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**HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS
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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

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 approved business, engineering, mathematics and science fields.
- Demonstrate financial need.
- 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: February: Their website said March 19th for 2010 nothing yet for 2011 (Make a phone call)

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

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

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;
- High academic achievers in chemistry or science (Grade Point Average 3.0, "B" or better);
- Able to demonstrate evidence of financial need according to FAFSA form (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) and the Student Aid Report (SAR) form;
- A graduating high school senior, college freshman, sophomore or junior intending to or already majoring in chemistry, biochemistry, chemical engineering or a chemically-related science and planning a career in the chemical sciences or chemical technology;
- **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), a 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/acs/corg/content?nfpb=true&pageLabel=PP_TRANSITIONMAIN&node_id=1234&use_sec=false&sec_url_var=region1

Scholarship deadline: March 1st (Annually)

Contact information:

ACS Scholars Program

1155 16th Street, NW

Washington, DC 20036

1 (800) 227-5558 (ext. 6250)

Fax: (202) 776-8003

e-mail: scholars@acs.org

Category: High School Senior and Undergraduates

AIChE Minority Scholarship for Incoming Freshmen

Name of Sponsor: The American Institute of Chemical Engineers

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

Award: \$1,000

Eligibility requirements: 1. Applicants must be members of a minority group (i.e. African-American, Hispanic, Native American, or Alaskan Native) that is underrepresented in chemical engineering. 2. Applicants must be high school graduates during the application year and plan to enroll in a four-year university offering a science/engineering degree for the following academic year. Applicants are encouraged to choose classes leading to a degree in science or engineering. 3. The selection of winners will be based on the applicant's academic record, participation in school and work activities, reason for choosing science or engineering, and financial need.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: In addition to a complete application, candidates must submit an essay, a letter of recommendation and a letter for a parent/guardian that state financial need.

How to apply:

<http://www.aiche.org/Students/Awards/MinorityScholarshipAwardsIncomingFreshmen.aspx>

Scholarship deadline: See website in January

Contact information:

Nina Scatton
American Institute of Chemical Engineers (AIChE)
3 Park Avenue, 19th Floor
New York, NY 10016-5991
General Inquiries: (800) 242-4363
Phone: (646) 495-1331
Fax: (646) 495-1503
e-mail: ninas@aiche.org

Category: High School Seniors

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
Fax: (303) 426-1200

Category: For 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: Applicants must write an essay that 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: September 17th

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 Scholarships

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 and an official transcript.

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

Scholarship deadline: Applications accepted **January 1st - June 1st** of each year

Contact information:

21400 Oakwood Boulevard
Dearborn, Michigan 48124 USA
Located next to Henry Ford Museum
Phone: 313.240.4000
Fax: 313.240.8641

Category: High School Senior or 1st year college student

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: \$10,000 to \$20,000

Eligibility requirements: Applicants must be a current high school (or home-schooled) seniors attending school in the US (or select DoD schools) and a US Citizen; US National; US Permanent Resident; Temporary Resident (in a legalization program); 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: <https://www.coca-colascholars.org/cokeWeb/index.jsp?navigation=1>

Scholarship deadline: Apply between August 1st - October 31st

Contact information:

Four Year Award For Seniors
Post Office Box 442
Atlanta, GA 30301-0442
Toll Free 800-306-2653
Fax 404-733-5439
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

Coca-Cola All-State Community College Academic Team 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: varies

Eligibility requirements: Applicants must have a cumulative college-level GPA of 3.50 on a 4.0 scale for all coursework completed in the last five years, regardless of institution attended, Also, students must be on track to earn an Associate or a Bachelor degree (or the equivalent of a U.S. Associate or Bachelor degree) and must have a community college record free of suspension, probation or other serious disciplinary action. Must have a record 1) free from any criminal conduct, or 2) if a convicted felon, has completed all conditions of sentencing, including probation.

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

How to apply: Please contact the two-year college that you attend (or plan to attend) for information on the nomination process <https://www.coca-colascholars.org/cokeWeb/page.jsp?navigation=16>

Contact information:

Email: scholarship.programs@ptk.org
Phone: (601) 987-5741

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>

Scholarship deadline: See website in January

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

Chrysler Scholarship Program

Name of Sponsor: Chrysler Corporation

Information about sponsor: This sponsor is an international automobile company that provides financial assistance to dependent children of its employees.

Award: Up to \$5,000

Eligibility requirements: Children of regular, full-time employees, retirees and deceased employees of DaimlerChrysler Corporation subsidiaries operating in the U.S. that contributes to the DaimlerChrysler Corporation Fund.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Submit a complete application

How to apply:

<http://comnet.chrysler.com/webpub/cma/attachments/DaimlerChryslerTimes/F1537310.pdf>

Scholarship deadline: February 1 annually

Contact information:

Scholarship Management Services, Scholarship America
1505 Riverview Road, P.O. Box 297
Saint Peter, MN 56082
Phone: (800) 537-4180

Category: High School Senior and Undergraduates under age 21

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.

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

Criteria for awarding 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: Varies.
http://www.dar.org/natsociety/edout_scholar.cfm#general

Contact information:
Committee Services Office
Attn: Scholarships
1776 D Street, NW
Washington, DC 20006-5303

Category: High School Seniors, Undergraduate and Graduate

DECA Scholarships

Name of Sponsor: 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 employees of Deca members. See application for more eligibility requirements.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Varies with scholarship

How to apply: <http://www.mideca.org/students/scholarships.html>

Scholarship deadline: See website in the fall

Contact information:
DECA Inc.
1908 Association Drive
Reston, VA 20191
Phone: (703) 860-5000
Fax: (703) 860-4013
e-mail: info@deca.org

Category: High School Seniors and Undergraduates

Detroit Compact Incentive Scholarship Program

Name of Sponsor: Detroit Regional Chamber

Information about sponsor: This sponsor is made up of member companies who make a volunteer annual investment in order to improve the community.

Award: Provides tuition and mandatory fees for college

Eligibility requirements:

- Detroit Public School students only
- ACT/SAT results of 21 / 990 or better in reading and math only and cumulative (from 9th grade) 3.0 GPA for public college and university scholarship
- 95% attendance in high school
- For community colleges, need ACT of 18 and 2.5 GPA

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See application.

How to apply:

http://www.detroitchamber.com/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=682:detroit-compact-incentive-scholarship-program&catid=21:work-in-detroit

Scholarship deadline: May 1st

Contact information:

Compact Coordinator at your school, or to
Robert Troutman
One Woodward Avenue
P.O. Box 33840
Detroit, Michigan 48232-0840
Phone: (313) 596-0478
e-mail: rtroutma@detroitchamber.com

Miscellaneous: Important to note that some students may not qualify for a complete financial package and might need to find other sources for funds

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

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 and family economic need.

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: See website in the fall to find out deadline
<http://www.econclub.org/Educational/Scholarship.aspx>

Contact information:

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

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

Category: High School Seniors

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: \$500

Eligibility requirements: Beginning with the graduating class of 2011, these scholarships are available to all students who (a) apply by December 1, 2010 or by December 1 of their 9th grade year, and (b) live in Detroit and are enrolled in a DPS high school continuously from the date of application through graduation.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See application for more details.

How to apply: Click on the student login button on the website.
<http://www.detroitcollegepromise.com/index.html>

Scholarship deadline: See application for more details.

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: **1).** For the class of 2009, the scholarship was offered only to seniors at Cody High School who applied by December 1, 2008. **2).** For the class of 2010, the scholarship was offered to all seniors at Cass Tech, Central, Cody, Douglass, Pershing and Trombly High Schools. The application deadline was January 15, 2010. **3).** For Cody graduates, the award is for four years, but it is for one year at other DPS high schools. **4).** The student must be a full-time student, taking at least 12 credit hours per semester. Summer school classes are NOT covered at this time. Four years is defined as the receipt of a bachelor's degree or 130 credit hours towards a degree, whichever occurs first.

Category: High School Seniors

Detroit Tigers Willie Horton Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: Detroit Tigers

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

Award: \$5,000

Eligibility requirements: Applicant must be a senior from Detroit's 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
<http://cfsem.org/scholarships/detroit-tigers-willie-horton-scholarship>

Scholarship deadline: See application

Contact information:

Detroit Tigers Willie Horton Scholarship Committee
Northwestern High School
Administrative Office
2200 West Grand Blvd.
Detroit, MI 48208

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: \$40,000 (up to 10 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
<http://www.discoverfinancial.com/community/scholarship.shtml>

Scholarship deadline: See website for 2011 deadline. The application process for 2010 is closed.

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

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: \$250-\$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

http://www.feea.org/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=17&Itemid=46

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

Contact information:

Niki (Logan) Gleason
Program Director, Scholarships

Phone: (303) 933-7580

Fax: (303) 933-7587

Category: High seniors and undergraduates

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
- 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>

Scholarship deadline: January 10, 2011

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

Girls Going Places® Entrepreneurship Award Program

Name of Sponsor: Guardian Life Insurance Company

Information about sponsor: This sponsor is a mutual life insurance company that provides diversified financial solutions, including life insurance, disability income insurance, retirement services, employee benefits, and investments.

Award: up to \$10,000

Eligibility requirements: Applicant must be female between the ages of 12 and 18 as of 12/31/2010, and a legal U.S. resident. Also, she must be enrolled in a middle school or high school or, for home schooled students, receiving equivalent instruction elsewhere than at school in adherence to the laws and regulations of the her resident state, and not enrolled in a post-secondary institution such as a college or university or trade school.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: In addition to the application, applicants must submit a 250-word personal statement, a 750-word recommendation letter from an adult endorsing you as an accomplished young female entrepreneur, One completed entry form/application signed by a parent/legal guardian and the nominator and any supporting materials such as relevant financial data, photographs, articles, awards, citations, samples, electronic media (CD, tapes) etc.

How to apply:

http://www.guardianlife.com/womens_channel/girls_going_places/girls_going_places.html

Scholarship deadline: See website for 2011 deadline. The application process for 2010 is closed.

Contact information:

The Guardian Life Insurance Company of America
Attn: Girls Going Places® Entrepreneurship Award Program
7 Hanover Square, H26-J
New York, NY 10004
e-mail: guardianwomenschannel@glic.com

Category: Girl ages 12 to 18

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. for the 2010–2011 academic year. 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, Software Engineering or related program
- 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://google.eresources.com/applications/login.asp>

Scholarship deadline: February 15th (see website for more details)

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

Category: High School

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: See website for deadline

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

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_EN.asp
Application opens in December.

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 disadvantaged youth to realize the economic and personal opportunities that are available to them through receiving an education.

Award: \$20,000

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 (\$50,000 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 30th

Contact information:

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

Miscellaneous: Applications must be completed online. In extreme circumstances, students may request a paper application from the Horatio Alger Association at HoratioAlger@act.org.

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 \(FAFSA\)](#)
- Preference will be given students who have participated in the [Ford PAS program](#)

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See website

How to apply: <http://www.hsf.net/Scholarships.aspx?id=426>

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

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, Graduate

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: \$1,000- \$5,000

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:

http://www.bankofamerica.com/foundation/index.cfm?template=fd_joemartin

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

John F. Kennedy Profile in Courage Essay Contest

Name of Sponsor: John F. Kennedy Library Foundation

Information about sponsor:

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/>

Scholarship deadline: January (see website for more details)

Contact information:

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

Miscellaneous:

Category: High School

KFC Colonel's Scholars 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: Up to \$20,000 over four years

Eligibility requirements: Applicants must graduate from high school the academic year of the award; earn a minimum cumulative high school GPA of 2.75; plan to pursue a bachelor's degree at a public, in-state college or university; be a US citizen or permanent resident; and demonstrate financial need

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Complete online application

How to apply: <http://www.kfcscholars.org/default.asp>

Scholarship deadline: Visit website after December 1st

Contact information:

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

Category: High School Seniors

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:

<http://www.kohlscorporation.com/CommunityRelations/scholarship/index.asp>

Scholarship deadline: See website after February 1st

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: Applicants must be a Detroit Public high school senior who has been admitted to a four year college or university as a full-time student and who has a financial need. Also, they must have a minimum of a 2.5 GPA

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: lpdsfoundation@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:

Award: Varies

Eligibility requirements: Please refer to the website in January 2011 for updated scholarship information

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Please refer to the website in January 2011 for updated scholarship information

How to apply: <http://www.lcf.org/page29412.cfm>

Scholarship deadline: See website for further 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

McDonald's USA Scholarship Programs

Name of Sponsor: Ronald McDonald House Charities (RMHC)

Information about sponsor: This sponsor is funded by the McDonald's Corporation.

Award: Varies

Eligibility requirements:

- Be a high school senior
- Be younger than 21 years old
- Be eligible to attend a two- or four-year college or university with a full course of study
- Be a legal U.S. resident
- Live in a participating RMHC Chapter's geographic area
- Submit a complete application and all required documentation by the deadline on the application
- Meet any additional eligibility requirements outlined by each scholarship program
- Verification of enrollment each year at the student's accredited post-secondary institution

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Complete online application

How to apply: <http://www.mcdonalds.com/usa/good/people/scholarship.html>

Scholarship deadline: See website for more information.

Contact information:

Ronald McDonald House Charities
One Kroc Drive
Oak Brook, IL 60523
Phone: 630-623-7048
Fax: 630-623-7488
E-mail: info@rmhc.org

Miscellaneous: Students may only apply for one of the four scholarships

Category: High School Seniors

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/eduandevents/foundscholarships.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

Most Valuable Student Competition

Name of Sponsor: Elks National Foundation

Information about sponsor:

Award: \$1,000- \$15,000

Eligibility requirements: Any high school senior who is a citizen of the United States and pursuing a four-year degree, on a full-time basis (minimum of 12 semester hours), in a U.S. American college or university.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Visit the website on or after September 1st for more information.

How to apply: <http://www.elks.org/enf/scholars/mvs.cfm>

Scholarship deadline: December 1, 2010

Contact information:

2750 N. Lakeview Ave.
Chicago, IL 60614-2256
Phone: (773) 755-4728
Fax: (773) 755-4729
Email: [Email enf@elks.org](mailto:enf@elks.org)

Miscellaneous: Applications must be sent to the local Elks branch and advance through district and state competition to reach the national competition.

Category: High School Seniors

Detroit Omega Foundation, Inc.

Name of Sponsor: Nu Omega Chapter of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.

Information about sponsor: This sponsor is a non-profit corporation that has a mission to have a strong, positive and uplifting impact on Detroit area youth and families by providing them with programs and services that educate, mentor, support and broaden their horizon.

Award: \$5,000

Eligibility requirements: Applicant must:

- Be an African-American male
- Have graduated by June of the application year
- Admitted to a historically black college or university and
- Posses a grade point average of 2.5 or higher on a 4.0 scale

Criteria for awarding scholarship: In addition to completing an application, students must submit a transcript, ACT or SAT scores, a letter of recommendation from his principal or counselor

How to apply: www.dofi.org

Scholarship deadline: April 15th

Contact information:

Medgar Clark - Executive Director
Detroit Omega Foundation, Inc.
235 East Ferry Avenue
Detroit, MI 48202
Phone: (313) 875-2010
Fax: (313) 875-2050

Category: High School Seniors

MSPE High School Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: Michigan Society of Professional Engineers

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

Eligibility requirements: Applicants must be accepted at a Michigan ABET accredited college or university and enroll in an engineering program; be a high school senior, a resident of Michigan, and a U.S. Citizen at the time of application; have at least a 3.0 grade point average (based on a 4.0 scale) for the 10th and 11th grades; attain a minimum composite test score of 26 on the American College Testing (ACT) Exam.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Along with a complete application, candidates must submit ACT test score, high school transcript and a list of senior classes being taken

How to apply: Obtain the application from your guidance counselor, your local MSPE Chapter or the MSPE Headquarters. For more information, visit the website:

http://www.michiganspe.org/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=25&Itemid=50

Scholarship deadline: Third Monday in February

Contact information:

PO Box 15276
Lansing, MI 48901
Phone: 517-487-9388
Fax: 517-487-0635
E-Mail: mspe@michiganspe.org

Miscellaneous: Scholarship awards are contingent upon acceptance for admission and intent to earn a degree in engineering and enter the practice of engineering after graduation.

Category: High School Seniors

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 to \$10,000

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/ed/npec/enter.html>

Scholarship deadline: February 1, 2011

Contact information:

National Peace Essay Contest
United States Institute of Peace
1200 17th Street NW, Suite 200
Washington, DC 20036-3011
Phone: (202) 457-1700
Fax: (202) 429-6063

Category: High School Students (9th-12th grade)

Academic Competitiveness Grants and National Science and Mathematics Access to Retain Talent (SMART) Grants

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: Each applicant must be a U.S. citizen, who is a Federal Pell Grant recipient and enrolled at least as a half-time student in a four-year degree program. Also, he or she must have at least a cumulative 3.0 grade point average on a 4.0 scale and majoring in physical, life or computer science, engineering, mathematics, technology, or a critical foreign language

How to apply: Complete a FASFA application. <http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/>

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
190 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

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: Varies (see website)

Eligibility requirements: See website for more information

How to apply:

<http://national.nsbe.org/Programs/Scholarships/tabid/84/Default.aspx> Applications open on September 17th

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

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 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: Contact scholarship fund for application

Scholarship deadline: See website (www.cfsem.org) in the fall for 2011 deadline information

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

Patricia M. McNamara Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: Ropage Group LLC

Information about sponsor:

Award: \$1,000

Eligibility requirements: You must be attending or planning to attend an institute of higher education in the up coming school year.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: In 500 words or less describe the changes in your life as you first became a college student/or the changes you anticipate when you first become a college student.

How to apply: <http://www.patricias-scholarship.org/apply.html>

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

Contact information:

Ropage Group
8877 N. 107th Ave. Suite 302
Box 287
Peoria, AZ 85345
Email: questions@patricias-scholarship.org

Category: High School Seniors and undergraduates

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/cps/info.php>

Scholarship deadline: See website

Contact information:

120 Hawthorne Avenue, Suite 103
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

The Print and Graphics Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: The Print and Graphics Scholarship Foundation (PGSF)

Information about sponsor:

Award: Up to \$5,000

Eligibility requirements:

- Interested in a career in the graphic communication industry.
- A high school senior or a high school graduate who has not yet started college.
- A college student who is enrolled in a two- or four-year college program.
- All scholarship students must be full-time students. Scholarships are not awarded for part-time study

Criteria for awarding scholarship: 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.

How to apply <http://www.printing.org/pgsfapplication>

Scholarship deadline: March 1 for High School Students and April 1 for Enrolled College Students

Contact information:

Program Administrator
Phone: (412) 259-1740
E-mail: pgsf@printing.org

Category: High School

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, meet additional requirements as noted in application package

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See application

How to apply: See website in January 2011
<http://rosaparksscholarshipfoundation.org/>

Contact information:

The Rosa L. Parks Scholarship Foundation
P.O. Box 950
Detroit, MI 48231
Email: rpscholarship@dnps.com
Phone: (313) 222-2538

Category: High School Seniors

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: See website (www.cfsem.org) in the fall for 2011 deadline information

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

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>

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
Web site: www.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

Sin Barreras Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: Sin Barreras Foundation

Information about sponsor: This sponsor is a non-profit organization that is dedicated to enriching the lives of Hispanics in the areas of education, community and health.

Award: Contact the Sin Barreras Foundation for further details

Eligibility requirements: Applicants must be a graduating high school senior of Hispanic heritage with a cumulative GPA of 2.80.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See application.

How to apply: See website for more information:

<http://www.sinbarrerasfoundation.com/>

Send an email to the foundation to obtain an application.

Scholarship deadline: See website for further details

Contact information:

Ralph Valpuesta

Foundation Coordinator

Email: sinbarrerasfoundation@lexiconmarketing.com

Phone: 323-782-7476

Category: High School Senior

Society of Women Engineers Scholarships

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?option=com_content&task=view&id=222&Itemid=111

Contact information:

Society of Women Engineers

120 S La Salle Street, Suite 1515

Chicago, IL 60603

Phone: 1.877.SWE.INFO

Email: hq@swe.org

Category: High School Seniors, Undergraduates and Graduates

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: See website for further details

Eligibility requirements: Applicants must be full-time students of Detroit Pershing High School and have applied to and be accepted by Michigan State University to begin classes for the academic year following graduation from Detroit Pershing

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

How to apply: <http://stevesmith.rossmancms.com/stevesmith-msu-scholarship-apply.htm>

Scholarship deadline: See application for deadline

Contact information:

Pershing High School
18875 Ryan Road
Detroit, MI. 48234-1917
Phone: (313) 866-7700
Email: info@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)
- 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: See website for further details

Contact information:

Email: collegescholarships@komen.org.

Category: High School Seniors and Undergraduates

Diamond Scholars Program

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 guardian's) most recently completed IRS 1040 tax form.

How to apply: <http://sms.scholarshipamerica.org/pepsicodiamond/>

Scholarship deadline: April 5th

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

Miscellaneous:

Category: High School Seniors

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>

Scholarship deadline: See website for further details.

Contact information:

SWE Detroit Section
ATTN: Mary Clor
Society of Women Engineers, Detroit Section
PO Box 2978
Southfield, MI 48037-2978
Email: Mary.clor@swe.org
Phone: (248) 288-9487

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 or ACT scores, an official transcript (with raised seal) and one letter of recommendation.

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

Scholarship deadline: March 31st

Contact information:

Jackie Robinson Foundation
Attn: Scholarship Application
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 Jalen Rose Foundation Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: The Jalen Rose Foundation

Information about sponsor: This organization creates life-changing opportunities for underserved youth through the development of unique programs and the distribution of grants to qualified nonprofit organizations that focus on sports and education in the city of Detroit

Award: \$10,000

Eligibility requirements: Applicant must reside in Detroit and be a high school senior in good standing during the application year with a cumulative GPA of 3.0/4.0 or higher. Students must be able to prove acceptance by an accredited college or university before the scholarships are distributed. Applicants must also demonstrate financial need by submitting a copy of their FAFSA form. The scholarship will be forfeited if the student does not enroll in college during the summer or fall of the award year.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Applicant submit completed application with an official high school transcript, a one page statement describing his or her goals for college (including how the student expects to finance their college education), a copy of their FAFSA form and a copy of the student's college acceptance letter. Applicant should also submit two letters of recommendation (from teachers, coaches, mentors, etc.) as well as obtain the appropriate verification signatures.

How to apply: <http://www.givingback.org/rose/rosescholarshipguidelines.htm>

Scholarship deadline: See website for further details.

Contact information:

The Jalen Rose Foundation
c/o The Giving Back Fund
6033 W. Century Blvd., Suite 350
Los Angeles, CA 90045
Phone: 310.649.5222

Email: jalen@givingback.org; main@givingback.org

Category: High School Senior

The Prudential Spirit of Community Awards

Name of Sponsor: Prudential Financial companies

Information about sponsor: 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.

Award: Up to \$5,000

Eligibility requirements:

- Is in grades 5–12 as of November 1st.
- Has engaged in a volunteer activity that occurred at least partly during the 12 months prior to the date of application.
- 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 1st.
- Is a legal resident of any U.S. state or Washington, D.C.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Applicants must:

- describe an individual's community service activity or an individual's significant leadership in a group activity that has taken place during the previous year,
- be completed and submitted to a school principal or the head of an officially designated local organization by November 1, and
- be certified by the principal of a middle level or high school or the head of an officially designated local organization.

How to apply: <http://spirit.prudential.com/view/page/soc/16676>

Scholarship deadline: November 1st

Contact information:

International Scholarship and Tuition Services

200 Crutchfield Avenue

Nashville, TN 37210

Phone: 1-877-525-8491 (toll free)

Phone: 615-320-3149

Email: info@applyists.com

Category: Students in grades 5-12

First In My Family Scholarship Program

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: \$500-\$5,000

Eligibility requirements: Applicants

- Must be of Hispanic background
- Must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident residing in the United States.
- Must be an undergraduate student for the upcoming year who attends school in the United States or Puerto Rico.
- Must be studying full-time in the United States or Puerto Rico
- Must have a minimum GPA of a 3.0 on a 4.0 scale
- Must demonstrate financial need
- Must be first in family to attend college for the upcoming academic year

Criteria for awarding scholarship: In addition to a complete application, students must submit a transcript, proof of family income, proof of citizenship, an essay, a resume and a letter of recommendation.

How to apply:

http://www.thesalliemaefund.org/smfnew/scholarship/first_family.html

Scholarship deadline: April 15th

Contact information:

The Sallie Mae Fund

12061 Bluemont Way

Reston, VA 20190

E-mail: thesalliemaefund@thesalliemaefund.org

Category: High School Senior and Undergraduates

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 \$2,200 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/v1/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=205&Itemid=248

Scholarship deadline: August 30, 2010 (See website for 2011 deadline)

Contact information:

The Thurgood Marshall College Fund National Headquarters
80 Maiden Lane
Suite 2204
New York, NY 10038
Toll Free: (877) 690-8673 Tel: (212) 573-8888
Fax: (212) 573-8497 (212) 573-8554

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

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 1,500 (note: 1000 or more combined for those universities that only accept verbal/math score) 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;
- Demonstrate leadership and community service;

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See application.

How to apply: Obtain an application by mail or by email.

<http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/about/civilrights/NRCS1890NationalScholarsProgram.html>

Scholarship deadline: February 1st of each calendar year

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

Virgil K. Lobring 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: \$1,500 (non-renewable)

Eligibility requirements: Southwestern High School graduating senior who shows both leadership and academic achievement and demonstrates the greatest improvement from the time of his/her freshman year. Also, applicants must demonstrate leadership and character through extra curricular activities, volunteer involvement and work experience in school and in the community and have applied or been accepted as a full-time student at an accredited educational institution in the United States.

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

How to apply: <http://cfsem.org/scholarships/virgil-k-lobring-scholarship>
Applications also available in Southwestern High School Counseling Offices

Scholarship deadline: See website for 2011 deadline

Contact information:
Southwestern High School
6921 W. Fort Street
Detroit, Michigan 48209-2912

Category: High School Seniors

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
- 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: http://www.ffa.org/index.cfm?method=c_programs.Scholarships

Scholarship deadline: See website for further details regarding the application availability and deadline

Contact information:
P.O. Box 68960, 6060 FFA Drive
Indianapolis, IN 46268-0960
Phone: 317-802-6060 * Fax: 317-802-6051
Email: scholarships@ffa.org

Category: High School Seniors

Sam Walton Community 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.
<http://walmartstores.com/CommunityGiving/8732.aspx>

Scholarship deadline: See application (Application Period Opens Nov. 1, 2010 for the 2010-11 academic year).

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

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://walmartstores.com/CommunityGiving/8732.aspx>

Scholarship deadline: See application (Application Period Opens Aug. 6, 2010 for the 2010-11 academic year).

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

Walton Family Foundation Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. (Administered by the Walmart Foundation)

Information about sponsor: This is a national retailer.

Award: \$13,000 (paid out over four years)

Eligibility requirements: Applicants must:

- Be a U.S. Citizen or Permanent Legal Resident of the United States.
- High school seniors graduating between August 1st and July 31 of the application year. (home school diplomas and GED equivalency certificates are eligible with the same completion date requirement)
- **Be an actively employed OR the dependent of an actively employed associate with Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. for at least six consecutive months**
- Have at least a 2.5 cumulative high school GPA.
- Have at least a 22 ACT or 1030 SAT (Critical Reading + Math)
- Have financial need and be able to demonstrate the need with required documents.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See application

How to apply: Application is available in the fall.

<http://walmartstores.com/CommunityGiving/8732.aspx>

Scholarship deadline: Information for the 2011 competition will be available in November 2010

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

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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: \$1,000 - \$2,000

Eligibility requirements: Applicants must:

- Must be enrolled in an accredited dental hygiene program in the United States
- Completed a minimum of one year in a dental hygiene curriculum. Students entering their first year of dental hygiene school are not eligible; students may be in the process of completing their first year when application is submitted.
- A minimum grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale).
- A full-time student during the academic year for which you are applying unless applying for the Part-Time Scholarship.
- Must be an active member of the Student American Dental Hygienists' Association (SADHA) or the American Dental Hygienists' Association (ADHA).
- Graduate students must hold an active dental hygiene license and hold the minimum of a baccalaureate degree; and
- Demonstrate a financial need of at least \$1,500 by using the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See application for more information.

How to apply: Application is available October 1st (annually)
<http://www.adha.org/institute/Scholarship/index.htm>

Scholarship deadline: February 1st

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

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 worlds 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. 2. 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/Students/Awards/MinorityScholarshipAwardsStudent.aspx>

Scholarship deadline: See website in January

Contact information:

American Institute of Chemical Engineers (AIChE)
3 Park Avenue
New York, NY 10016-5991
General Inquiries: 800-242-4363

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 \$3,000

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
- 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/members/div/career/mini/smas.htm>

Application will be posted in **November 2010**

Scholarship deadline: See website for further details

Contact information:

E-mail MIC_Programs@aicpa.org

Category: Undergraduates and Graduates

Akados / TextbookX.com Scholarship

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: \$2,500

Eligibility requirements: This competition is open to undergraduate and graduate students enrolled in good standing at an accredited college or university in the U.S. Also, you must be a legal resident of the U.S. or an international student with a valid visa to be eligible.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Students must write a 200 to 750 word essay that responds to the essay question that is found on the website.

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

Scholarship deadline October 31st at 11:59 PM EST

Contact information:

TextbookX.com
200 Connecticut Avenue
Norwalk, CT 06854

Miscellaneous: Applicants must reference one book that has influenced the response to the essay, and provide complete bibliographical information for it.

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: \$750 - \$2,500

Eligibility requirements: This sponsor provides both merit and financial need base 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.akaef.org/programsandinitiatives/>

Scholarship deadline: August 15, 2010 (See website for 2011 deadline)

Contact information:

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

Category: Graduate and Undergraduate

All-Ink.com College Scholarship Program

Name of Sponsor: All-Ink.com

Information about sponsor: All-Ink.com is a website that has the largest selection of printing supplies.

Award: up to \$5,000

Eligibility requirements: Students must be enrolled or planning to participate in an accredited college or university program during the spring or fall of the academic year. Also, they must be a United States citizen or permanent resident with a minimum 2.5 Grade Point Average.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Applicants must write a 50 to 200 word essay on a person who has had the greatest influence on his or her life and another 50 to 200 word essay on the applicant's plans for his or her professional and personal life after college.

How to apply: <http://www.all-ink.com/scholarship.aspx>
Must Contact All-Ink for the scholarship application (not available online)

Scholarship deadline December 31st

Contact information: 2008Scholarship@All-Ink.com

Category: Undergraduate and Graduate

American Cancer Society College Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: American Cancer Society

Information about sponsor: The goal of this society is to educate people about cancer, support friends and families of cancer patients and provide funding for research efforts in the area of cancer

Award: See website for details

Eligibility requirements: A cancer survivor age 20 or under (as of April 16th), U.S. citizen and legal resident of Indiana or Michigan and attending, or planning to attend, an accredited college or university in Indiana or Michigan in Fall of the award year as a full time student carrying 12 or more credit hours per semester

Criteria for awarding scholarship: The application requires letters of recommendation, a 500-word essay, a copy of high school academic grades, SAT and/or ACTS scores and financial information.

How to apply: <http://www.cancer.org/scholarships>

Scholarship deadline: See website for 2011 deadline

Contact information:

American Cancer Society
Great Lakes division Office
1755 Abbey Road
E. Lansing, MI 48823
Phone: (800) 723-0360

Miscellaneous: Applications will be reviewed for financial need, academic performance, community service, and leadership qualities. The awards are for one year, but can be renewed annually based on achievement.

Category: Undergraduates

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 27, 2011

Contact information:

Phone: (319) 341-2333

Miscellaneous: Award recipients are notified in late March

Category: Undergraduates: sophomores and juniors

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.abouthccf.org>

Available November 2010

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

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
- Good 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
- U.S. citizenship or legal permanent residency

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See website

How to apply: <http://www.chci.org/scholarships/page/chci-scholarship-program>

Scholarship deadline: April 16, 2010 (see website for 2011 deadline)

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

DHS Undergraduate Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: Department of Homeland Security

Information about sponsor: This sponsor is a government agency that was created to provide security to the US.

Award: \$1,000/month for 9 months during the academic year (plus full tuition); \$5,000 for the 10-week summer internship

Eligibility requirements:

- You must be a U.S. citizen as of the application deadline.
- You must have a cumulative undergraduate GPA of 3.30 or higher on a 4.00 scale, averaged over all U.S. institutions attended,
- You must be majoring in a homeland security science, technology, engineering or mathematics (HS-STEM) field with interest in a homeland security research area. See [Research Areas](#) List.
- If you have been attending college full-time, you must be in your second year of college attendance as of the application deadline.
- If you have attended college on a part-time basis, or a combination of part-time and full-time, since completing high school, you must have completed a total of at least 45 but no more than 60 semester hours (60 to 75 quarter hours) as of the application deadline.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See application

How to apply: Application is available in the Fall. For more information, see the following website: <http://www.orau.gov/dhsed/>

Scholarship deadline: See website for 2011 updates (2010 application has closed)

Contact information:

U.S. Department of Homeland Security
Washington, D.C. 20528

Category: Undergraduates

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.eliewiesel.org/prizeinethics.aspx>

Click on essay guidelines for an information sheet.

Scholarship deadline: See website in fall

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:

- U.S. citizenship.
- Full-time status as a college sophomore at an accredited college or university within the United States or U.S. territories.
- Cumulative **and** semester/quarter GPA of 3.0 (based on a 4.0 scale) in all completed undergraduate courses and in the major field of study.
- Majoring in a discipline area related to oceanic and atmospheric science, research, technology, or education, and supportive of the purposes of NOAA's programs and mission, e.g., biological, social and physical sciences; mathematics; engineering; computer and information sciences; and teacher education.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See application

How to apply: http://www.oesd.noaa.gov/Hollings_info.html

Applications are available November 2, 2011

Scholarship deadline: January 29, 2011

Contact information:

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
Hollings Undergraduate Scholarship

Phone: (301) 713-9437 ext. 150

StudentScholarshipPrograms@noaa.gov

Category: Undergraduates

FNSNA Scholarships

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 \$2,500

Eligibility requirements:

- Current enrollment and matriculation in a state-approved nursing program leading to an associate degree, baccalaureate, diploma, generic doctorate or generic master's degree; or enrolled in an RN to BSN completion, RN to MSN completion, or LPN/LVN to RN program;
- Pre-nursing students taking courses to prepare for matriculation into a nursing program;
- Attending classes and taking no less than six (6) credits per semester.
- Involvement in student nursing organizations and community health activities;
- Document academic achievement;
- Establish financial need;
- U.S. Citizen or Alien with U.S. Permanent Resident Status/Alien Registration Number;

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.nсна.org/FoundationScholarships/FNSNAScholarships/UndergraduateScholarship.aspx>

Scholarship deadline: January 15th

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

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:

<http://sites.nationalacademies.org/PGA/FordFellowships/index.htm>

Scholarship deadline: November 1, 2010

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

Gaia Community Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: Zaadz

Information about sponsor: The sponsor provides a website geared towards allowing people to come together and talk about how they can improve their communities and the world

Award: \$1,000

Eligibility requirements: This scholarship is available to students aspiring to be the change they wish to see in the world, live authentically and make a difference.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: You must answer the questions listed on the sponsor's website, one in less than 25 words and two in less than 250 words per question.

How to apply: <http://scholarships.gaia.com/>

Scholarship deadline: June

Contact information:

Gaia Community Scholarship
2118 Wilshire Blvd. Box 873
Santa Monica, CA 90403

Miscellaneous: Applicants who wish to apply online must register as members on the site for processing purposes.

Category: Graduate and Undergraduate

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:

- \$10,000 stipend over 3 semesters / four 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 junior, 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 until completion of graduate school
- Be US citizen at the time of applying
- 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/apply/general_instructions.php

Scholarship deadline: See website for updates

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 junior or senior and graduate students.

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:

- \$14,000 stipend in year 1 of the PhD program
- GEM Member University support years 2-5, equivalent to other funded doctorate students in the department
- a minimum of one paid summer internship with a GEM Employer Member
- 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 at least once early on or before the start of the Ph.D. program.
- Be US citizen at the time of applying
- 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/apply/general_instructions.php

Scholarship deadline: See website for updates

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, master's or graduate student

Harriett G. Jenkins Predoctoral 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 **\$24,000** and **\$18,000** for masters-level fellows. In addition, annual tuition offsets are **\$8500** 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 a, 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:

<http://www.uncfsp.org/spknowledge/default.aspx?page=program.view&areaid=1&contentid=177&typeid=jpfp>

Scholarship deadline: February 8, 2010 (See website for the 2011 deadline)

Contact information:

UNCF Special Programs Corporation
6402 Arlington Boulevard, Suite 600
Falls Church, VA 22042

Email: portal@uncfsp.org , hgfellows@uncf.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 to faculty locator the find the faculty representative at your school. <http://truman.gov//for-candidates/faculty-rep-locator/faculty-rep-locator>

How to apply: 2011 Applications are available. Obtain an application from the faculty representative. For more information about the scholarship, visit the following website: <http://www.truman.gov/for-candidates/For-Candidates>

Scholarship deadline: February 1, 2011

Contact information:

712 Jackson Place

NW Washington, DC 20006

Phone: (202) 395-4831 Fax: (202) 395-6995

Email: office@truman.gov

Category: Undergraduates: Junior

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: Application is available August 16th
<http://www.hertzfoundation.org/dx/fellowships/application/Application.aspx>

Scholarship deadline: October 29th

Contact information:

Fannie and John Hertz Foundation
2456 Research Drive
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., LL.D. 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 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 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
- Be majoring in the **arts**, including but not limited to media, film, performing arts, communications or writing
- Have a minimum cumulative grade point average (**GPA**) of **3.0** on a 4.0 scale (or the equivalent)
- **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://www.hsf.net/Scholarships.aspx?id=424>

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

IES Abroad Diversity Programs: HBCUs 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

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 \$5,000

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_Scholarships/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

Miscellaneous: You may apply for as many Merit-Based Scholarships as you are eligible

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: \$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.

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 1st)

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

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 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

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

Jack Kent Cooke Graduate 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: \$50,000

Eligibility requirements: Applicants must be a senior standing or have graduated from an accredited four-year US college or university within the past five years; have a cumulative undergraduate grade-point average of 3.50 or better on a scale of 4.0 (or the equivalent); demonstrate unmet financial need; have a bachelor's degree by the start of the fall semester of the award year; have not previously been nominated for the Jack Kent Cooke Foundation Graduate Scholarship; and have plans to begin their first graduate degree program at an accredited college or university in the fall of the award year.

How to apply: All applicants for the Graduate Scholarship Program must be nominated by the Foundation's Faculty Representative at their educational institutions. For information about faculty representatives and scholarship, visit the Foundation's website: <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: College 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: \$30,000

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:

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>

Scholarship deadline: See website in the fall

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

Jacob K. Javits Fellowships Program

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: Varies with applicant

Eligibility requirements: Undergraduate students about to enter graduate school and graduate students who have not yet completed their first year of graduate study and who intend to pursue a doctoral or master's degree in arts, humanities, and social sciences.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Applicant must submit a complete application with three letters of recommendation and a statement of purpose.

How to apply: <http://www.ed.gov/programs/jacobjavits/applicant.html>

Scholarship deadline: September 30, 2010

Contact information:

Carmen Gordon and Sara Starke
U.S. Department of Education, OPE
Teacher and Student Development Programs Service
Jacob K. Javits Fellowships Program
1990 K Street, N.W., Room 6089
Washington, DC 20006-8524
Telephone: (202) 502-7542
E-mail: ope_javits_program@ed.gov

Miscellaneous: Twenty percent of the fellowships shall be awarded in the social sciences, twenty percent in the arts, and sixty percent in the humanities. A minimum of sixty percent of the awards shall be made to students who have no graduate credits.

Category: Undergraduates: seniors and graduates

John K. McKetta Undergraduate Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: The Dekker Foundation

Information about sponsor:

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/Students/Awards/JohnMckettaProjectConnect.aspx>

Scholarship deadline: See website in January

Contact information:

AIChE Awards Administrator,
3 Park Avenue,
New York, NY 10016
Ph. /Fax: 212-591-7102/8882
Email: awards@aiiche.org

Category: Undergraduate: Junior or Senior

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: \$500 - \$5,000

Eligibility requirements:

- Must be Hispanic or of Hispanic descent
- Must be a U.S. citizen residing in the United States
- Must be studying full-time in the United States or Puerto Rico
- Must have a minimum GPA of a 3.0 on a 4.0 scale
- Must demonstrate financial need
- Must be pursuing an undergraduate degree in business, science or engineering

Criteria for awarding scholarship: In addition to a complete application, candidates must submit an official transcript, proof of family income, proof of citizenship status, an essay, a letter of recommendation and a resume.

How to apply:

<http://scholarships.hispanicfund.org/applications/subsectionID.1.pageID.57/default.asp>

Scholarship deadline: See website for the 2011-2012 deadline. For information about the scholarship, visit the following website:

<http://scholarships.hispanicfund.org/applications/subsectionID.1.pageID.124/default.asp>

Contact information:

Hispanic College Fund
Attn: Scholarship Processing
1301 K Street, NW
Suite 450-A West
Washington, DC 20005

Miscellaneous: This website contains a number of scholarship opportunities.

Category: Undergraduates

The Home Depot Trade Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: Home Depot

Information about sponsor: This sponsor is a national hardware store.

Award: \$500

Eligibility requirements: Applicants must:

- Be a full- or part-time student at a college, university, or accredited educational institution in the United States.
- Be currently enrolled in a building or construction program (*i.e.*, home builder, general contractor, carpenter, electrician, plumber, HVAC specialist, or another building and construction trade profession.
- Be entering into the final year or term of your degree program.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See application.

How to apply: www.homedepot.com/tradescholarship

Scholarship deadline: April 30, 2010 (See website for the 2011-2012 deadline)

Contact information:

Phone: 1-877-7HD-LEARN (1-877-743-5327)

Category: Undergraduate

Bill Kane Scholarship

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

Information about sponsor:

Award: \$1,000

Eligibility requirements: See Website for further details
<http://www.aahperd.org/aahe/events/upload/kane-scholarship-interactive.pdf>

Criteria for awarding scholarship:
<http://www.aahperd.org/aahe/events/upload/kane-scholarship-interactive.pdf>

How to apply: <http://www.aahperd.org/aahe/events/upload/kane-scholarship-interactive.pdf>

Scholarship deadline: November 15th

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

Category: Undergraduates

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 \$2,100 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
- Not be incarcerated

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

How to apply: http://www.michigan.gov/mistudentaid/0,1607,7-128-38195_39283-6155--,00.html

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 1 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:
<https://careers.microsoft.com/careers/en/us/collegescholarship.aspx>

Scholarship deadline: February 1st, 2011

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

Category: Undergraduates

Motivating Undergraduates in Science and Technology (MUST) Program

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: Up to \$10,000, a (paid summer internship at NASA for up to \$5,000), and year-round tutoring and mentoring.

Eligibility requirements: This program is open to any rising college freshman, sophomore or junior in the Fall semester who is a U.S. citizen, a member of an underrepresented group a, accepted or enrolled in an accredited U.S. institution, has a 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 and pursuing a degree in a physical science, technology, engineering or mathematics.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See website

How to apply:

<http://www.uncfsp.org/spknowledge/default.aspx?page=program.view&areaid=1&contentid=458&typeid=must>

Scholarship deadline: March 1st

Contact information:
UNCF Special Programs Corporation
2750 Prosperity Avenue, Suite 600
Fairfax, Virginia 22031
Email: portal@uncfsp.org
Phone: (703) 677-3400

Category: Undergraduates

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: <http://www.ahlef.org/content.aspx?id=19468>

Scholarship deadline: Varies by Scholarship

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

MSGCU “Adults Moving Forward” College Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: Michigan Schools and Government Credit Union

Information about sponsor: This sponsor is a state credit union.

Award: up to \$2,000

Eligibility requirements: Applicants:

- Must be an adult member of Michigan Schools and Government Credit Union (account must be in good standing).
- Must be registered in a Certification, Associate, or Bachelor degree program at a Michigan college, university, trade or vocational school (verified by student identification or school account number).

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Applicants must complete a 400- to 500-word essay on the topic: *How can I be an asset to this community through the education I am seeking.*

How to apply:

See website for further details regarding the application starting May 2011.

http://www.sitelevel.com/query.go?crd=6f472d96767902ad&query=scholarship&slice_title=&page=1

Scholarship deadline: July 2011 (See website for more information)

Contact information:

Phone: 586.263.8800
Fax: 586.263.8285
Toll Free: 1.866.MSGCU4U
Email: service@msgcu.org

Category: Undergraduate

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 CollegeTesting (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.michiganspe.org/index.php?option=com_content&task=category§ionid=11&id=26&Itemid=49

Scholarship deadline: Third Monday in February

Contact information:

Michigan Society of Professional Engineers (MSPE)
Scholarship Coordinator
PO Box 15276
Lansing, MI 48901-5276
Phone: (517) 487-9388
E-mail: mspe@michiganspe.org

Category: Undergraduates

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
- Be a member of NASP

How to apply: http://www.nasponline.org/about_nasp/minority.aspx#item5

Scholarship deadline: November 1, 2010

Contact information:

Katie Britton
4340 East West Highway, Suite 402
Bethesda, MD 20814
E-mail: kbritton@naspweb.org
Phone: 301-347-1641

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 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 six to fifteen images of work by the applicant. It is strongly suggested that at least five 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; **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/nss/index.cfm/method/main.scholarships>

Scholarship deadline: June 1st

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

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
Fax: 703-836-4875

Category: High School Seniors, Undergraduates and Graduates

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

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>

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

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: \$500-\$2000

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).
- 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 (click here for more information).
- 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.
- 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 online:

http://www.nbna.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=74:nbna-scholarship-program&catid=43:membership-information&Itemid=133

Scholarship deadline: April 15 of each year

Contact information:

NATIONAL BLACK NURSES ASSOCIATION
Scholarship Committee
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: \$30,000 annual stipend, Three years of support, \$10,500 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. See website for more information.

Contact information:

See this website for contact information: http://www.nsfgrfp.org/contact_us

Miscellaneous: For those pursuing a research-based master's or 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

Pfizer Epilepsy Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: Pfizer

Information about sponsor: This sponsor is an international pharmaceutical company.

Award: \$3,000

Eligibility requirements: In order to be considered you must have

- Overcome the challenges of epilepsy
- Been successful in school
- Done well in activities outside the classroom or in the community
- Shown a desire to make the most out of college or graduate school

Criteria for awarding scholarship: In addition to a complete application, students must submit an essay, a transcript and two letters of recommendation

How to apply: Applicants must register on the website to obtain an application. <http://www.epilepsy-scholarship.com/Commonquestion.aspx>

Scholarship deadline: See application for 2011 deadline

Contact information:

Pfizer Epilepsy Scholarship Award
c/o Adelphi Eden Health Communications
30 Irving Place, 10 Floor
New York, NY 10003
Phone: 1-800-292-7373

Category: High School Seniors, Undergraduates and Graduates

Robert C. Byrd Honors Scholarship Program

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: up to \$1,500

Eligibility requirements: High school graduates who have been accepted for enrollment at institutions of higher education (IHEs), have demonstrated outstanding academic achievement, and show promise of continued academic excellence may apply to states in which they are residents.

An eligible student applicant must, during the same secondary academic year in which the scholarship is to be awarded: (1) be a graduate of a public or private secondary school or have received the recognized equivalent of a high school diploma (GED); (2) be a legal resident of the State in which he or she applies; (3) be a U.S. citizen or national of the United States or have evidence from the U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service that he or she is a permanent resident or is in the United States for other than a temporary purpose; (4) has applied or been accepted for enrollment at an institution of higher education; (5) certify that he or she is not ineligible to receive assistance as a result of default on a Federal student loan or other obligation; and (6) file, with the school that he or she plans to attend, a Statement of Selective Service Registration Status. A student attending a military academy is ineligible to receive a Byrd scholarship.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Students must apply directly to the state education agency (SEA) in their state of legal residence. **Application deadlines are set forth by the respective SEA.** Students must request the application package from the state education agency and follow their instructions for application procedures. Follow the link to find state contact information:
<http://www.ed.gov/programs/idadesbyrd/state-contacts.html>

Scholarship deadline: Contact state education agency

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

Category: Undergraduates

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
<http://www.thesalliemae.org/smfnew/scholarship/index.html>

Scholarship deadline: The deadline varies (depends on the scholarship)

Contact information:

The Sallie Mae Fund
12061 Bluemont Way
Reston, VA 20190

Category: Undergraduate

"Speak New Words" Music Video Contest

Name of Sponsor: American Students' Fund

Information about sponsor: It is a national organization that focuses on improving the community by building the character of the students within that community

Award: \$500-\$5,000

Eligibility requirements: The contest is open to all U.S citizens who are at least 13 years of age. If the contestant is under 18, a parental consent form must be filled out in order to participate.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Entrants are to compose a video that contains lyrics that include 13 character traits that you believe bring about true change in our country. Also, these must be at least one minute and no longer than 4 minutes

How to apply: <http://www.americanstudentsfund.org/snw2008/index.php>

Scholarship deadline: September 7th (See website for the 2011 deadline)

Contact information:

The American Students' Fund
Speak New Words Internet Video Contest
PO Box 4957
Lutherville, Maryland 21030

Category: Undergraduate and Graduate

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: \$1,000 - \$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 15, 2011

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

Outlaw Student's Medical Professions Scholarship Program

Name of Sponsor: Outlaw Student's (formerly StraightForward Media)

Information about sponsor: The sponsor is an online ad agency that helps its clients to reach their target audience by placing ad on various websites.

Award: \$500

Eligibility requirements: This scholarship is available to anyone who is interested in the medical field

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Applicant must complete the online application

How to apply: <http://www.outlawstudent.com/college-scholarships/medical-scholarships/>

Scholarship deadline The deadlines for applications are: March 31, June 30, September 30 and December 31.

Contact information:

Online: <http://www.outlawstudent.com/college-scholarships/medical-scholarships/medicalcontact/>

Category: Undergraduate

The Davis-Putter Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: The Davis-Putter Scholarship Fund

Information about sponsor: This sponsor provides grants to students actively working for peace and justice.

Award: Up to \$10,000

Eligibility requirements: Applicants must be active participation in struggles for civil rights, economic justice, international solidarity or other progressive issues.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: In addition to a complete application, candidates must submit 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: Please do not request additional information about the application process until January. <http://www.davisputter.org/apply.html>

Scholarship deadline: April 1st

Contact information:

Davis-Putter Scholarship Fund
Post Office Box 7307
New York, NY 10116-7307

Miscellaneous: Please do not request additional information about the application process until January.

Category: Undergraduate and Graduate

The Institute for International Public Policy Fellows Program

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.

Eligibility requirements:

- Are enrolled full-time at an accredited four-year baccalaureate-granting institution
- Are U.S. Citizens or legal residents (documentary support required)
- Have a minimum 3.2 grade point average (on a 4.0 scale)
- Have a strong demonstrated interest in international affairs, public policy and language training
- Are an underrepresented minority (African American, Hispanic, Asian American, American Indian, Alaskan Native, Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander)
- Plan to seek admission to a two-year master's degree program in international affairs

Though not a requirement, applicants are strongly encouraged to complete at least one of the following courses before starting the IIPP Fellowship: international affairs, foreign policy, a foreign language, political science, sociology, macro/micro-economics, statistics or a course in journalism.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: In addition to a complete application, candidates must submit two letters of recommendation and the following essays: 500 word personal statement that describes how you would use the knowledge and experiences gained through the IIPP Fellowship to serve the global public good and an issue analysis or 1000 word essay that explains why a current international issue is important to you and what you would do to address it if in a position to do so.

How to apply:

<http://www.uncfsp.org/spknowledge/default.aspx?page=program.view&areaid=2&contentid=174&typeid=iipp>

Scholarship deadline: See website for further details

Contact information:

United Negro College Fund Special Programs Corporation
6402 Arlington Blvd., Suite 600
Falls Church, VA 22042
Email: iipp@uncfsp.org
Phone: (703) 677-3400

Category: Undergraduate

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.

<https://ugsp.nih.gov/home.asp?m=00>

Scholarship deadline: See website in Fall

Contact information:

Undergraduate Scholarship Program
National Institutes of Health
2 Center Drive, Room 2E24, MSC 0230
Bethesda, Maryland 20892-0230
Telephone: 888-352-3001
Fax: 301-480-3123
E-mail: ugsp@nih.gov

Category: High School Senior and undergraduates

Allison E. Fisher Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: National Association of Black Journalists

Information about sponsor:

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: www.allisonfisherfund.org

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

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
- 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
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>

Scholarship deadline: December 31st

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.

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.

How to apply: <http://www.jwsaxefund.org/apply.php>

Scholarship deadline: March 1st

Contact information:

J. W. Saxe Memorial Fund
1524 31st Street N.W.
Washington, D. C. 20007-3074
Ruth Saxe, President
ruthsaxe@aol.com

Category: Undergraduate or graduate

KATU Thomas R. Dargan Scholarship

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.

Community college students must be enrolled in a broadcast curriculum which is transferable to a four-year accredited university.

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

Contact information:

Human Resources
P.O. Box 2
Portland, OR 97207-0002

Category: Undergraduate or graduate

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.
- 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/?page=scholarships>

Scholarship deadline: See website for further details

Contact information:

Irving Washington
Program Coordinator
Phone: 301-405-7520
E-Mail: iwashington@nabj.org.

Category: Undergraduate or graduate

Robert W. Crawford Student Literary Award

Name of Sponsor: American Association for Physical Activity and Recreation

Award: \$500

Eligibility requirements: Any student who enrolled in an HPERD professional track (health, physical education, recreation or dance) is eligible. Applicants must submit manuscripts with a focus on recreation and physical activity. Students must have a faculty sponsor to submit a paper.

Criteria for awarding scholarship:

1. Read the enclosed instructions carefully.
2. Complete the Application Form (typewritten preferred).
3. Submit the following in hard copy and on a diskette in RTF:
 - a) full manuscript (no more than 15 pages)
 - b) abstract of 750 words or less; abstracts from the winning manuscripts may be printed in the *PAR for Life* newsletter.
 - c) résumé or CV
4. Enclose a signed Copyright Release Form.

How to apply:

<http://www.aahperd.org/aapar/careers/awards/upload/Literary-Award.pdf>

Scholarship deadline: January 1, 2011

Contact information:

AAPAR Student Literary Award
1900 Association
Drive Reston, VA 20191-1599
Phone: 703/476-3437
Information: www.aaheinfo.org

Category: Undergraduate or graduate

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:

Undergrad: http://www.aahperd.org/whatwedo/scholarships/upload/Abernathy-UG-Appl_TEMPLATE_5_10.pdf

Graduate: http://www.aahperd.org/whatwedo/scholarships/upload/Abernathy-Grad-Appl_TEMPLATE_5_10.pdf

How to apply:

http://www.aahperd.org/whatwedo/scholarships/Abernathy_Scholarship.cfm

Scholarship deadline: October 15, 2010

Contact information:

Deb Callis

E-mail: dcallis@aaahperd.org

Category: Undergraduate or graduate

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:

http://www.xerox.com/go/xrx/template/009.jsp?view=Feature&Xcntry=USA&Xlang=en_US&ed_name=Careers_Technical_Scholarship

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

ADA Foundation Scholarships

Name of Sponsor: American Dental Association Foundation

Information about sponsor: This sponsor secures contributions and provide grants for sustainable programs in dental research, education, access to care and assistance for dentists and their families in need.

Award: \$1,000 - \$2,500

Eligibility requirements:

- Applicants must be a U.S. Citizen, Permanent Resident status does not qualify to apply to the ADA Foundation Scholarship Programs;
- Criteria for eligibility for an award is determined by the applicant's demonstrated financial need, academic achievement, biographical sketch questionnaire and two completed reference forms;
- Applicants must be enrolled as a full-time student, a minimum of 12 credit hours;
- Applicants must demonstrate financial need;
- Applicants must have an accumulative grade point average of 3.0 based on a 4.0 scale.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: In addition to a complete application, candidates must submit two letters of reference and a copy of the school's letter of acceptance, if entering first-year student.

How to apply: Students must contact the associate dean for student affairs/program director or financial aid officer at the school to request a scholarship application form as the forms are disbursed by school officials.

Scholarship deadline: See website in January for more information. Deadline is mostly in June. <http://www.ada.org/ada/adaf/grants/index.asp>

Contact information:

American Dental Association
211 East Chicago Ave.
Chicago, IL 60611-2678
312-440-2500

Miscellaneous: The appropriate school officials will select its top two students as the **ADA Foundation will only accept two applications from each school** for each scholarship program to consider.

AICPA John L. Carey Scholarship

Category: Dental 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: \$5,000

Eligibility requirements:

A student must meet the following requirements to be eligible for this program:

1. I will have obtained a liberal arts or other non-business related undergraduate degree from a regionally accredited institution in the United States prior to enrolling in my graduate accounting program.
2. I did not earn more than 12 credits in accounting or business during my undergraduate program.
3. I have been accepted into, or am in the process of applying to, a graduate program in accounting that is accredited by AACSB International or ACBSP. This program will enable me to sit for the CPA Examination. Students who are already actively participating in a graduate accounting program are not eligible for this scholarship.
4. I intend to pursue a CPA certificate.
5. I will be a full-time graduate (9 semester hours or equivalent) student for fall 2011 and spring 2012.
6. I am a U.S. citizen or permanent resident (Green Card holder).

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See application for more details

How to apply:

<http://ceae.aicpa.org/Resources/Scholarships+and+Awards/John+L.+Carey+Scholarship+Program.htm>

Scholarship deadline: See website for the 2011-2012 deadline

Contact information:

Email: educat@aicpa.org
Phone: (919) 402-4931.

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:

Julie Saltzman

Program Manager, Alfred P. Sloan Foundation Programs

NACME Inc.

440 Hamilton Ave, Suite 302

White Plains NY 10601-1813

Phone: (914) 539-4010, ext. 238

Fax: (914) 539-4032

E-mail: sloanphds@nacme.org

Miscellaneous:

Category: Graduate

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.aahperd.org/aahe/events/Barbara-Cooley.cfm>

Scholarship deadline: November 15 of each year

Contact information:

AAHE Scholarships

1900 Association Drive

Reston, VA 20191-1599

Phone: 703/476-3437

Category: Graduate

Will Rogers Institute Fellowship

Name of Sponsor: Will Rogers Institute

Award: \$12,000

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. A history of work related to research in lung health or your commitment to conduct lung health research during your doctoral studies 3. The student must have a minimum, current, overall grade point average of 3.5 on a 4.0 scale. 4. Prior AAHE scholarship recipients may apply.

Criteria for awarding scholarship:

How to apply: <http://www.aahperd.org/aahe/events/Will-Rogers.cfm>

Scholarship deadline: November 15 of each year

Contact information:

AAHE Will Rogers Institute Fellowship Committee

1900 Association Drive

Reston, VA 20191-1599

Phone:703/476-3437 ♦ www.aaheinfo.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.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: 1. Academic achievement 2. Applicants potential for advancing the health of children and youth 3. Professional goals 4. Calibre of the documents

How to apply: <http://www.aahperd.org/aahe/events/awards/Delbert-Oberteuffer.cfm>

Scholarship deadline: November 15 of each year

Contact information:

American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation & Dance

1900 Association Dr.

Reston, VA 20191-1598

Category: Graduate

Marion B. Pollock Fellowship

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

Information about sponsor:

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 Calibre of documents

How to apply: <http://www.aahperd.org/aahe/events/Marion-B-Pollock.cfm>

Scholarship deadline: November 15 of each year

Contact information:

American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation & Dance
1900 Association Dr.
Reston, VA 20191-1598

Category: Graduate

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: See website for further details

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: See website in October <http://www.apa.org/mfp/prprogram.html>

Scholarship deadline: January 15th

Contact information:

Minority Fellowship Program
American Psychological Association
750 First Street, NE
Washington, DC 20002-4242
Phone: (202) 336-6127
Fax: (202) 336-6012

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: \$1,000 to \$15,000

Eligibility requirements:

- be a minority student enrolled in a full-time graduate business program at an accredited college or university in the United States, or Canada at the time of award (September 2010)
- submit an essay, resume, and transcript
- be able to demonstrate academic excellence
- be able to demonstrate exceptional leadership potential
- be able to demonstrate strong communication skills
- be actively involved in their local communities through service to others.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Applicants must submit curriculum vitae or resume, a transcript and a 300 word essay on one of the following topics:

- What recommendations would you give to Business Schools that want to redesign their recruitment strategies to attract minority candidates? Once enrolled, what resources or programs should be offered to help retain minority students?
- What can African Americans do to become more marketable in the global economy?

How to apply: See website in January.

<http://www.nbmbaa.org/index.aspx?pageID=790>

Scholarship deadline: April

Contact information:

National Black MBA Association, Inc.
Graduate Scholarship Program
180 N. Michigan Avenue, Suite 1400
Chicago, IL 60601

Category: Graduates

NMBAA PhD Fellowship 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: \$2,500 to \$10,000

Eligibility requirements:

- be a minority student enrolled in a full-time business, management, or related discipline doctoral program at an accredited college or university in the United States, or Canada at the time of award
- submit an essay, resume, and transcript
- be able to demonstrate academic excellence
- be able to demonstrate exceptional leadership potential
- be able to demonstrate strong communication skills
- be actively involved in their local communities through service to others.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Applicants must submit curriculum vitae or resume, a transcript and an essay on the following topic: As current PhD candidate, what is the most pressing issue facing the African-American, Hispanic and Native American academicians in your field of study (pressing issue other than there are not enough PhD candidates of color)?

How to apply: See website in January.

<http://www.nbmbaa.org/index.aspx?pageID=791>

Scholarship deadline: See website for 2011-2012 scholarship application deadline

Contact information:

National Black MBA Association Inc.
Attention: PhD Fellowship Program
180 N. Michigan Avenue, Suite 1400
Chicago, IL 60601
Phone: 312-236-2622
Fax: 312-236-0390

Category: Graduates

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.

Criteria for awarding scholarship:

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.html>

Scholarship deadline: See website for 2011-2012 scholarship application deadline

Contact information:

National Medical Fellowships, Inc.
Need Based Scholarship Program
347 Fifth Avenue, Ste. 510
New York, NY 10016
Phone: (212) 483.8880 x304
E-Mail: NMF1@NMFonline.org

Category: 1st and 2nd year Medical students

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR UNIVERSITY-SPONSORED
SCHOLARSHIPS

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 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 250 words or less stating why they feel uniquely qualified for this award. 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 4, 2011

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, sophomores 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 250 words or less stating why they feel uniquely qualified for this award. 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>

Scholarship deadline: April 15, 2011

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

WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY

Howard Baker Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: Howard Baker Foundation

Information about sponsor: This foundation provides assistance to City of Detroit residents in financing their education at Wayne State University and to encourage continued progress towards a degree and recognize scholastic achievement.

Award: Up to \$4,000 (renewable)

Eligibility requirements: Applicants must be a Detroit high school graduate and resident who is enrolled or has been accepted at Wayne State University for undergraduate study. Also, applicants must be minority students who have a minimum 2.5 cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) at the time of the selection.

Criteria for awarding scholarship: Applicants must submit a complete application, a brief written biographical statement and academic transcript (high school, if appropriate).

How to apply: www.financialaid.wayne.edu or request an application from the contact information below

Scholarship deadline: 2011-2012 deadline is January 31, 2011

Contact information:

Office of Scholarships and Financial Aid
Wayne State University
Welcome Center
42 W. Warren
Detroit, Michigan 48202
313.577.9058

Miscellaneous: *Preference* shall be given to students majoring in nursing or in a natural science curriculum, however, other curriculums will be considered.

Category: Undergraduates and high school seniors

WSU Private Scholarships

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: www.financialaid.wayne.edu or request an application from the contact information below

Scholarship deadline: January 31, 2011

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

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN- DEARBORN

University of Michigan-Dearborn Opportunity Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: University of Michigan-Dearborn

Information about sponsor: A satellite campus of the University of Michigan

Award: Up to \$34,000 over four years

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) 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://www.umd.umich.edu/fa_freshmen_scholarships/

Scholarship deadline: December 15, 2010

Contact information:

The University of Michigan-Dearborn
Office of Financial Aid, 1183 UC
4901 Evergreen
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

Legacy Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: University of Michigan-Dearborn

Award: \$2,000

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
- Be an incoming freshman and are in the top 25% of your high school graduating class or a continuing student who has completed a minimum of 12 undergraduate credit hours at UM-Dearborn with a cumulative minimum 3.0 GPA or a new transfer student with a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.5 on a 4.0 scale

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/index.php?id=345>

Scholarship deadline: See website for the 2011-2012 application deadline

Contact information:

Office of Alumni Relations
Phone: 313-593-513

Category: High School Senior and Undergraduates

Dependants Scholarship

Name of Sponsor: University of Michigan-Dearborn

Information about sponsor:

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://www.umd.umich.edu/fa_dependenttuitionsscholarship/

Scholarship deadline: See website.

Contact information:

The University of Michigan-Dearborn
Office of Financial Aid, 1183 UC
4901 Evergreen
Dearborn, Michigan 48128-1491
Phone: 313-593-5300

Category: High School Seniors, Undergraduate and Graduates

FLORIDA AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL UNIVERSITY

African-American women in computer science scholarship program

Name of Sponsor: FAMU

Award: \$2,000 – \$5,000 per semester

Eligibility requirements:

- Must be a FAMU Undergraduate Student (either Entering Freshman, Current Student or Transfer)
- Must be a U.S. Citizen
- Must be enrolled in Computer and Information Sciences (CIS), Computer Engineering, or Mathematics
- Must have a minimum 2.5 GPA at the time of applying
- Must show evidence of Financial Need

Criteria for awarding scholarship: In addition to a complete application, candidates must submit a copy of the scholarship advertisement, two letters of recommendation and a 500 word essay stating why you should receive this scholarship

How to apply: <http://www.cis.famu.edu/~aawcs/>

Scholarship deadline:

For Fall enrollment: August 1st of that year

For Spring enrollment: December 1st of the previous year

Contact information:

AAWCS Scholarship Program
CIS Department
Florida A&M University,
1333 Wahnish Way, Rm. 104
Tallahassee, FL 32307
Phone: 850-561-2250
Email: aawcs@cis.famu.edu

Category: High School Senior or undergraduate

OAKLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Rainbow PUSH Excel Scholarship

Award: up to \$2,500

Eligibility requirements: If you are currently a full-time student attending a college or university and have a minimum GPA of 2.5 or above, you may be eligible for a \$2,500 scholarship.

In order to be eligible for the scholarship pool, you must submit the following materials together:

1. Compelling essay (see topic below).
2. Official transcript from Spring 2010 and/or
3. Current enrollment letter or bill from institution (Fall 2010).
4. Two letters of recommendation (non-family members).
5. You must be a resident of Detroit.

How to apply: http://www.oaklandcc.edu/finaid/NI_Scholarships.aspx

Scholarship deadline: September 17th

Contact information:

Ms. Weathers
Rainbow PUSH Automotive Project
4995 West Fort Street, Suite 2120
Detroit, MI 48209
Phone: 313-842-3883

Miscellaneous: Essay Topic - *Identify five prerequisites for success and explain in detail your personal philosophy for the pursuit of excellence. Explain how you will use your college education to achieve this pursuit of excellence.*

Category: Community College

Chancellor's Scholarship

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.
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,
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>

Scholarship deadline: March 15th

Contact information:

Phone: (248) 341-2000

Category: High School Senior and Adult Education/Alternative Education Center Students

WAYNE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE (WCCCD)

WCCCD Scholarships

Award: Varies by scholarship

Eligibility requirements: Varies by scholarship

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See application for details

How to apply: Contact campus financial aid officer for additional information and/or apply online.

http://www.wcccd.edu/about/scholarship_committee_scholarship.htm#1

Scholarship deadline: See application.

Contact information: See website for contact information.

<http://www.wcccd.edu>

Category: Community College

MACOMB COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Macomb Community College Scholarships

Award: Varies with scholarship

Eligibility requirements: Varies

Criteria for awarding scholarship: In addition to a complete application, students must submit two letters of recommendation, a transcript and a FAFSA application.

How to apply:

<http://www.macomb.edu/Future+Students/Financial+Aid/Scholarships.htm>

Scholarship deadline: See application for more details

Contact information:

Macomb Community College

Financial Aid Office, H-305

14500 East 12 Mile Road

Warren, MI 48088-3896

Phone: 586.445.7228

Fax: 586.445.7223

E-mail: finaid@macomb.edu

Category: High School Seniors and Undergraduates

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 must be at least 18 but not yet 24 years of age by October of the application year.
- Have enough education to complete a bachelor's degree or higher

Criteria for awarding scholarship: See application

How to apply: <http://www.rhodesscholar.org/application>

Scholarship deadline: October 4th

Contact information:

Office of the American Secretary
The Rhodes Trust
8229 Boone Boulevard, Suite 240
Vienna, Virginia 22182
Email: amsec@rhodesscholar.org

Category: Undergraduate or Graduate

Jacksonville State University Scholarships

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.

How to apply: <http://www.jsu.edu/finaid/scholarships/>

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.

Scholarship deadline: March 1, 2011

Contact information:

Jacksonville State University
700 Pelham Road North
Jacksonville, AL 36265-1602

Category: High School & Undergraduate