sponsor:
Award: Varies by Scholarship

Eligibility requirements: Varies by Scholarship
http://www.ahlef.org/content.aspx?id=19468

Criteria for awarding scholarship:
http://www.ahlef.org/content.aspx?id=19468

How to apply:
https://www.ahlef.org/Scholarships/Academic_Scholarships/

Scholarship deadline: May 1st

Contact information:
American Hotel & Lodging Educational Foundation
1201 New York Avenue, NW, #600
Washington, DC 20005-3931
Tel: 202-289-3100
Fax: 202-289-3199

Category: Undergraduate

Barry M. Goldwater Scholarship Program

Name of Sponsor: Barry M. Goldwater Scholarship and Excellence in Education Program

Information about sponsor: This sponsor provides a continuing source of highly qualified scientists, mathematicians, and engineers by awarding scholarships to college students who intend to pursue careers in these fields.

Award: up to $7,500 annually

Eligibility requirements: Applicants must be a sophomore or junior who is enrolled in a degree program at an accredited U.S. college, pursuing a Bachelor's degree as a full-time student during the forthcoming academic year, maintaining a "B" average, ranked in the upper fourth of his or her class, be a U.S. citizen, national or resident alien (resident aliens must include a letter of the nominee's intent to become a U.S. citizen and a photocopy of the Alien Registration Card) and have selected a field of study that will permit admission to a graduate or professional program in preparation for a career in mathematics, the natural sciences, or engineering.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: First, applicants must be nominated by a Goldwater faculty representative. Then an application must be submitted along with a 600 word essay by the nominee discussing a significant issue or problem in his or her field of study of interest and three letters of recommendation.

How to apply: See your Goldwater representative for application and deadline information. For information about the scholarship, visit the following website: http://www.act.org/goldwater/index.html

Scholarship deadline: January 23, All supporting documents must be received by February 2

Contact information:
Phone: (319) 341-2333
e-mail: goldwater@act.org

Miscellaneous: Award recipients are notified in late March

Category: Undergraduates: Sophomores and Juniors
Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship

**Name of Sponsor:** Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs of the U.S. Dept. of State

**Information about sponsor:** The U.S. Department of State offers many programs for American citizens wishing to go abroad for cultural, educational, or professional exchange. This website provides the information you need to get started.

**Award:** $5,000

**Eligibility requirements:**
- The applicant must be receiving a Federal Pell Grant
- The applicant is applying to or has been accepted into a study abroad program or internship eligible for credit
- The applicant is studying or interning abroad for at least four weeks in one country.
- The applicant is studying or interning abroad in any country except Cuba or a country on the U.S. Department of State's current Travel Warning list.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Open to all U.S. citizen undergraduates, to all majors, and in good academic standing.

**How to apply:** [http://www.iie.org/Programs/Gilman-Scholarship-Program/Application-Process](http://www.iie.org/Programs/Gilman-Scholarship-Program/Application-Process)

**Scholarship deadline:** Varies. See website for more information

**Contact information:**
Gilman Scholarship Program
Institute of International Education
1800 West Loop South, Suite 250
Houston, TX 77027

**Miscellaneous:** Gilman Scholarship recipients can only receive the scholarship once. If a student previously declined the Gilman Scholarship, they are welcome to re-apply, as long as they still meet all eligibility requirements as listed above.

**Category:** Undergraduate

Beth Ann Blanchard Memorial Scholarship

**Name of Sponsor:** Hillsdale County Community Foundation

**Information about sponsor:** This foundation receives and administers funds for artistic, charitable, educational, and scientific purposes in a manner that both promotes the spirit of philanthropy and meets the needs of the people of Hillsdale County.

**Award:** $500

**Eligibility requirements:** Applicant must be a Hillsdale County or Detroit Area resident and maintain permanent residency in that location if chosen as recipient. Also, he or she must have attained a minimum 3.0 GPA at high school graduation, be a third, fourth or fifth year student in an early childhood education program

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Applicants must submit a completed application, a copy of college acceptance letter, a complete copy of the Student Aid Report (SAR), a one page personal essay, two letters of recommendation and a cumulative high school transcript.

**How to apply:** [http://www.aboutccf.org](http://www.aboutccf.org)

**Available November**

**Scholarship deadline:** March 1st

**Contact information:**
Hillsdale County Community Foundation
Attn: Scholarships
2 South Howell St., PO Box 276
Hillsdale, MI 49242
Phone: (517) 439-5101
Fax: (517) 439-5109

**Miscellaneous:** Applicants pursuing a general education major may qualify if there are no applicants that ECE majors

**Category:** Undergraduates
**Bill Kane Scholarship**

Name of Sponsor: American Association for Health Education (AAHE)

Information about sponsor: The American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance (AAHPERD) is the largest organization of professionals supporting and assisting professionals involved in physical education, recreation, fitness, sport and coaching, dance, health education and promotion, and all specialties related to achieving a healthy and active lifestyle.

Award: $1,000

Eligibility requirements: The award is open to any student officially recognized as an undergraduate health education major at an accredited college/university in the United States or a U.S. territory. To be eligible, the applicant must be currently enrolled full-time at a college or university for both the fall and spring semesters of the academic year during which the student is applying. The student must have sophomore, junior, or senior status at the time of application.

Applicants must have a minimum, current overall grade point average of 3.25 on a 4.0

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See website

How to apply: See website

Scholarship deadline: November 15th of each year

Contact information:
AAHE Scholarships
1900 Association Drive
Reston, VA 20191-1599
Phone: 703/476-3437
E-mail: www.aaheinfo.org

Category: Undergraduates

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**CHCI Scholarship**

Name of Sponsor: Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute (CHCI)

Information about sponsor: This sponsor provides Latino students with the tools and resources they need to succeed in attaining a higher education. Its leadership development programs seek to help participants search for and understand their identity as professionals, Latinos, and leaders.

Award: $1,000 - $5,000

Eligibility requirements:
- Consistent active participation in public and/or community service activities;
- Demonstrated financial need;
- Strong writing skills;
- Full-time enrollment in an accredited community college, four-year university, or graduate/professional program during the period for which scholarship is requested; and
- U.S. citizenship or legal permanent residency.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See website

How to apply: See website

Scholarship deadline: See website, application opens late September

Contact information:
Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute
911 2nd Street NE
Washington, DC 20002
Tel: 202-543-1771
Toll Free: 1-800-EXCEL-DC
Fax: 202-546-2143

Category: Community College, Undergraduates and Graduate
Elie Wiesel Prize in Ethics

**Name of Sponsor:** The Elie Wiesel Foundation for Humanity

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor’s mission is to combat indifference, intolerance and injustice through international dialogue and youth-focused programs that promote acceptance, understanding and equality.

**Award:** Up to $5,000

**Eligibility requirements:** Registered undergraduate full-time juniors or seniors at accredited four-year colleges or universities in the United States during the fall of the contest year.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Applicants must submit an entry form and a 3,000 to 4,000 word essay about an ethical issue.

**How to apply:** Visit website for more information: http://www.eliewieselfoundation.org/prizeinethics.aspx Click on essay guidelines for an information sheet.

**Scholarship deadline:** December 8 by 5 p.m. PST

**Contact information:**
The Elie Wiesel Foundation for Humanity
555 Madison Avenue
20th Floor
New York, NY 10022
Fax: 212-490-6006 Telephone: 212-490-7788

**Miscellaneous:** Students entering the contest are required to have a Faculty Sponsor review their essay and sign the Entry Form.

**Category:** Undergraduates: Juniors and Seniors

Ernest F. Hollings Undergraduate Scholarship Program

**Name of Sponsor:** National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor is a government agency that provides weather and other information.

**Award:** Up to $8,000 (per year)

**Eligibility requirements:**
- Be a U.S. citizen;
- Be currently enrolled or accepted as a full-time 2nd year student in a four-year academic program or as a full-time 3rd year student in a five-year undergraduate program at an accredited college or university within the United States or U.S. territories;
- Earn and maintain a 3.0 grade point average on a 4.0 scale (or equivalent on other identified scale) in all completed undergraduate courses each term and cumulative, as well as an overall GPA of 3.0 in your major field of study. The grade point average requirement applies prior to and at the time of application for a scholarship, for the period between application and award notification, and after award distribution; and
- Have and maintain a declared major in a discipline including, but not limited to, oceanic, environmental, biological, and atmospheric sciences, mathematics, engineering, remote sensing technology, physical and social sciences including geography, physics, hydrology, geomatics, or teacher education that support NOAA's programs and mission.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** See application

**How to apply:** http://www.oesd.noaa.gov/Hollings_info.html
Applications are available September 1st

**Scholarship deadline:** January 30

**Contact information:**
National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
ATTN: Victoria Dancy
Hollings Undergraduate Scholarship
Phone: (301) 713-9437 ext. 206
e-mail: Victoria.G.Dancy@noaa.gov

**Category:** Undergraduates
**FNSNA Scholarship**

**Name of Sponsor:** The Foundation of the National Student Nurses’ Association

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor provides financial and educational opportunities for nursing students.

**Award:** $1,000 to $5,000

**Eligibility requirements:**
U.S. citizens and students with an Alien Registration number currently enrolled in state-approved schools of nursing or pre-nursing in associate degree, baccalaureate, diploma, generic doctorate, and generic master's programs. Funds are not available for graduate study unless it is for a first degree in nursing.

**Graduating high school seniors are NOT eligible.**

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** The scholarships are based on academic achievement, financial need, and involvement in nursing student organizations and community activities related to health care. Additional criteria may be required by some sponsors.

**How to apply:**
http://www.nsna.org/FoundationScholarships/FNSNAScholarships/UndergraduateScholarship.aspx

**Scholarship deadline:** January 16th

**Contact information:**
The Foundation of the National Student Nurses’ Association
Attention: Undergraduate Scholarship Program
45 Main Street Suite 606
Brooklyn, NY 11201
Phone: (718) 210-0705

**Category:** Undergraduates and Graduates

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**Ford Foundation Diversity Fellowship**

**Name of Sponsor:** The National Academies

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor brings together committees of experts in all areas of scientific and technological endeavor. These experts serve *pro bono* to address critical national issues and give advice to the federal government and the public.

**Award:** $20,000 annually up to three years

**Eligibility requirements:**
- All citizens or nationals of the United States regardless of race, national origin, religion, gender, age, disability, or sexual orientation;
- Individuals with evidence of superior academic achievement, such as, grade point average, class rank, honors or other designations;
- Individuals committed to a career in teaching and research at the college or university level;
- Individuals enrolled in or planning to enroll in an eligible research-based program leading to a Ph.D. or Sc.D. degree at a U.S. educational institution; and
- Individuals who have not earned a doctoral degree at any time, in any field.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** In addition to application, must provide three recommendations, a personal statement, an official transcript and GRE scores.

**How to apply:** Application opens in early September
http://sites.nationalacademies.org/PGA/FordFellowships/index.htm

**Scholarship deadline:** November (See website for various deadlines)

**Contact information:**
Fellowships Office, Keck 576
National Research Council
500 Fifth Street, NW
Washington, DC 20001
202-334-2872
web site: http://national-academies.org/fellowships
e-mail: infofell@nas.edu

**Category:** College Seniors and 1st year Graduate Students
**Gem Master’s in Engineering Fellowship**

**Name of Sponsor:** The National GEM Consortium

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor provides graduate fellowships in engineering and science to highly qualified individuals from communities where human capital is virtually untapped.

**Award:**
- $16,000 stipend over 4 semesters / three quarters.
- A minimum of two paid summer internships with a GEM Employer Member.
- Full tuition and fees at a GEM Member University.

**Eligibility requirements:** Applicant must
- Be a senior, or graduate of an engineering or computer science program accredited by the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET) at the time of application;
- Have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.8/4.0;
- Contractually agree to intern with sponsoring GEM Employer for two summers;
- Be a U.S. citizen at the time of applying; and
- Be a member of one of the following minority groups: American Indian/Native, African American/Black and Hispanic American/Latino.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:**

**How to apply:** [http://www.gemfellowship.org/gem-fellowship/application-requirements](http://www.gemfellowship.org/gem-fellowship/application-requirements)

**Scholarship deadline:** January 15

**Contact information:**
Application materials should be submitted via mail or fax to:
The National GEM Consortium
1430 Duke Street
Alexandria, VA 22314
Phone: 703-562-3639
Fax: 202-207-3518

**Category:** College Senior and Graduate Students.

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**GEM PhD Fellowship**

**Name of Sponsor:** The National GEM Consortium

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor provides graduate fellowships in engineering and science to highly qualified individuals from communities where human capital is virtually untapped.

**Award:**
- $16,000 stipend in year 1 of the PhD program;
- GEM Member University provides a living stipend up to the 5th year of the PhD program, equivalent to other funded doctorate students in the department;
- A minimum of one paid summer internship with a GEM Employer Member; and
- Full tuition and fees at a GEM Member University.

**Eligibility requirements:** Applicants must
- Be a senior, masters student, or graduate of an engineering or applied science program accredited by the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET) at the time of application;
- Have a cumulative grade point average of 3.0/4.0;
- Contractually agree to intern with a GEM Employer member the summer immediately after sponsorship;
- Be US citizen at the time of applying; and
- Be a member of one of the following minority groups: American Indian/Native, African American/Black and Hispanic American/Latino.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:**

**How to apply:** [http://www.gemfellowship.org/gem-fellowship/application-requirements](http://www.gemfellowship.org/gem-fellowship/application-requirements)

**Scholarship deadline:** January 15

**Contact information:**
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Fax: 202-207-3518

**Category:** College Senior, Master’s or Graduate Student
General Electric (GE)/LULAC Scholarship

**Name of Sponsor:** League of United Latin American Citizens (LULAC)

**Information about sponsor:** The partnership between the General Electric Foundation and the LNESC Scholarship Program is intended to assist and encourage outstanding minority students in completing their college education. The program is directed specifically to disadvantaged minority students with career interests in business or engineering.

**Award:** $5,000

**Eligibility requirements:** Applicant must be a U.S. citizen or legal resident and a minority student enrolled in full-time studies leading to a bachelor's degree at an accredited college or university in the U.S. and have a minimum 3.25 GPA. Selection is based upon academic performance, performance in business- or engineering-related subjects, likelihood of pursuing a career in business or engineering, writing ability, extracurricular activities, and community involvement.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Application form, college transcript, three letters of reference, and personal statement (300-word maximum) describing professional and career goals. Applicant must be a sophomore in the fall of current year in order to qualify to apply.

**How to apply:** http://www.lnesc.org/site/353/Scholarships/GE-LNESC-Scholarship

**Scholarship deadline:** August 10

**Contact information:**
Marianna Moron, Program Coordinator
2000 L Street Northwest, Suite 610
Washington, DC 20036
(202) 835-9646
(202) 835-9685 (fax)
scholarships@lnesc.org

**Category:** Undergraduate

Harriett G. Jenkins Pre-Doctoral Fellowship Program (JPFP)

**Name of Sponsor:** United Negro College Fund Special Programs Corporation

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor serves as a portal between the visions of minority institutions and the funding priorities of our nation, which will be the premier provider of professional, world-class quality educational and innovative capacity-building programs.

**Award:** Annual stipends for students pursuing doctoral degrees start at $22,000 and $16,000 for masters-level fellows. In addition, annual tuition offsets are $8,500 per year for all fellows.

**Eligibility requirements:** This fellowship is open to any undergraduate senior of graduate student who is a U.S. citizen, a member of an underrepresented group, accepted or enrolled in an accredited U.S. institution, has a 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 and majoring in a Science, Technology, Engineering or Math (STEM) discipline.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** See online application

**How to apply:**

**Scholarship deadline:** (See website for the deadline)

**Contact information:**
UNCF Special Programs Corporation
6402 Arlington Boulevard, Suite 600
Falls Church, VA 22042
Email: info@uncfsp.org
Phone: (703) 677-3400
Fax: (703) 205-7645

**Category:** Undergraduate: Seniors and Graduate
**Harry S. Truman Scholarship**

**Name of Sponsor:** The Harry S. Truman Scholarship Foundation

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor finds and recognizes college juniors with exceptional leadership potential who are committed to careers in government, the nonprofit or advocacy sectors, education or elsewhere in the public service; and provides them with financial support for graduate study, leadership training, and fellowship with other students who are committed to making a difference through public service.

**Award:** up to $30,000

**Eligibility requirements:** Applicants must be a full-time student pursuing a bachelor's degree with junior-level academic standing; I have senior-level standing in my third year of college enrollment; or I am a senior and a resident of Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, or a Pacific Island. Also, applicants must be a U.S. citizen (or a U.S. national from a Pacific Island) or expect to receive his or her citizenship by the date the Scholarship will be awarded.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** All Candidates for the Truman must be nominated by their undergraduate institution. The Truman Application consists of an Institutional Nomination form and letter, three additional letters of recommendation, a recent transcript, a 14 question application, and a policy proposal. Use the faculty locator to find the faculty representative at your school. [http://truman.gov//for-candidates/faculty-rep-locator/faculty-rep-locator](http://truman.gov//for-candidates/faculty-rep-locator/faculty-rep-locator)

**How to apply:** Obtain an application from the faculty representative. For more information about the scholarship, visit the following website: [http://www.truman.gov/candidates/how-become-truman-scholar/](http://www.truman.gov/candidates/how-become-truman-scholar/)

**Scholarship deadline:** February 3

**Contact information:**
712 Jackson Place  
NW Washington, DC 20006  
Phone: (202) 395-4831 Fax: (202) 395-6995  
Email: office@truman.gov

**Category:** Undergraduates: Junior

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**Hertz Fellowship**

**Name of Sponsor:** The Hertz Foundation

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor is a not-for-profit organization, which provides fellowships tenable at over 40 of the nation's finest universities for graduate work leading to award of the Ph.D. degree in applications of the physical sciences.

**Award:** Varies

**Eligibility requirements:** Eligible applicants for Hertz Fellowships must be students of the applied physical sciences who are citizens or permanent residents of the United States of America, and who are willing to morally commit to make their skills available to the United States in time of national emergency (see our Moral Commitment section). College seniors wishing to pursue the Ph.D. degree in any of the fields of particular interest to the Foundation, as well as graduate students already in the process of doing so, may apply.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** See website for more information

**How to apply:**  
[http://www.hertzfoundation.org/dx/fellowships/application/Application.aspx](http://www.hertzfoundation.org/dx/fellowships/application/Application.aspx)

**Scholarship deadline:** October 31

**Contact information:**  
Fannie and John Hertz Foundation  
2300 First Street, Suite 250  
Livermore, CA 94550  
Phone: 925-373-1642  
Fax: 925-373-6329

**Miscellaneous:** They do not support students pursuing advanced professional degrees other than the Ph.D., such as enrollees in M.D., LLD or MBA programs, although we will support the Ph.D. portion of a joint M.D./Ph.D. study program. For a list of general fields of study in which Graduate Fellowships are offered by the Foundation, see website for fields of study.

**Category:** College Seniors and 1st year Graduate Students
**HSF Scholarships for College Students**

**Name of Sponsor:** Hispanic Scholarship Fund

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor helps to strengthens America by advancing higher education for Hispanic Americans.

**Award:** Varies

**Eligibility requirements:**
- Be of **Hispanic heritage**;
- Be a **U.S. citizen** or **legal permanent resident** with a permanent resident card or passport stamped I-551 (not expired);
- Be an undergraduate or graduate student enrolled **full-time** in a degree-seeking program at a U.S. accredited college or university in the U.S., Puerto Rico, or U.S. Virgin Islands the upcoming academic year;
- Have a minimum cumulative grade point average (GPA) of **3.0** on a 4.0 scale (or the equivalent); and
- **Must** apply for federal financial aid by completing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** See website for more information (multiple scholarships available).

**How to apply:** [http://hsf.net/en/scholarships/programs/](http://hsf.net/en/scholarships/programs/)

**Scholarship deadline:** Deadline varies with each scholarship

**Contact information:**
Hispanic Scholarship Fund, Headquarters
55 Second Street, Suite 1500
San Francisco, CA 94105
1-877-HSF-INFO (1-877-473-4636)
Fax: 415-808-2302

**Category:** Undergraduate and Graduate

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**Humane Studies Fellowships**

**Name of Sponsor:** Institute for Humane Studies at George Mason University

**Information about sponsor:**

**Award:** Up to $15,000

**Eligibility requirements:**
- Individuals who will be undergraduate juniors or seniors during the academic year of funding;
- Graduate students in any field; and
- Law students, MBA students, and other professional students.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:**
1. Three essays between 750 and 1000 words. The essay topics are your personal intellectual history, the nature of your academic discipline, and your current research interests;
2. The names and email addresses of two (and not more than three) individuals who will write letters of recommendation on your behalf;
3. A writing sample of not more than 30 pages;
4. Your most recent university transcript; unofficial transcripts are acceptable; and
5. Score reports for your most recent standardized test only if you are currently applying to graduate school; unofficial reports are acceptable. If you are already in graduate school, you do not need to submit a score reports, only your transcript.

**How to apply:** [http://www.theihs.org/node/447](http://www.theihs.org/node/447)

Scholarship is available May 1

**Scholarship deadline:** See website for further details

**Contact information:**
Institute for Humane Studies at George Mason University
3301 N. Fairfax Dr., Ste. 440
Arlington, VA 22201
Phone: 703.993.4880, 800.697.8799
Fax: 703.993.4890

**Miscellaneous:** Note: Students pursuing MFA degrees are not eligible for the Humane Studies Fellowship.
IES Abroad Diversity Programs: HBCU’s Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: IES Abroad

Information about sponsor: Interning while studying abroad can greatly impact both your academic and career paths. In a recent IES Abroad survey of more than 3,700 IES Abroad alumni, 83 percent of students who interned abroad said that it allowed them to acquire skill sets that influenced their career path and 70 percent reported that studying abroad with IES Abroad ignited interest in a career direction pursued after studying abroad. The majority of IES Abroad’s academic programs offer students internship or field placement opportunities.

Award: $2,000

Eligibility requirements: This scholarship is open to students who attend an HBCU that is a Member or Associate member of the IES Abroad consortium and that transfers at least 75% of home school aid to IES. Abroad Students must have applied to and attend an IES Abroad fall, spring, academic year or calendar year program.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See application

How to apply: https://www.iesabroad.org/IES/Scholarships_and_Aid/Diversity_Scholarships/hbcuScholarship.html

Scholarship deadline: See application for deadline

Contact information: IES Abroad Chicago 33 N. LaSalle Street, 15th Floor, Chicago, IL 60602-2602 1.800.995.2300 or 1.312.944.1750

Category: Undergraduates

IES Scholarships & Financial Aid

Name of Sponsor: IES Abroad

Information about sponsor: Interning while studying abroad can greatly impact both your academic and career paths. In a recent IES Abroad survey of more than 3,700 IES Abroad alumni, 83 percent of students who interned abroad said that it allowed them to acquire skill sets that influenced their career path and 70 percent reported that studying abroad with IES Abroad ignited interest in a career direction pursued after studying abroad. The majority of IES Abroad’s academic programs offer students internship or field placement opportunities.

Award: $1,000

Eligibility requirements:
- Attend a college or university that is a Member or Associate Member of the IES Abroad consortium that transfers at least 75% of home school aid to IES Abroad.
- Provide proof of financial need through your home campus financial aid office.
- Apply to and attend an IES Abroad Summer Program.

Criteria for awarding scholarship:
- Level of financial need shown on home campus financial aid office forms.
- IES Abroad program location.
- IES Abroad membership status of home campus.

How to apply: To apply to the program and download scholarship application: https://www.iesabroad.org/IES/Scholarships_and_Aid/summerscholarship/summerNeedBasedScholarship.html

Scholarship deadline: See application for updates (April 2nd)

Contact information: IES Abroad Chicago 33 N. LaSalle Street, 15th Floor, Chicago, IL 60602-2602 1.800.995.2300 or 1.312.944.1750

Category: Undergraduates
IES Scholarships For Under-Represented Students

Name of Sponsor: IES Abroad

Information about sponsor: Interning while studying abroad can greatly impact both your academic and career paths. In a recent IES Abroad survey of more than 3,700 IES Abroad alumni, 83 percent of students who interned abroad said that it allowed them to acquire skill sets that influenced their career path and 70 percent reported that studying abroad with IES Abroad ignited interest in a career direction pursued after studying abroad. The majority of IES Abroad's academic programs offer students internship or field placement opportunities.

Award: Up to $3,000

Eligibility requirements: This scholarship is open to students who have been traditionally under-represented on study abroad programs. This group includes, but is not limited to, students from under-represented racial and ethnic groups, first generation to college students, students from low income families and students with a history of overcoming adversity. Minimum cumulative GPA of 3.3 (out of 4.0) required. Recipients must be accepted to and enroll in an IES Abroad program.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See Application

How to apply: https://www.iesabroad.org/IES/Scholarships_and_Aid/Diversity_Scholarship/diversityScholarship.html

Scholarship deadline: See application for deadline

Contact information: IES Abroad Chicago
33 N. LaSalle Street, 15th Floor,
Chicago, IL 60602-2602
Phone: 1.800.995.2300 or 1.312.944.1750

Category: Undergraduates

IES Summer Need Based Financial Aid

Name of Sponsor: IES Abroad

Information about sponsor: Interning while studying abroad can greatly impact both your academic and career paths. In a recent IES Abroad survey of more than 3,700 IES Abroad alumni, 83 percent of students who interned abroad said that it allowed them to acquire skill sets that influenced their career path and 70 percent reported that studying abroad with IES Abroad ignited interest in a career direction pursued after studying abroad. The majority of IES Abroad's academic programs offer students internship or field placement opportunities.

Award: $2,000

Eligibility requirements:
- Attend a public college or university that is a Member or Association member of the IES Abroad consortium that transfers at least 75% of home school aid to IES Abroad.
- You must be accepted to and attend an IES Abroad program in order to receive one of these scholarships.
- No additional application necessary.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See application

How to apply:
To apply to the program and download scholarship application: https://www.iesabroad.org/IES/Students/Online_Application/onlineApplication.html

Scholarship deadline:
Fall/Academic Year: May 1
Spring/Calendar Year: November 1
Summer: April 1

Contact information:
IES Abroad Chicago
33 N. LaSalle Street, 15th Floor,
Chicago, IL 60602-2602
1.800.995.2300 or 1.312.944.1750

Category: Undergraduates
Islamic Scholarship Fund National Scholarship

**Name of Sponsor:** Islamic Scholarship Fund

**Information about sponsor:** (ISF) is a 501 C (3) non-profit organization that provides academic scholarships to Muslim students in the United States who pursue college and post graduate degrees in humanities, social sciences, liberal arts and law.

**Award:** varies

**Eligibility requirements:**
- Muslim or active member of the Muslim community;
- Enrollment at an accredited university in the U.S. by August;
- Majoring in an ISF supported major;
- Maintaining a minimum 3.0 Grade Point Average;
- A Citizen or Permanent Resident of the U.S.;
- An undergraduate (sophomore/junior/senior) or of graduate standing (including PhD).

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:**
The ISF National Scholarship is open to all applicants. Students who are not affiliated with any of the Community Sponsored and MSA/Alumni Sponsored awards can apply to it.

**How to apply:** [http://islamicscholarshipfund.org/about-10/](http://islamicscholarshipfund.org/about-10/)

**Scholarship deadline:** April 6

**Contact information:**
Contact us at contact@islamicscholarshipfund.org
650-995-6782

**Category:** Undergraduate or Graduate

J.W. Saxe Memorial Prize for Public Service

**Name of Sponsor:** J. W. Saxe Memorial Fund

**Award:** $2,000

**Eligibility requirements:**
- Undergraduate or graduate student in an accredited college or university;
- Seeking support for an internship in public service, not general support;
- Demonstrated public service activity -- past, present and/or future;
- Financial need will be taken into consideration.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:**
- Resume;
- Essay of no more than 1,000 words which describes the proposed internship or project, how this experience will help the applicant reach his or her goals, and why funding is necessary and how it will be utilized;
- Two letters of reference, one from a faculty member and one from someone who can attest to your commitment to public service. (Letters should be emailed directly to info@jwsaxefund.org and should include the applicant’s name in the subject line.)

**How to apply:** [http://www.jwsaxefund.org/apply.php](http://www.jwsaxefund.org/apply.php)

**Scholarship deadline:** April 1

**Contact information:**
J. W. Saxe Memorial Fund
Marianna Sachse, Officer
e-mail: info@jwsaxefund.org

**Category:** Undergraduate or Graduate
Jack Kent Cooke College Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: Jack Kent Cooke Foundation

Information about sponsor: This is a national organization that focuses on expanding educational opportunities through scholarship programs designed to support high-achieving, lower-income students in high school, college, and graduate school.

Award: $40,000

Eligibility requirements: At a minimum, applicants must:
- Plan to graduate from a US high school in spring 2015
- Intend to enroll in an accredited four-year college beginning in fall 2015
- Earn a cumulative unweighted GPA of 3.5 or above
- Receive standardized test scores in the top 15%: SAT combined critical reading and math score of 1200 or above and/or ACT composite score of 26 or above
- Demonstrate significant unmet financial need. We will consider applicants with family income up to $95,000. However, we anticipate that a majority of scholarship recipients will be eligible to receive a Pell grant

How to apply: [http://www.jkcf.org/scholarships](http://www.jkcf.org/scholarships).

Scholarship deadline: See website in the fall for deadline information

Contact information:
Jack Kent Cooke Foundation
44325 Woodridge Parkway
Lansdowne, Virginia 20176
Fax: 703-723-8030

Category: High School Senior

Jack Kent Cooke Undergraduate Transfer Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: Jack Kent Cooke Foundation

Information about sponsor: This is a national organization that focuses on expanding educational opportunities through scholarship programs designed to support high-achieving, lower-income students in high school, college, and graduate school.

Award: $40,000

Eligibility requirements: Applicants must be a current student at an accredited US community college or two-year institution with sophomore status by December of the application year, or a recent graduate (since spring 2004); plan to enroll full-time in a baccalaureate program at an accredited college or university in the fall of the award year; have a cumulative undergraduate grade-point average of 3.50 or better on a scale of 4.0 (or the equivalent); have unmet financial need and not previously have been nominated for the Jack Kent Cooke Foundation Undergraduate Transfer Scholarship.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See website for details

How to apply: In order to apply, prospective candidates must be nominated by the Jack Kent Cooke Foundation Faculty Representative at their two-year schools. For information about faculty representatives and scholarship, visit the Foundation’s website: [http://www.jkcf.org/scholarships](http://www.jkcf.org/scholarships).

Scholarship deadline: December 31

Contact information:
Jack Kent Cooke Foundation
44325 Woodridge Parkway
Lansdowne, Virginia 20176
Phone: 703-723-8000
Fax: 703-723-8030

Category: Community College Transfer Students & Undergraduates
John K. McKetta Undergraduate Scholarship

**Name of Sponsor:** The Dekker Foundation

**Information about sponsor:** The Dekker Foundation is committed to creating a more cooperative society through education. Since 1997, we have provided grants to promote educational programs, raise awareness of social issues, and foster a larger sense of community among people of different backgrounds and beliefs.

**Award:** $5,000

**Eligibility requirements:** 1) Minimum 3.0/4.0 GPA; 2) Nominee must be in junior or senior year of a 4-year program in Chemical Engineering or equivalent for a 5-year co-op program; 3) Student must submit a maximum two-page essay outlining career goals in the chemical engineering process industries; 4) The nominee should be a national student member of AIChe; 5) It is preferred/strongly encouraged that the nominee show leadership or activity in either the school’s AIChe Student Chapter or other university sponsored campus activity; 6) Only students attending ABET accredited schools in the US, Canada, and Mexico are eligible; 7) Nomination must be accompanied by a minimum of two letters of recommendation (in English.) One nomination letter must be from the AIChe student chapter advisor. Another letter must be from either a departmental faculty member or a technical work supervisor (internship or REU supervisor). 8) Limited to one nomination per student chapter per year.

**How to apply:** [http://www.aiche.org/community/awards/john-j-mcketta-undergraduate-scholarship](http://www.aiche.org/community/awards/john-j-mcketta-undergraduate-scholarship)

**Scholarship deadline:** June 15

**Contact information:**
AIChe Awards Administrator, 3 Park Avenue, New York, NY 10016
Ph./Fax: 646-495-1331
Email: awards@aiche.org

**Category:** Undergraduate: Junior or Senior

Judith McManus Price Scholarship

**Name of Sponsor:** American Planning Association

**Information about sponsor:** APA is an independent, not-for-profit educational organization that provides leadership in the development of vital communities. We measure our success by the successes of our members and the communities they serve.

**Award:** $2,000 - $4,000

**Eligibility requirements:** Women and minority (African American, Hispanic American, or Native American) students enrolled in an approved Planning Accreditation Board (PAB) planning program who are citizens of the United States, intend to pursue careers as practicing planners in the public sector, and are able to demonstrate a genuine financial need.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** two-to-five page personal statement, completed APA Financial Aid application, two letters of recommendation, photocopy of letter of acceptance from PAB-accredited planning graduate program, if an incoming student, written verification or copy of school’s average cost for one academic year of graduate study, a resume of work experience and background, if not incorporated into personal statement, optional notarized statement of financial independence, application signed on page 3. Official (sealed) transcripts of all previous collegiate and graduate academic work

**How to apply:** [https://www.planning.org/scholarships/apa/](https://www.planning.org/scholarships/apa/)

**Scholarship deadline:** April 30

**Contact information:**
APA Judith McManus Scholarship
American Planning Association
205 N. Michigan Ave., Suite #1200
Chicago, IL 60601

**Miscellaneous:** Financial aid application
[https://www.planning.org/scholarships/apa/pdf/financialaid.pdf](https://www.planning.org/scholarships/apa/pdf/financialaid.pdf)

**Category:** Undergraduate and Graduate
KATU Thomas R. Dargan Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: KATU, virtual channel 2 (UHF digital channel 43), is an ABC-affiliated television station located in Portland, Oregon, United States.

Information about scholarship: In the tradition of Thomas R. Dargan, dedicated and lifelong broadcaster, this scholarship is intended to encourage and assist minority students to complete their education in broadcasting or communications.

Award: $6,000

Eligibility requirements: Applicant must be a minority citizen of the United States and provide proof of U.S. citizenship.

Minority is defined as Asian; Black/African American; Hispanic or Latino; American Indian or Alaska Native, Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander; or that of two or more races.

Applicant must be at least a sophomore enrolled in broadcast, communications, or multi-media curriculum at a four-year college or university or an accredited community college in Oregon or Washington OR as a permanent resident of Oregon or Washington attending an out-of-state institution.

Applicant must have a minimum 3.00 GPA.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Statement of Need, Academic Achievement and Applicant Essay

How to apply: http://www.katu.com/about/scholarship

Scholarship deadline: April 30th (Application available in January)

Contact information:
KATU Thomas R. Dargan Minority Scholarship
c/o Human Resources
2153 NE Sandy Blvd
Portland, OR 97232

Category: Undergraduate or Graduate

Lagrant Foundation Undergraduate Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: Lagrant Foundation

Information about sponsor: The LAGRANT Foundation (TLF) was established to address the lack of diversity in the advertising, marketing and public relations fields.

Award: $2,500

Eligibility requirements:
- Must be a current undergraduate freshman, sophomore, junior and non-graduating senior
- Must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident
- Must be a African American/Black, Asian American/Pacific Islander, Hispanic/Latino or Native American/Alaska Native
- Must be a full-time student at a four-year, accredited school in the U.S
- Minimum of 2.75 GPA
- MUST major in a field of study that has an emphasis on public relations, marketing or advertising or in art, anthropology, communications, English, graphic design or sociology while maintaining a career focus in advertising, marketing or public relations

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Undergraduate scholarship application, A reference letter from a college professor or internship advisor, Your current resume, Unofficial transcripts from your college/university.

How to apply: http://www.lagrantfoundation.org/Undergraduate%20Scholarships

Scholarship deadline: February, check website for exact date

Contact information:
The LAGRANT Foundation
600 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1520
Los Angeles, CA 90017
Phone: 323.469.8680
Fax: 323.469.8683

Miscellaneous: Scholarship recipients will receive a trip to Chicago where they will participate in career building activities

Category: Undergraduate
Lockheed Martin Scholarship Program

**Name of Sponsor:** Hispanic College Fund

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor is a program that provided a number of scholarship opportunities to Hispanic students.

**Award:** $3,000

**Eligibility requirements:**
Only students who are the children of current full-time and part-time employees (working 20 or more hours per week) of Lockheed Martin and its subsidiaries can compete for these scholarships. Eligible children include sons and daughters, stepchildren, adopted children, and the children of domestic partner parents, as well as grandchildren of employees who have legal guardianship. All eligible children may apply for the scholarship program regardless of which parent claims them as dependents or where the children reside.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** To enter the competition for National Merit Lockheed Martin Academic Scholarships, children of employees must take the PSAT/NMSQT.

**How to apply:** [http://www.lockheedmartin.com/us/who-we-are/community/employee/merit-scholarship.html](http://www.lockheedmartin.com/us/who-we-are/community/employee/merit-scholarship.html)

**Scholarship deadline:** February 28

**Contact information:**
Hispanic College Fund
Attn: Scholarship Processing
1300 L Street, NW
Suite 975
Washington, DC 20005

**Miscellaneous:** This website contains a number of scholarship opportunities.

**Category:** Undergraduates

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Media Fellow Program – Fall Application

**Name of Sponsor:** Washington Media Scholars Foundation

**Information about sponsor:** Washington Media Scholars Foundation connects deserving students with top executives through two initiatives: the Media Scholars Program & the Media Fellows Program. These signature platforms fulfill our mission to create scholarship, learning & career advancement opportunities for college students interested in public policy media strategy, research & management

**Award:** $1,000 - $5,000

**Eligibility requirements:**
- College juniors and seniors in good academic standing are invited to apply.
- Open to full-time degree seeking students whose major or minor prepares them for a career in strategic public policy advertising research, management, planning and buying. These include, but are not limited to, mass communications, journalism, marketing (business or mass communications), and political science.
- Applicants must have a minimum GPA of 3.0 in their major concentration.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Register online, one letter of recommendation, phone interview

**How to apply:** [http://www.mediascholars.org/media-fellows-program/application/](http://www.mediascholars.org/media-fellows-program/application/)

**Scholarship deadline:** November 12

**Contact information:**
Washington Media Scholars Foundation
815 Slaters Lane
Alexandria, VA 22314
Phone: 703-299-4399
Email: info@mediascholars.org

**Miscellaneous:** Do not contact the foundation to inquire about your status before this time. Scholarship is also offered for the summer.

**Category:** Undergraduate
Michigan Tuition Grant Program

Name of Sponsor: State of Michigan

Information about sponsor: This sponsor assists citizens to pursue postsecondary education by providing equality of access to student financial resources and information.

Award: Up to $1,626 per academic year

Eligibility requirements:
- Demonstrate financial need;
- Enroll at least half time at an approved independent, degree-granting, Michigan postsecondary institution;
- Possess a high school diploma or GED certificate or meet the institution's Ability to Benefit Standards;
- Be a Michigan resident since July 1 of the previous calendar year;
- Be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident;
- For renewal, meet institution's satisfactory academic progress (SAP) policy; and
- Not be incarcerated.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See website for criteria, list participating institutions and deadline information.


Contact information:
Office of Scholarships and Grants
Phone: 1-888-4-GRANTS (1-888-447-2687)
E-mail osg@michigan.gov.

Miscellaneous: Applicants must file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Students who file by March 1st will receive priority consideration.

Category: Undergraduates

Microsoft

Name of Sponsor: Microsoft

Information about sponsor: This sponsor is an international company that creates software for business and personal use.

Award: Varies

Eligibility requirements: To be eligible, you must be enrolled full time in a Bachelor's degree program at a college or university in the United States, Canada, or Mexico at the time you submit the application. Plus, we’ll need to see that you’re making satisfactory progress toward an undergraduate degree in computer science, computer engineering, or a related technical discipline such as electrical engineering, math, or physics—and that you demonstrate an interest in computer science. Because the scholarship is merit based, you must maintain a 3.0 cumulative grade point average out of a possible 4.0, or a 4.0 cumulative grade point average out of a possible 5.0.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Applicants must submit a resume, a transcript, a letter of referral, answers to the essay questions and a printed confirmation page from online application to the Microsoft Internship Program.

How to apply: For application information, see the following website: http://careers.microsoft.com/careers/en/us/internships-scholarships.aspx

Scholarship deadline: See website for more details.

Contact information:
Microsoft Scholarship Program
Microsoft Corporation
One Microsoft Way
Redmond, WA 98052-8303
Email: scholars@microsoft.com

Category: Undergraduates
**MSPE Undergraduate Scholarships**

**Name of Sponsor:** Michigan Society of Professional Engineers (MSPE)

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor promotes the ethical, competent practice of engineering, advocate licensure, and enhance the image and well-being of its members.

**Award:** Varies

**Eligibility requirements:** Applicants must be a MSPE member; be a US Citizen and a resident of Michigan; be in an ABET accredited engineering program at a Michigan college or university; and have a minimum grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale for the 10th & 11th grades; Attain a minimum composite test score of 26 on the American College Testing (ACT) Exam; Submit a list of senior classes being taken; Attach a documented high school transcript and ACT test score to be considered; Submit only one MSPE application for all scholarships available from MSPE.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Along with a completed application, candidates must submit an official transcript, two recommendations and a two-page essay of approximately 500 word that discuss your interest in engineering, specific field of engineering that is being pursued, and occupation you propose to pursue after graduation.

**How to apply:** [http://www.nspe.org/resources/students/scholarships](http://www.nspe.org/resources/students/scholarships)

**Scholarship deadline:** March 1, March 15 or April 1 (See website for details)

**Contact information:**
Michigan Society of Professional Engineers (MSPE)
Scholarship Coordinator
215 N. Walnut
PO Box 15276
Lansing, MI 48901-5276
Phone: (517) 487-0635
E-mail: mspe@michiganspe.org

**Category:** High School Seniors

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**NASP-ERT Minority Scholarship Program**

**Name of Sponsor:** National Association of School Psychologist

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor represents school psychology and supports school psychologists to enhance the learning and mental health of all children and youth.

**Award:** $5,000

**Eligibility requirements:**
- Be a full-time or part-time minority student;
- Be a United States citizen;
- Be enrolled or accepted for enrollment in a NASP-approved and/or regionally accredited school psychology program in the United States, with the aim of becoming a practicing School Psychologist;
- Be in good academic standing;
- Have a minimum cumulative overall GPA of 3.0; and
- Be a member of NASP.

**How to apply:** [http://www.nasponline.org/about_nasp/MSP/Application/ApplicationOverview.pdf](http://www.nasponline.org/about_nasp/MSP/Application/ApplicationOverview.pdf)

**Scholarship deadline:** November 3

**Contact information:**
4340 East West Highway, Suite 402
Bethesda, MD 20814
E-mail: kbritton@naspweb.org
Phone: 301-657-0270

**Miscellaneous:** Doctoral candidates will not be considered for this award. Only those students enrolled in specialist level (or equivalent) school psychology training programs will be considered for this scholarship award.

**Category:** College Senior and Graduate students
National Association of Black Journalists Scholarships

Name of Sponsor: National Association of Black Journalists

Information about sponsor: NABJ awards more than $60,000 in scholarships annually to deserving students interested in pursuing careers in journalism. Scholarships are worth up to $25,000. Scholarships are open to any foreign or American born student, currently attending or entering an accredited four-year college/university in the U.S. or those who are candidates for graduate school.

Award: Varies by Scholarship

Eligibility requirements:
- All applicants must be a student member of NABJ;
- All applicants must be a journalism major or pursuing a career in journalism;
- All applicants must be enrolled in an accredited college or university and have at least one year of school remaining. Awards will be granted for the 2010-2011 school year;
- Previous NABJ scholarship winners are not eligible to reapply; and
- Some awards include additional requirements. See individual award descriptions.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See website for further details

How to apply: http://www.nabj.org/?SEEDScholars2013

Scholarship deadline: See website for further details

Contact information:
Tiane Johnson
Program Manager
Phone: 301-405-2573
e-Mail: tjohnson@nabj.org

Category: Undergraduate or Graduate

National Sculpture Society Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: National Sculpture Society

Information about sponsor: This sponsor is a national society that runs many programs dedicated to encouraging good sculpture, and to educating young artists in this medium.

Award: $2,000

Eligibility requirements: Applicants must be attending an accredited US college or university.

Criteria for awarding scholarship:
1. The Scholarship Application form; 2. A biography or resume that explains the student's background in sculpture. This can be in the form of a Word (.doc) or PDF (.pdf) document or a separate piece of paper; 3. Two letters of recommendation. (These can be mailed separately); 4. A CD with ten to eighteen images of work by the applicant. It is strongly suggested that at least six different sculptures are included in the images. Images on the CD should be in JPEG (.jpg) format with a resolution of at least 72 dpi. PLEASE, NO POWER POINT PRESENTATIONS; 5. A list stating the title, medium and dimensions of the sculpture shown in the images on the CD. This can be in the form of a Word (.doc) or PDF (.pdf) document or a separate piece of paper; and 6. Proof of financial need. This can be in the form of photocopies of other scholarship/grant applications, photocopies of tax forms from previous years, and/or a signed letter from the financial aid office of the applicant’s school.

How to apply: http://www.nationalsculpture.org/nssN/index.cfm/fa/cProg.scholarships

Scholarship deadline: May 30

Contact information:
National Sculpture Society
c/o ANS
75 Varick Street, Floor 11
New York, NY 10013
Phone: (212) 764 - 5645
Fax: (212) 764 – 5651

Category: Undergraduate or Graduate
Nazareth Association Scholarship

**Name of Sponsor:** Nazareth Association

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor exists to carry on that tradition as living testimony to the Nazareth heritage, by promoting and providing its members, and others, opportunities for continued intellectual and spiritual growth and community service.

**Award:** $1,000 (renewable for one year)

**Eligibility requirements:** Applicants must be admitted to or currently enrolled at an approved Catholic college/university; have undergraduate junior or senior standing; Enrollment of a minimum of nine (9) semester hours in each term of the next academic year; Cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or better on a 4.0 GPA scale at the conclusion of the present academic year and in good academic standing; Complete all federal, state and institutional financial aid procedures; and Demonstrate involvement in collegiate extra-curricular volunteer activities and/or community services.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** In addition to a complete application, candidates must submit all official transcripts, a 500 word essay and three letters of recommendation.

**How to apply:** [http://www.nazarethassociation.org/11.html](http://www.nazarethassociation.org/11.html)

**Scholarship deadline:** March 15th

**Contact information:**
Nazareth Association
P.O. Box 224
Nazareth, MI 49074
Ph: 269.342.1191
Fax: 269.381.0343
Email: office@nazarethassociation.org

**Category:** Undergraduate: Junior or Senior

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NBNA Scholarship Program

**Name of Sponsor:** National Black Nurses Association, Inc.

**Information about sponsor:** NBNA is committed to excellence in education and conducts continuing education programs for nurses and allied health professionals throughout the year.

**Award:** $1,000 - $6,000

**Eligibility requirements:**
- Candidate must be currently enrolled in a nursing program (B.S.N., A.D., Diploma or L.P.N. / L.V.N.) and in good scholastic standing at the time of application;
- Must be a member of NBNA and a member of a local chapter (if one exists in your area); and
- Applicant must have at least one full year of school remaining.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:**
- Official Transcript(s) from an accredited School of Nursing;
- Two (2) page Written Essay;
- Two (2) letters of recommendation (one from applicant's school of nursing and one from the local chapter, or a nurse in the area if a local chapter does not exist). Letters of recommendation and essay must be attached to the application; and
- Additional items to accompany the application in support of the candidate’s eligibility and desirability may include documented evidence of: a. participation in student nurse activities and, b. involvement in the African American Community, i.e., letters, news clippings, awards, certificates, etc.

**How to apply:** Download application [http://www.nbna.org/content.asp?contentid=82](http://www.nbna.org/content.asp?contentid=82)

**Scholarship deadline:** April 15th of each year

**Contact information:**
NATIONAL BLACK NURSES ASSOCIATION
Scholarship Committee/Estella A. Lazenby
8630 Fenton Street, Suite 330
Silver Spring, MD 20910

**Category:** Undergraduate and Graduate
NSF Graduate Research Fellowship Program

Name of Sponsor: National Science Foundation

Information about sponsor: This sponsor is a federal program that promotes the progress of science; and advances the national health, prosperity, and welfare.

Award: $32,000 annual stipend. Three years of support, $12,000 cost-of-education allowance, International research and professional development opportunities, TeraGrid Supercomputer access.

Eligibility requirements:
- A US citizen, US national or permanent resident alien, and
- A graduating senior; have completed a B.S./B.A. degree; or are in their 1st year or the first semester of their 2nd year in graduate school, and
- Pursuing a research-based master's or doctoral degree in the science, technology, engineering and mathematics fields supported by NSF.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: In addition to a complete application, candidates must submit three letters of recommendation, GRE scores and official transcripts.

How to apply: http://nsfgrfp.org/

Scholarship deadline: Deadline depends on discipline. Deadlines are November 13th – November 27th. See website for more information.

Contact information:
See this website for contact information: http://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=6201

Miscellaneous: For those pursing a research-based master’s of doctoral program in math, science and technology. (In addition to engineering, life and physical science, this includes psychology and social sciences.)

Contact information:
GRF Operations Center
1818 N Street NW
Suite 600
Washington, DC 20036
Phone: 866-NSF-GRFP (866-673-4737)
Email: info@nsfgrfp.org

Category: College Seniors and 1st and 2nd year Graduate Students

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NSPE Scholarships

Name of Sponsor: National Society of Professional Engineers

Information about sponsor: This is the organization of licensed Professional Engineers and Engineer Interns (EIs). Through education, licensure advocacy, leadership training, multi-disciplinary networking, and outreach, NSPE enhances the image of its members and their ability to ethically and professionally practice engineering.

Award: Varies

Eligibility requirements: Varies with scholarship. All applicants must be interested in or currently pursuing a degree in engineering.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See website for more information.

How to apply: http://www.nspe.org/Students/Scholarships/index.html

Scholarship deadline: Varies with scholarships

Contact information:
National Society of Professional Engineers
1420 King St.
Alexandria, VA 22314–2794
Phone: 703–684–2800

Category: High School Seniors, Undergraduates and Graduates
Ruth Abernathy Presidential Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: American Alliance for Health, Physical Recreation, Education and Dance

Information about sponsor: The American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance (AAHPERD) is the largest organization of professionals supporting and assisting professionals involved in physical education, recreation, fitness, sport and coaching, dance, health education and promotion, and all specialties related to achieving a healthy and active lifestyle.

Award: Undergraduate awards are $1,250 each and graduate awards are $1,750 each. Recipients also receive a complimentary three-year AAHPERD membership.

Eligibility requirements:
- Undergraduate: See Website
- Graduate: See Website

How to apply:
http://www.shapeamerica.org/scholarships/abernathyscholarship.cfm

Scholarship deadline: October 15th

Contact information:
Patti Hartle
E-mail: phartle@shapeamerica.org

Category: Undergraduate and Graduate

Sallie Mae Fund Scholarship Programs

Name of Sponsor: The Sallie Mae Fund

Information about sponsor: This sponsor is a charitable organization sponsored by Sallie Mae® that achieves its mission — to increase access to higher education for America’s students — by supporting programs and initiatives that help open doors to higher education, prepare families for their college investment, and bridge the gap when no one else can.

Award: Varies

Eligibility requirements: Students must be making satisfactory academic progress at a public/private two or four year College or University.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See application for more details

How to apply: See website for further details

Scholarship deadline: The deadline varies (depends on the scholarship)

Contact information:
The Sallie Mae Fund
11100 USA Parkway
Fishers, IN  46037
E-mail: thesalliemaefund@thesalliemaefund.org

Category: Undergraduate
Scholarship America Dream Award

**Name of Sponsor:** Scholarship America

**Information about sponsor:** Scholarship America’s mission is to make postsecondary education success possible for all students, and our goal is to help 750,000 students complete their education beyond high school with manageable debt by 2025.

**Award:** $5,000 - $15,000

**Eligibility requirements:***
- Be U.S. citizens, U.S. permanent resident
- Have received a high school diploma or the equivalent from a U.S. school, by September
- Have completed or expect to successfully complete a minimum of one full year of postsecondary education by June 2015.
- Plan to enroll in full time undergraduate study at the sophomore year level or higher at an accredited two or four year college, university or vocational-technical school in the United States for the entire 2015-16 academic year.
- Be studying to obtain their first bachelor’s degree.
- Have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale (or its equivalent).
- Demonstrate financial need.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** See website for details

**How to apply:** http://scholarshipamerica.org/dream_about.php

**Scholarship deadline:** See website for more information. Application opens in October

**Contact information:**
Please contact us by email at dreamaward@scholarshipamerica.org or by phone at 507-931-1682.

**Miscellaneous:** Scholarship is renewable

**Category:** Undergraduate

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SPIE Scholarship Program

**Name of Sponsor:** Society of Photo-Optical Instrumentation Engineers

**Information about sponsor:** SPIE is an international society advancing an interdisciplinary approach to the science and application of light.

**Award:** $2,000 - $11,000

**Eligibility requirements:** Must be an SPIE Student Member (A one year complimentary membership will be provided to high school applicants.) Also, must be planning to enroll or enrolled full-time in an optics, photonics, imaging, optoelectronics program or related discipline at an accredited school for the full year beginning Fall of the application year and Be in high school or secondary school, undergraduate or post-secondary school, or graduate school.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Applicants must submit a completed application form, a 450 word essay and two letters of recommendation.

**How to apply:** http://spie.org/x1733.xml

**Scholarship deadline:** February 15th

**Contact information:**
SPIE Scholarship Committee
PO Box 10
Bellingham, WA 98227
Phone: +1 360 676 3290 or +1 888 504 8171
Fax: +1 360 647 1445
Email: (Word or PDF files only) scholarships@spie.org

**Miscellaneous:** Electronic submissions are preferred. Email materials in Word or PDF format only.

**Category:** Undergraduate and Graduate
### Structural Engineering/Architect Student Scholarship

**Name of Sponsor:** Simpson Strong-Tie Company, Inc.

**Information about sponsor:** Simpson Strong-Tie Company, Inc. has established a scholarship program to assist architecture and structural engineering students at participating colleges and universities in various communities in the United States. The Structural Engineering/Architecture Student Scholarship Program offers scholarships to support education and encourage the design and building of safer structures in our communities.

**Award:** $2,000

**Eligibility requirements:** Applicants to the Structural Engineering/Architecture Student Scholarship Program must be enrolled as juniors (60 semester hours or equivalent) or seniors in full-time undergraduate study in architecture or structural engineering at one of the following colleges or universities:


**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Interested students must complete the application and mail it along with a current, complete transcript of grades to Scholarship Management Services postmarked.

**How to apply:** http://www.strongtie.com/scholarships/SST_application.pdf

**Scholarship deadline:** April 25

**Contact information:**
Structural Engineering/Architecture Student Scholarship Program
Scholarship Management Services
One Scholarship Way
Saint Peter, MN 56082
Phone: (507) 931-1682

**Miscellaneous:** Awards are not renewable, but students may reapply to the program each year they meet eligibility requirements.

**Category:** Undergraduate

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### Tylenol Future Care Scholarship

**Name of Sponsor:** McNeil Consumer Healthcare

**Information about sponsor:** The makers of Tylenol, the Tylenol Scholarship Program started in 1982. This is one of the well-known scholarship programs for those students enrolled in healthcare degree education including medicine, nursing, pharmacology, laboratory sciences, microbiology, physiotherapy, healthcare management and hospital administration. Tylenol awards scholarships to students with an admirable balance of academic excellence, leadership, and community involvement, and have dedicated their careers to caring for other people.

**Award:** up to $10,000

**Eligibility requirements:**
- Scholarships awarded to students pursuing healthcare-related education at an accredited institution
- Must have completed at least one year of undergraduate or graduate course study by the Spring of 2013
- Must have one or more years of school remaining

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:**
- College sophomore, College junior, College senior, Master’s-level study, Doctoral-level study
- Write two 500 word essays
- Provide resume

**How to apply:**

**Scholarship deadline:** June 30

**Contact information:**
Ania Tyski
McNeil Consumer Healthcare
Office: 215 273-8895
Mobile: 267-408-9528
Email: atyski@its.jnj.com

**Miscellaneous:** Application opens in May 1

**Category:** Undergraduate and Graduate
# Undergraduate Scholarship Program for Individuals from Disadvantaged Backgrounds

**Name of Sponsor:** National Institute of Health

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor is one of the world’s premier centers for biomedical research which is the heart of the Federal efforts to support and stimulate research aimed at improving health and fighting disease. The mission of NIH is to uncover new knowledge that will lead to better health for everyone.

**Award:** Up to $20,000

**Eligibility requirements:** An eligible applicant must be (1) A U.S. citizen, national, or permanent resident; (2) enrolled or accepted for enrollment as a full-time student at an accredited undergraduate institution (4 year school) of higher education; (3) from a disadvantaged background as determined by the Secretary of Health and Human Services; (4) in good academic standing (minimum GPA of 3.5 or be in the top 5 percent) with his/her educational institution; and (5) submit an application to participate in the Undergraduate Scholarship (UGS) Program; (6) agree to serve as a full-time NIH employee for not less than 10 consecutive weeks of each year during which the individual is attending the educational institution and receiving a scholarship; (7) agree to serve as a full-time NIH employee for 12 months for each academic year during which the scholarship was provided.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Applicants must submit a complete application, a signed contract, and other required information (as listed in the application packet).

**How to apply:** An application can be obtained by visiting the website or requesting an application from the contact information.

**Scholarship deadline:** March 3

**Contact information:**
- Telephone: 888-352-3001
- Fax: 301-480-3123
- E-mail: ugsp@nih.gov

**Category:** High School Senior and Undergraduates

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# Xerox Technical Minority Scholarship Program

**Name of Sponsor:** Xerox

**Information about sponsor:** Xerox is committed to the academic success of all minority students. That’s why they offer a Technical Minority Scholarship to qualified minorities enrolled in a technical degree program at the bachelor level or above.

**Award:** $1,000 - $10,000

**Eligibility requirements:** Applicants must be academic high-achievers (3.0 or better GPA). Applicants must be US citizens or visa-holding Permanent Residents of African American, Asian, Pacific Island, Native American, Native Alaskan, or Hispanic descent. They must be enrolled as a full time undergraduate or graduate student in any of the following technical fields: Chemistry, Information Management, Computing & Software Systems, Material Science, Printing Management Science, Laser Optics, Physics, Material Science, Engineering (Chemical, Computer, Electrical, Imaging, Manufacturing, Mechanical, Optical, or Software).

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Complete the application and send it, along with a resume to the contact address.

**How to apply:**


**Scholarship deadline:** Application must be postmarked prior to September 30th

**Contact information:**
Xerox Technical Minority Scholarship Program
150 State Street; 4th Floor;
Rochester, NY 14614

**Category:** Undergraduate and Graduate
SCHOLARSHIPS FOR GRADUATE STUDENTS
**AAHE Barbara A. Cooley Scholarship Masters Level**

**Name of Sponsor:** American Association for Health Education (AAHE)

**Information about sponsor:** The American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance (AAHPERD) is the largest organization of professionals supporting and assisting professionals involved in physical education, recreation, fitness, sport and coaching, dance, health education and promotion, and all specialties related to achieving a healthy and active lifestyle.

**Award:** $1,000

**Eligibility requirements:** 1. The award is open to a masters level student who is currently enrolled in a health education program at an accredited college or university in the United States or a U.S. territory, and pursuing a career as a professional health education specialist. 2. The student must have a minimum, current, overall grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale. 3. Prior AAHE scholarship recipients may not apply.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Show evidence of leadership potential ■ Be academically talented ■ Be active in health education profession-related activities or organizations at the college or university and/or community level

**How to apply:**
http://www.shapeamerica.org/scholarships/cooleyscholarship.cfm

**Scholarship deadline:** November 15 of each year

**Contact information:**
AAHE Scholarships
1900 Association Drive
Reston, VA 20191-1599
Phone: 703/476-3400

**Category:** Graduate

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**AERA Fellowships and Funding**

**Name of Sponsor:** American Educational Research Association

**Information about sponsor:** The American Educational Research Association (AERA), a national research society, strives to advance knowledge about education, to encourage scholarly inquiry related to education, and to promote the use of research to improve education and serve the public good.

**Award:** Varies; fellowships and funding $25,000 - $30,000

**Eligibility requirements:** Varies for each program

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Varies for each program

**How to apply:**
http://www.aera.net/ProfessionalOpportunitiesFunding/OtherFellowshipandFundingOpportunities/tabid/10252/Default.aspx

**Scholarship deadline:** Varies

**Contact information:**
American Educational Research Association
1430 K Street, NW Suite 1200
Washington, DC 20005
Phone (202) 238-3200
Fax (202) 238-3250

**Category:** Graduate
African American Law Student Fellowship Program

**Name of Sponsor:** National Bar Institute

**Information about sponsor:** The National Bar Institute, Inc. (NBI) is a tax-exempt corporation organized under 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The NBI was established in 1982 by members of the National Bar Association to educate the public concerning contemporary legal issues, to ensure quality legal educational opportunities for all Americans, and to enhance the quality of legal services provided to people of color and the poor.

**Award:** up to $10,000

**Eligibility requirements:**
- Have demonstrated a commitment to creating equality and justice for African Americans through work in their law schools, their neighborhoods and community;
- Are U.S. citizens or permanent residents;
- Are carrying a full-time class load at an accredited U.S. law school;
- Have at least two consecutive years of full-time law student experience and will complete graduation requirements within two semesters;
- Intend to return to a Black community to practice law once their legal training is completed.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:**
- Qualification of applicant; Potential of applicant to make significant contribution to the field; Commitment to African American issues in field of study and/or in the community; Financial need.

**How to apply:** http://www.nationalbar.org/nbi/nbigrants.html

**Scholarship deadline:** May 15

**Contact information:**
National Bar Institute · 1225 11th Street N. W. · Washington, DC 20001
Telephone: (202) 842 - 3900

**Category:** Graduate

AICPA Fellowship for Minority Doctoral Students

**Name of Sponsor:** American Institute of Certified Public Accountants

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor is the national, professional organization for all Certified Public Accountants.

**Award:** $12,000

**Eligibility requirements:**
- a) applied to a doctoral program and am awaiting word on acceptance; b) been accepted into a doctoral program; or c) already matriculated in a doctoral program and pursuing appropriate coursework;
- earned a Master’s Degree and/or completed at least 3 years of full-time experience in the accounting practice;
- be a minority student of Black or African American; Hispanic or Latino; or Native American ethnicity;
- attend school on a full-time basis and remain enrolled full-time until attaining one’s doctoral degree; and
- be a CPA or plan to pursue the CPA credential.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** See Website for more details

**How to apply:** http://www.aicpa.org/BecomeACPA/Scholarships/Pages/default.aspx

**Scholarship deadline:** April 1st

**Contact information:**
Email: foundation@aicpa.org
Phone: (919) 402-4534.

**Category:** Doctoral
AICPA John L. Carey Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: American Institute of Certified Public Accountants

Information about sponsor: This sponsor is the national, professional organization for all Certified Public Accountants.

Award: $5,000/year

Eligibility requirements:
A student must meet the following requirements to be eligible for this program:
- obtained a liberal arts or non-business undergraduate degree prior to enrolling in a graduate accounting program;
- not earned more than 12 credits in accounting or business during their undergraduate program;
- been accepted into, or am in the process of applying to, a graduate program in accounting that is accredited by AACSB International or ACBSP;
- not already be actively participating in a graduate accounting program; and
- intending to pursue a CPA certificate.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See application for more details

How to apply: http://www.aicpa.org/BecomeACPA/Scholarships/Pages/default.aspx
Application Available beginning November 1st

Scholarship deadline: See website for the deadline

Contact information:
Email: foundation@aicpa.org
Phone: (919) 402-4534.

Miscellaneous: For accounting majors.

Category: Graduate

Alfred P. Sloan Foundation’s Minority Ph.D. Program

Name of Sponsor: National Action Council for Minority Engineers

Information about sponsor: This sponsor provides leadership and support for the national effort to increase the representation of successful African American, American Indian and Latino women and men in engineering and technology, math-and science-based careers.

Award: Varies

Eligibility requirements: Any student who is enrolled in a Sloan graduate institution and majoring in one of the accepted discipline.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: To become a Sloan Scholar, you must apply to and be accepted in a recognized program supported by the Alfred P. Sloan Foundation. Scholars are selected based on their application, faculty recommendation, appropriate field of study, and financial need.

How to apply: See website: http://www.nacme.org/sloan/MPHDP/

Scholarship deadline: See website

Contact information:
Denise Ellis
Program Manager, Alfred P. Sloan Foundation Programs
NACME Inc.
440 Hamilton Ave, Suite 302
White Plains NY 10601-1813
E-mail: sloanphds@nacme.org

Category: Graduate
Delbert Oberteuffer Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: American Association for Health Education (AAHE)

Award: $1,500

Eligibility requirements: The award is open to a doctoral level student who is currently enrolled in a health education program in the United States or a U.S. territory. To be eligible to apply, you must be an AAHE member and a graduate student at an accredited college/university in a doctoral level course of study leading to preparing you to develop, implement and/or evaluate health education programs for children and youth. The applicant must also have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.5 in graduate courses.


How to apply: [Link to apply]

Scholarship deadline: January 15

Contact information: American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation & Dance 1900 Association Dr. Reston, VA 20191-1598

Category: Graduate

Ethnic Minority & Women’s Enhancement Scholarship Athletics for Careers in Athletics

Name of Sponsor: National College Athletic Association

Information about sponsor: NCAA believes in and is committed to diversity, inclusion and gender equity among its student-athletes, coaches and administrators. We seek to establish and maintain an inclusive culture that fosters equitable participation for student-athletes and career opportunities for coaches and administrators from diverse backgrounds.

Award: $7,500

Eligibility requirements: 
- Applicants must be seeking admission or have been accepted into a sports administration or other graduate program that will assist the applicant in obtaining a career in intercollegiate athletics
- Applicants may not have begun any initial postgraduate studies.
- Applicants must be U.S. citizens.
- Applicants must have performed with distinction as a student body member at their respective undergraduate institution.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: The applicant's involvement in extracurricular activities, course work, commitment to pursuing a career in intercollegiate athletics and promise for success in such a career will be considered.

How to apply: [Link to apply]

Scholarship deadline: December 15

Contact information: For more information about the NCAA Ethnic Minority and Women’s Enhancement Postgraduate Scholarship for Careers in Athletics, please contact Lori Thomas at 317/917-6683 or e-mail at lthomas@ncaa.org.

Miscellaneous: Scholarship is not renewable

Category: Graduate
Graduate Fellowship for Ethnic Minorities

Name of Sponsor: American Society of Criminology

Information about sponsor: The American Society of Criminology is an international organization whose members pursue scholarly, scientific, and professional knowledge concerning the measurement, etiology, consequences, prevention, control, and treatment of crime and delinquency.

Award: $6,000

Eligibility requirements: The fellowships are designed to encourage students of color, especially those from ethnic minority groups underrepresented in the field, including but not limited to, Asians, Blacks, Indigenous peoples, and Hispanics, to enter the field of criminology and criminal justice. Applicants need not be members of the American Society of Criminology. Individuals studying criminology or criminal justice issues are encouraged to apply. The recipients of the fellowships must be accepted into a program of doctoral studies.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: A complete application must contain (1) proof of admission to a criminal justice, criminology, or related program of doctoral studies; (2) up-to-date curriculum vitae; (3) indication of race or ethnicity; (4) copies of undergraduate and graduate transcripts; (5) statement of need and prospects for financial assistance for graduate study; (6) a letter describing career plans, salient experiences, and nature of interest in criminology and criminal justice; and (7) three letters of reference.

How to apply: http://www.asc41.com/awards/GradMinorityFellowship.html

Scholarship deadline: March 1

Contact information:
Rod K. Brunson
973-353-5030
rodbruns@newark.rutgers.edu

Miscellaneous: The Executive Board may decide not award the fellowships in any given year.

Category: Graduate

Harriet Evelyn Wallace Scholarship for Female Graduate Geoscience Students

Name of Sponsor: American Geosciences Institute

Information about sponsor: AGI is a not-for-profit 501(c)(3) organization dedicated to serving the geoscience community and addressing the needs of society.

Award: $5,000

Eligibility requirements:
- Applications are open to all women pursuing a Master's or Doctoral degree in the geosciences.
- Full time student and must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident. The Harriet Evelyn Wallace Scholarship
- Either be entering graduate school or already enrolled in a graduate program in the geosciences
- Merit-based and applicants will be evaluated on their probability of successfully completing a geoscience graduate program and transitioning into the geoscience profession following graduation.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Applicants must submit unofficial GRE scores, all post-secondary unofficial academic transcripts, transcripts (if applicable), CV or Resume and write a 500-word abstract about their research interests.

How to apply: http://www.americangeosciences.org/workforce/harriet-evelyn-wallace-scholarship

Scholarship deadline: January 5

Contact information:
American Geosciences Institute
4220 King Street
Alexandria, VA 22302
(703) 379-2480
(703) 379-7563 FAX
agi@americangeosciences.org

Miscellaneous: The successful applicant will be awarded $5,000 for her first scholarship year. She will be eligible for a second year scholarship of $5,000 upon successful completion of her first year.

Category: Graduate
Lagrant Foundation Graduate Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: The Lagrant Foundation

Information about sponsor: The LAGRANT Foundation (TLF) was established to address the lack of diversity in the advertising, marketing and public relations fields. TLF provides scholarships, career development workshops, professional development, mentors and internships to African American/Black, American Indian/Native American, Asian American/Pacific Islander and Hispanic/Latino undergraduate and graduate students.

Award: $5,000

Eligibility requirements:
- Must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident
- Must be a member of one of the following ethnic groups: African American/Black, Asian American/Pacific Islander, Hispanic/Latino or Native American/Alaska Native
- Must be a full-time student at a four-year, accredited institution in the U.S
- Must have a minimum of 3.2
- MUST major in a field of study that has an emphasis in public relations, marketing or advertising or in art, anthropology, communications, English, graphic design or sociology while maintaining a career focus in advertising, marketing or public relations

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Completed application form, Resume, Letter of Recommendation, Unofficial transcripts

How to apply: http://www.lagrantfoundation.org/Graduate%20Scholarships

Scholarship deadline: February 27

Contact information:
The LAGRANT Foundation
600 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1520
Los Angeles, CA 90017
Phone: 323.469.8680
Fax: 323.469.8683

Miscellaneous: If chosen, the applicant MUST attend TLF’s scholarship activities to receive the scholarship.

Category: Graduate

Marion B. Polluck Fellowship

Name of Sponsor: American Association for Health Education (AAHE)

Information about sponsor: The American Association for Health Education (AAHE) advances the profession by serving health educators and other professionals who strive to promote the health of all people.

Award: $3,000

Eligibility requirements: The fellowship will be presented to a talented and committed teacher in an elementary, middle school, or high school for graduate study at the master's level. The applicant must be currently enrolled in an accredited college/university in the United States or a U.S. territory in a health education program and be able to demonstrate six (6) completed credit hours in the program of study.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Applicants will be evaluated on the following criteria: Evidence of ability to link health needs of children to school health education Teaching experience Professional goals Potential to advance the practice of school health education Caliber of documents.

How to apply:

Scholarship deadline: November 15th of each year

Contact information:
American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation & Dance
1900 Association Dr.
Reston, VA 20191-1598

Category: Graduate
**NBMBAA® MBA Scholarship Program**

**Name of Sponsor:** National MBA Association, Inc

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor is an organization, which leads in the creation of economic and intellectual wealth for Blacks.

**Award:** Up to $10,000

**Eligibility requirements:**
- Be a minority student;
- Be enrolled full or part-time at an AACSB accredited university Master's Degree program in a management or business related program;
- Have a 3.0 or better Grade Point Average;
- Provide a letter of recommendation (Cannot be a family member);
- Provide a headshot;
- Be a citizen or resident of the United States; and
- You must at least 18 years old to apply.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Applicants must submit curriculum vitae or resume, a transcript and a 750 word essay on one of the chosen topics (See website for a list of topics).

**How to apply:** See website in January.
http://www.nbmbaa.org/programs/scholarships/graduate/Default.aspx

**Scholarship deadline:** See website for details

**Contact information:**
National Black MBA Association, Inc.
Graduate Scholarship Program
180 N. Michigan Avenue, Suite 1400
Chicago, IL 60601

**Category:** Graduates

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**Neuroscience Predoctoral Fellowship**

**Name of Sponsor:** American Psychological Association and Association of Neuroscience Departments and Programs

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor is a scientific and professional organization that represents psychology in the United States.

**Award:** Varies

**Eligibility requirements:**
- Applicants must be American citizens or permanent resident aliens with an alien registration card (I-151 or I-551). Individual on temporary or student visas are not eligible.
- Applicants should be enrolled full-time in a program leading to the PhD. This program is not intended for students pursuing doctoral degrees with a primarily clinical focus (e.g., MD or PsyD). Students not currently enrolled in suitable programs may apply as long as they gain acceptance into a PhD granting program for the fall term immediately following the application deadline.
- Fellowship recipients must be enrolled full-time in a program leading to the PhD by the fall term immediately following the application deadline.
- This program is not intended for students pursuing doctoral degrees with a primarily clinical focus (e.g., MD or PsyD).
- Those students identified as under-represented in the neurosciences are strongly encouraged to apply. The DPN follows the NIH Policy to Enhance Diversity, which you may peruse for additional information.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** In addition to a complete application, candidates must submit two letters of recommendation and show a commitment to research in neuroscience.

**How to apply:** http://www.apa.org/pi/mfp/index.aspx

**Scholarship deadline:** January 15th

**Contact information:**
Minority Fellowship Program
American Psychological Association
750 First Street, NE
Washington, DC 20002-4242
Phone: (202) 336-5500

**Category:** Graduate
## NMF Need-Based Fellowship

**Name of Sponsor:** National Medical Fellowships

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor to diversify the medical field by providing funding for minority students.

**Award:** $2,500 to $5,000

**Eligibility requirements:** Eligible candidates must be first or second year medical students. Students must provide proof of admission to an accredited medical school (letter of acceptance for first year medical students, academic transcript for second year medical students). Applicants must demonstrate and document financial need by submitted, complete copies of their parents’, spouse’s and their own most recent 1040, 1040A or 1040EZ tax forms and W2. All nontaxable income (e.g. AFDC, ADC, Social Security benefits, Etc.) must also be documented by the appropriate agency. Applicants must submit a current financial aid award letter. Applicants lacking evidence of taxable or nontaxable income must provide verification of means of support. All parental financial data must be submitted in order to evaluate dependant status.

A rigorous application process ensures that assistance is provided to students with the greatest documented need. Scholarships are granted on the basis of financial need as determined by the student’s total resources (including parental and spouses support), cost education, and receipt of other scholarships and grants.

**How to apply:** [http://www.nmfonline.org/programs.php](http://www.nmfonline.org/programs.php)

**Scholarship deadline:** September 25

**Contact information:**
National Medical Fellowships, Inc.
Need Based Scholarship Program
347 Fifth Avenue, Ste. 510
New York, NY 10016
Phone: (212) 483.8880

**Category:** 1st and 2nd year Medical Students

## Selected Professions Fellowship

**Name of Sponsor:** American Associations of University Women (AAUW)

**Information about sponsor:** AAUW advances equality for women and girls through advocacy, education, philanthropy, and research. AAUW breaks through educational and economic barriers so that all women have a fair chance. AAUW is a nationwide network of more than 170,000 members and supporters, 1,000 local branches, and 800 college and university partners.

**Award:** up to $10,000

**Eligibility requirements:** Fellowships in the following degree programs are restricted to women of color, who have been underrepresented in these fields:
- Master’s in business administration — applicants may apply for second year of study only
- Law — applicants may apply for third year of study only
- Doctorate in medicine — applicants may apply for third or fourth year of study only

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Selected Professions Fellowships are awarded for the following master’s programs: Architecture, Computer/information sciences, Engineering, Mathematics/statistics


**Scholarship deadline:** January 10

**Contact information:**
1111 Sixteenth St. NW
Washington, DC 20036
202.785.7700  800.326.2289

**Miscellaneous:** Priority is given to women who do not already hold a master’s or first professional degree.

**Category:** Graduate
### Spectrum Program Library Science

**Name of Sponsor:** American Library Association

**Information about sponsor:** The American Library Association (ALA) is the oldest and largest library association in the world, providing association information, news, events, and advocacy resources for members, librarians, and library users.

**Award:** $5,000

**Eligibility requirements:**
- Applicant must be a citizen or permanent resident of the U.S. or Canada.
- Applicant must be American Indian/Alaska Native, Asian, Black/African American, Hispanic/Latino or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander.
- Applicant must attend an ALA-accredited graduate program in library and information studies or an ALA-recognized NCATE School Library Media program.
- Applicant must be enrolled in an accredited program and begin school no later than September 1st or the Fall Semester immediately following the award (awards are announced each June).
- Applicants may have full or part time status.
- Applicants must be able to meet the requirement to maintain a minimum course load of two classes per semester (the Fall and Winter/Spring semesters following the award notification) during their scholarship year and should not anticipate graduating prior to the May following their award.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** A completed application will consist of an online portion (application, personal statement and references to be submitted online) and mailed additional materials such as a transcript.

**How to apply:** [http://www.ala.org/offices/diversity/spectrum/scholarshipinformation](http://www.ala.org/offices/diversity/spectrum/scholarshipinformation)

**Scholarship deadline:** March 1

**Contact information:**
Contact the ALA Office for Diversity for more information on becoming a Spectrum Scholar.
Phone 1.800.545.2433 ext 5048.
Email spectrum@ala.org

**Miscellaneous:** Spectrum Scholars receive a number of benefits in addition to their scholarship funds.

**Category:** Graduate

### Underrepresented Minority Postdoctoral Enrichment

**Name of Sponsor:** Burroughs Wellcome Fund

**Information about sponsor:** The Burroughs Wellcome Fund is an independent private foundation dedicated to advancing the biomedical sciences by supporting research and other scientific and educational activities.

**Award:** $60,000

**Eligibility requirements:**
- Must be nominated by a qualified mentor at the degree-granting institution where the applicant will conduct the postdoctoral/fellowship training
- Must have secured a postdoctoral position with funding (including support by the mentor's existing research grants)
- Must be underrepresented minorities (i.e. American Indian or Alaska Native, Black or African American, Hispanic, or Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander)
- Must be citizens of the United States or Canada
- Must devote at least 75% of time to research

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** The program targets postdoctoral fellows with Ph.D.s in the biomedical or medical sciences. Applicants with M.D. degrees who have secured a postdoctoral research appointment beyond clinical fellowship will be considered for this program. DDS, DVM, and PharmD candidates may be eligible, too.

**How to apply:** [http://www.bwfund.org/grant-programs/diversity-science/underrepresented-minority-postdoctoral-enrichment/eligibility](http://www.bwfund.org/grant-programs/diversity-science/underrepresented-minority-postdoctoral-enrichment/eligibility)

**Scholarship deadline:** See website for more details.

**Contact information:**
The Burroughs Wellcome Fund
21 T. W. Alexander Drive
Research Triangle Park, NC 27709
Telephone: 919-991-5100

**Miscellaneous:** A person with more than 36 months of postdoctoral experience (in a research laboratory) at the time of application or with more than five years from his/her Ph.D. is not eligible for this award.

**Category:** Graduate
Will Rogers Institute Fellowship

Name of Sponsor: Will Rogers Institute

Award: varies

Eligibility requirements: 1. The award is open to a graduate student who has completed at least one year of doctoral study (2 years preferred) in a health education program at an accredited college/university in the United States or a U.S. territory. (If the health education degree program exists under another title such as health promotion or community or public health, the health education relationship must be identified.) 2. The student must have a minimum, current, overall grade point average of 3.5 on a 4.0 scale. 3. Prior AAHE scholarship recipients may apply.

Criteria for awarding scholarship:

How to apply: http://www.wrinstitute.org/fellowships.aspx

Scholarship deadline: See website for more information

Contact information:
AAHE Will Rogers Institute Fellowship Committee
1900 Association Drive
Reston, VA 20191-1599
Phone: 703/476-3437 ♦ www.aaheinfo.org

Category: Graduate
SCHOLARSHIPS FOR UNIVERSITY-SPONSORED SCHOLARSHIPS
Clarence Beecher Allen Scholarship

**Name of Sponsor:** The College of Wooster

**Information about sponsor:** The College of Wooster is a community of independent minds, working together to prepare students to become leaders of character and influence in an interdependent global community.

**Award:** up to $27,000 per year

**Eligibility requirements:**
- Must be African American
- Must attend The College of Wooster in Wooster, Ohio.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Clarence Beecher Allen scholars are selected based on outstanding intellectual achievement, extra-curricular involvement and leadership, personal merit, scholarship essay competition and on-campus interview.

**How to apply:** https://connect.wooster.edu/register/Allen

**Scholarship deadline:** January 15

**Contact information:**
Please contact David Yokley or by phone at 800-877-9905 for questions regarding the Allen Scholarship program.

**Miscellaneous:** Students selected as finalist will receive an invitation to the Allen Competition Weekend. While on-campus, finalist will interview to determine Allen Scholarship Winners.

**Category:** High School Senior

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Eastern Michigan University Alumni Association Scholarship for Undergraduates

**Name of Sponsor:** Eastern Michigan University Alumni Association

**Information about sponsor:** This sponsor provides and engages alumni and students in programs, events and services that stimulate interest in, build loyalty for, and increase support for the University and its community.

**Award:** $1,250 per academic year up to $5,000

**Eligibility requirements:** Students who will be enrolled as entering freshmen, sophomores and transfer or graduate students at Eastern Michigan University in the fall semester with a grade point average (GPA) of 3.2 or better are encouraged to apply.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** All applicants must submit a fully completed Alumni Association Scholarship Application form, a written recommendation, an official copy of their high school transcript (including SAT/ACT scores and a cumulative average), and an essay of 500 words or less describing what it means to you to be an EMU Legacy. Also, applicants must be sponsored by a relative who is an Eastern Michigan University alumna/alumnus.

**How to apply:** http://www.emich.edu/alumni/awards/scholar.html

**Scholarship deadline:** March 1st

**Contact information:**
Office for Alumni Relations
1349 S. Huron, Suite 2
Ypsilanti, MI, USA 48197
Phone: (734) 487-0250
Fax: (734) 487-7009
Email: alumni.relations@emich.edu

**Miscellaneous:** The award granted per recipient is $1,250 per academic year and may be renewed for four consecutive years for a maximum award of $5,000.

**Category:** High School Seniors, Freshmen and Transfer Students
Eastern Michigan University Alumni Association Scholarship for Graduate Students

Name of Sponsor: Eastern Michigan University Alumni Association

Information about sponsor: This sponsor provides and engages alumni and students in programs, events and services that stimulate interest in, build loyalty for, and increase support for the University and its community.

Award: $1,250 per academic year up to $2,500

Eligibility requirements: Applicants must be admitted to the University at the graduate level (1st semester graduate students). Also, a grade point average (GPA) of 3.2 or better is required.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Scholarship application form, a written recommendation, an official copy of their undergraduate transcript, and an essay of 500 words or less describing what it means to you to be an EMU Legacy. Applicants must be sponsored by a parent or grandparent who is an Eastern Michigan University alumna/alumnus. Candidates also may be requested to attend an interview with the Alumni Association Scholarship Committee.

How to apply: [http://www.emich.edu/alumni/awards/scholar.html](http://www.emich.edu/alumni/awards/scholar.html)

Scholarship deadline: April 12th

Contact information:
Office for Alumni Relations
1349 S. Huron, Suite 2
Ypsilanti, MI, USA 48197
Phone: (734) 487-0250
Fax: (734) 487-7009
Email: alumni.relations@emich.edu

Miscellaneous: The award granted per recipient is $1,250 per academic year and may be renewed for one consecutive year for a maximum award of $2,500.

Category: Incoming Graduate Students

Private Scholarship (Wayne State University)

Name of Sponsor: Wayne State University

Award: Varies

Eligibility requirements: Requirements vary with each scholarship. In general students must have a minimum 3.0 grade point average (GPA) at the time the scholarship application is submitted. Exceptions are noted in the criteria of individual scholarships.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Scholarships may be awarded based on a combination of the specific award criteria, information provided on the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), grade point average, and a completed admission application.

How to apply: [http://wayne.edu/scholarships/transfer/private/list/](http://wayne.edu/scholarships/transfer/private/list/) or request an application from the contact information below.

Scholarship deadline: January 31st

Contact information:
Office of Scholarships and Financial Aid
Wayne State University
Welcome Center
42 W. Warren
Detroit, Michigan 48202
313.577.9058

Category: High School Seniors and Undergraduates
Dearborn Opportunity Scholarship (University of Michigan-Dearborn)

**Name of Sponsor:** University of Michigan-Dearborn

**Information about sponsor:** A satellite campus of the University of Michigan

**Award:** Each award valued at $8,000 or Full-Tuition

**Eligibility requirements:**
- Must be admissible to the University of Michigan-Dearborn.
- High school seniors admitted with a minimum recalculated GPA of 3.0 at the time of admission.
- Students must be enrolled in a public high school in school districts with an economic disadvantaged status of 70% or greater as recognized by the State of Michigan (details on [www.michigan.gov/cepi](http://www.michigan.gov/cepi)) from the counties of Lenawee, Livingston, Macomb, Monroe, Oakland, Washtenaw, or Wayne. Students enrolled in charter schools located within the geographic location of these districts are also included.
- Must be U.S. citizen or permanent resident, and meet Michigan residency requirements for in-state tuition.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** See Application for more information

**How to apply:** [http://umdearborn.edu/opportunityscholarship/](http://umdearborn.edu/opportunityscholarship/)

**Scholarship deadline:** December 15th

**Contact information:**
The University of Michigan-Dearborn
Office of Financial Aid, 1183 UC
4901 Evergreen Road
Dearborn, Michigan 48128-1491
Phone: 313-593-5300
Email: ask-ofa@umd.umich.edu

**Miscellaneous:** If a student is eligible for more than one UM-Dearborn funded scholarship, the scholarship of greater value will be awarded.

**Category:** High School Seniors

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Legacy Scholarship (University of Michigan-Dearborn)

**Name of Sponsor:** University of Michigan-Dearborn

**Award:** See website

**Eligibility requirements:** Applicants must:
- Have a familial relationship to a graduate of UM-Dearborn;
- Be accepted into a degree program at UM-Dearborn;
- Have demonstrated sustained activity and/or achievements in academic, extracurricular, community and/or leadership activities; and
- Be an incoming freshman with a cumulative minimum 3.0 GPA.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** In addition to a complete application, students must submit a transcript, two letters of recommendation and a letter of nomination from the UM-Dearborn alumnus/a with whom the familial relationship exists.

**How to apply:** [http://www.umd.umich.edu/legacyscholarship/](http://www.umd.umich.edu/legacyscholarship/)

**Scholarship deadline:** February 1st

**Contact information:**
Office of Alumni Relations
Phone: 313-593-5131

**Category:** High School Senior and Undergraduates
Dependent Tuition Scholarship (University of Michigan-Dearborn)

Name of Sponsor: University of Michigan-Dearborn

Information about sponsor: A satellite campus of the University of Michigan

Award: 50% tuition scholarship

Eligibility requirements: Applicants must be dependents of regular part time and full time staff and faculty at the University of Michigan-Dearborn (at a 50% and higher appointment). See website for more information.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See application

How to apply: http://umdearborn.edu/fa_dependent_tuition/

Scholarship deadline: See website.

Contact information:
The University of Michigan-Dearborn
Office of Financial Aid, 1183 UC
4901 Evergreen Road
Dearborn, Michigan 48128
Phone: 313-593-5300

Category: High School Seniors, Undergraduate and Graduates

Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program

Name of Sponsor: Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University (FAMU)

Award: Varies

Eligibility requirements: All awardees must submit a completed (error free) Florida Financial Aid Application during their last year in high school after December 1st and prior to graduation.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See Application

How to apply: http://www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org/ssfad/bf/

Scholarship deadline: December 1st prior to graduation

Contact information:
Office of Financial Aid
1700 Lee Hall Drive
101 Foote Hilyer Administration Center
Tallahassee, FL 32307
Phone: 850-599-3730

Category: High School Senior or Undergraduate
Non-Institutional Scholarships (Oakland Community College)

**Name of Sponsor:** Sponsored by a variety of organizations

**Award:** Varies

**Eligibility requirements:** See Website

**How to apply:** [http://www.oaklandcc.edu/FinAid/NI_Scholarships.aspx](http://www.oaklandcc.edu/FinAid/NI_Scholarships.aspx)

**Scholarship deadline:** Varies

**Contact information:**
Oakland Community College  
2480 Opdyke Road  
Bloomfield Hills, MI 48304  
Phone: 248.341.2000

**Category:** Community College

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Chancellor’s Scholarship (Oakland Community College)

**Award:** $2,000

**Eligibility Criteria for High School Students:**

1. Must be a current Oakland County public or private high school student;
2. Must have a minimum cumulative (not weighted) GPA of 3.0;
3. Official transcript must include the fall semester grades; and
4. Must graduate in June prior to college attendance.

**Eligibility Criteria for Adult Education/Alternative Education Center Students**

1. Must be a current Oakland County Adult Education/Alternative Education Center student;
2. Must have a minimum cumulative (not weighted) GPA of 2.5;
3. Official transcript must include the fall semester grades;
4. Must have completed a minimum of three terms of adult/alternative education; and
5. Must graduate in June prior to college attendance.

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** An official transcript must be submitted with each application.

**How to apply:** Applications will be available in December on the website [http://www.oaklandcc.edu/finaid/chancellor.aspx](http://www.oaklandcc.edu/finaid/chancellor.aspx)

**Scholarship deadline:** March 15th

**Contact information:**
Phone: (248) 341-2000

**Category:** High School Senior and Adult Education/Alternative Education Center Students.
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Lawrence University Music Scholarships

Award: Varies with scholarship

Eligibility requirements: Must be pursuing a degree at Lawrence University

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Varies with scholarship. In most cases, applicant has to perform a piece of music

How to apply: http://www.lawrence.edu/admissions/afford/merit_based/music.shtml

Scholarship deadline: See website for more information

Contact information:
Lawrence University
Office of Admissions
711 East Boldt Way
Appleton, WI 54911-5626
Phone: (800) 227-0982 or (920) 832-7000
Email: excel@lawrence.edu

Category: Undergraduates

University of Oxford Rhodes Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: University of Oxford

Information about sponsor: This is a university in the United Kingdom

Award: Full scholarship

Eligibility requirements: Applicants must:
- Be a citizen of the United States;
- Be at least 18 but not yet 24 years of age by October 1st of the application year; and
- Have enough education to complete a bachelor’s degree or higher.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See application

How to apply: http://www.rhodesscholar.org/applying-for-the-scholarship/


Contact information:
The American Secretary
The Rhodes Trust, USA
8229 Boone Boulevard, Suite 240
Vienna, Virginia 22182-2623
Email: amsec@rhodesscholar.org

Category: Undergraduate and Graduate
Jacksonville State University Scholarship

**Name of Sponsor:** Jacksonville State University

**Award:** Varies

**Eligibility requirements:** Academic Scholar scholarships are automatically given consideration to entering freshmen based on the receipt of ACT/SAT test scores. Awarding of these academic scholarships is contingent upon receipt of official ACT/SAT test scores, completion of an admission application and unconditional acceptance.

Most scholarships are based on the applicant's academic or extracurricular record, while some are based on demonstrated financial need. Students must complete a scholarship application to be considered for those scholarships listed on the University Scholarship listing. Those requesting scholarships based on need should also submit a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). The quickest way to apply is online at [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov).

**How to apply:** [http://www.jsu.edu/finaid/scholarships/](http://www.jsu.edu/finaid/scholarships/)

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**Scholarship deadline:** March 1st

**Contact information:**
Jacksonville State University
700 Pelham Road North
Jacksonville, AL 36265-1602

**Category:** High School and Undergraduate

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The Equity and Diversity Enhancement Program (University of Alabama at Birmingham)

**Name of Sponsor:** University of Alabama at Birmingham (UAB) Office for Equity and Diversity

**Information about sponsor:** The Office for Equity and Diversity is responsible for providing effective leadership in the development, coordination, implementation and assessment of a comprehensive array of programs to promote diversity and understanding of differences at UAB.

**Award:** $23,000 plus tuition and fees

**Eligibility requirements:**
- Applicants must be admitted into a Ph.D. Program at UAB
- Applicants must seek a Ph.D. in one of the STEM fields - Science, Technology, Engineering or Mathematics

**Criteria for awarding scholarship:** Applicants are required to submit a two page essay on academic goals and why they are applying for fellowship, three sealed letters of reference from person in supervisory/academic roles.

**How to apply:** [http://www.uab.edu/equitydiversity/programs/scholarship-programs/59-edep](http://www.uab.edu/equitydiversity/programs/scholarship-programs/59-edep)

**Scholarship deadline:** See website for more information

**Contact information:**
The Office of the Vice President for Equity and Diversity
The University of Alabama at Birmingham
401 Campbell Hall
1530 3rd Avenue South
Birmingham, AL 35294-1170

**Miscellaneous:** All fellowship awards begin with the fall semester of the particular year.

**Category:** Graduate