Undergraduate Outside Scholarships

All Areas of Concentration

862 Valencia College Scholarships
862 Valencia awards four separate scholarships for amounts up to $15,000 to outstanding students enrolled in school in San Francisco. Applicants must be graduating high school seniors attending high school in San Francisco and demonstrate intent to enroll in a vocational school, college, or university.

For more information, please visit: http://826valencia.org/our-programs/scholarships/

The Achievement Foundation, Inc. Joe Francomano Scholarship
The Achievement foundation, an independent not-for-profit organization – provides an annual award of $5,000 to high school seniors graduating before June 30 who demonstrate academic achievement, leadership skills, Junior Achievement involvement, and financial need. In order to be eligible, applicants must also have a minimum GPA of 3.0, list family income as shown on IRS tax forms, and be qualified to enroll at an accredited four-year college or university.

For more information, please visit: http://www.juniorachievement.org/web/ja-usa/joe-francomano-scholarship

Affinity Plus Federal Credit Union Scholarship
Each year, Affinity Plus awards four $5,000 scholarships for freshman, upperclassmen, and non-traditional students. Applicant must be a primary member in good standing of Affinity Plus Federal Credit Union, or meet membership eligibility requirements and join the credit union prior to submitting a scholarship application.

For more information, please visit: https://www.affinityplusfoundation.org/Scholarship

AGA Student Research Fellowship Awards
This award program offers $2,500 stipends for 10 high school students and 24 undergraduate students to spend time performing research in digestive diseases or nutrition for a minimum of 10 weeks. Eligible candidates must be in high school or attending an accredited North American institution and may not hold similar salary support awards.

For more information, please see: http://www.gastro.org/aga-foundation/grants/Criteria-SRFA.pdf

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Alina Health EMPOWER Scholarship
Administered by the Courage Kenny Foundation, the EMPOWER Scholarship encourages and supports ethnically diverse students who are pursuing a career in a medical or rehabilitation field. In order to be eligible, students must be: accepted to or enrolled in a post-high school program; residents of Minnesota or eastern Wisconsin; experienced in a community-based medical or rehabilitation volunteer position; have a minimum GPA of 2.0; and demonstrate financial need.

For more information, please visit: http://www.allinahealth.org/Courage-Kenny-Rehabilitation-Institute/Programs-and-services/Volunteer-opportunities/EMPOWER-Scholarships/

Arthur Griffin Foundation Student Scholarships
The AGF was established by photographer Arthur Griffin to provide scholarships for young visual artists and enhance the beauty of the Winchester community. The Student Scholarship Award of $5,000 is given each year to an exemplary current Winchester student seeking to further their education or pursue a career in visual arts such as photography, graphic design, photo-journalism, or visual digital media.

For more information, please visit: http://www.arthurgriffinfoundation.org/

Barbara Wiedner and Dorothy Vandercook Peace Scholarship
This memorial scholarship foundation provides awards of $250 or $500 to high school seniors and college freshmen with demonstrated leadership and personal initiative in activities involving: Peace and Social Justice, Nuclear Disarmament, and/or Conflict Resolution. Eligible applicants must provide proof of actual college registration before award is disbursed.

For more information, please visit: http://peacescholarships.org/

Barrien Fragos Thorn Art Scholarships for Migrant Farmworkers
The Geneseo Migrant Center offers grants between $500 and $2,500 to foster and encourage the creative talents of individuals with a history of migration to obtain work in agriculture. Eligible applicants must be at least 16 years old, have a history of movement to obtain work in agriculture, and be able to provide a letter of recommendation. Applicant need not be enrolled in school.

For more information, please visit: http://www.migrant.net/migrant/scholarships/thorn.htm

Bay Area Gardener's Foundation Scholarship
This foundation awards twenty scholarships of $1,500 to students with diverse backgrounds and economic situations residing in the counties of San Francisco, San Mateo, and Santa Clara.

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The scholarship contest is open to high school seniors expected to graduate this academic year, high school graduates, GED recipients, and students attending college.

For more information, please visit: http://bayareagardenersscholarshipfoundation.com/bagsf/

**BECA Foundation General Scholarship**
The BECA is a Nonprofit Latino Scholarship Organization committed to building tomorrow’s Latino leaders through higher education. They offer a general scholarship opportunity of $500-$1,000 to current San Diego county high school graduates who are entering college in the fall.

For more information, please visit: http://www.becafoundation.org/scholarship.htm

**Bill Coggins Community Leadership Award**
Awarded by the Kaiser Permanente Watts Counseling and Learning Center, this annual award of $500-$2,000 is given to a student who has documentation of a recently completed voluntary community service act. Eligible applicants must be current high school seniors or students enrolled in a U.S. college who are also U.S. citizens, demonstrate a commitment to community service leadership, and have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5.

For more information, please visit: https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/all/bill-coggins-community-leadership-award/1186

**California Association of Collectors Educational Scholarship Foundation**
This scholarship fund, given by a non-profit organization, provides California High School seniors with awards from $1,500 to $2,500 to pursue full-time attendance at any accredited public or private college, university, or trade school.

For more information, please visit: http://www.cacesf.org/

**California Teachers Association (CTA) Cesar E. Chavez Memorial Education Awards Program**
A student or group of five students must submit a visual piece under the supervision of a teacher or professor who is a member of the CTA. Students may be in kindergarten through high school or in community college. All works must focus on topics such as non-violence and their relationship to Chavez’s legacy.

For more information, please visit: http://www.studentscholarshipsearch.com/scholarships/cta-csar-e-chvez-memorial-education-awards-program.php

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The Chicago Lighthouse Scholarship Program
The Chicago Lighthouse is an organization that serves people who are blind or visually impaired. Scholarships are submission-based and awarded to outstanding students within the visually impaired or blind population across the United States who are pursuing higher education and are able to attend the Chicago Lighthouse Scholarship Ceremony.

For more information, please visit: http://chicagolighthouse.org/programs-and-services/youth-transition-services/-chicago-lighthouse-scholarship-program

Chicago Urban League Scholarships
The Chicago Urban League is at the forefront of creating opportunities for African American students to empower themselves and their communities. To qualify for up to a $5,000 scholarship, you must: possess a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 (out of 4.0); be enrolled as a full-time, undergraduate student in a degree-granting program, or expect to graduate this year from high school and enroll in a full-time undergraduate degree-granting program, OR completing a two-year college program and expect to enroll in a degree-granting program at a four-year institution; and demonstrate financial need.

For more information, please visit: http://www.thechicagourbanleague.org/Page/391

Chicana / Latina Foundation Scholarship Program
Each year, the Chicana Latina Foundation awards merit-based scholarships to Latina college students, valued at $1,500 each. All applicants must be women of Chicana/Latina heritage enrolled full-time in an accredited college in specified Northern California counties; have lived at least two years in one of those counties at the time of application; have a cumulative minimum GPA of 2.5 and completed 12 college units after high school graduation.

For more information, please visit: http://www.chicanalatina.org/scholarship.html

Comcast Leaders and Achievers Scholarship Program
Each year, Comcast recognizes high school seniors for their community service, academic performance and leadership skills. Students are nominated by their high school principals or guidance counselors and are recognized with one-time scholarship grants from the Comcast Foundation for their pursuit of higher education at an accredited nonprofit college/university/vocational school, with a base award of $1,000. To be considered, students must be full time high school seniors in a community served or approved by Comcast and maintain a minimum GPA pf 2.8.
The Community Foundation of the Fox River Valley
This scholarship program consists of separate scholarship funds created by individual donors who establish specific criteria for the administration of their scholarships. Applicants must attend an accredited institution of higher education on a full-time basis and, with few exceptions; their permanent address must be within the City of Aurora, southern Kane County, and Kendall County within the State of Illinois.

For more information, please visit: https://www.communityfoundationfrv.org/scholarship-program/

The Congressional Black Caucus Foundation Spouses Visual Arts Scholarship
The CBCF is a nonprofit dedicated to advancing the global black community (through leadership, cultivation, community education and civic engagement) that awards up to $3,000 each for up to 10 students with the Spouses Visual Arts Scholarship. In order to be eligible, applicants must be pursuing an education in the visual arts at an accredited college or university. Preference is given to African-American students residing in CBC member districts.

For more information, please visit: http://www.cbcfinc.org/cbcs-va

Create-A-Greeting-Card Scholarship Contest
Hosted annually by the Gallery Collection, the Create-A-Greeting-Card Scholarship is an opportunity for a student to create an original greeting card design and win $10,000 plus $1,000 for their school. The contest is open to all high school, college, and university students enrolled in a degree-granting program for the latter half of the year who are legal residents of the U.S. and its provinces (as well as international students with student visas).

For more information, please visit: http://www.gallerycollection.com/greeting-cards-scholarship.htm

Davis-Putter Scholarship Fund
The Davis-Putter Scholarship Fund provides grants to students actively working for peace, justice, and social change. The scholarships are need-based and awarded to those able to do academic work at the university level and are involved in a progressive movement within their campus community. The maximum grant available is $10,000 per year.

For more information, please visit: http://www.davisputter.org/apply/
**Ed Fund Scholarship Program**
The Ed Fund manages a college scholarship program that benefits low-income graduating seniors of the West Contra Costa Unified School District. Ed Fund scholars, recognized for their commitment to making a positive community impact, receive between $1,000-5,000 for their first year in college depending on financial need. Open to public high school seniors attending a WCCUSF school who submit their FAFSA or California Dream Act application by March 2 and have a minimum GPA of 2.5.

For more information, please visit: http://edfundwest.org/our-scholarships/

**The East Bay College Scholarship Program**
The East Bay College Fund provides $16,000 four-year scholarships, mentoring, on-going college counseling, and life skills training to East Bay (primarily Oakland) public high school students from low income families and communities with historically low college attendance rates.

For more information, please visit: http://www.eastbaycollegefund.org/our-programs/scholarships/

**Education First Scholarship**
Education First offers this scholarship program to select participating high schools in Austin, Denver, Los Angeles, Portland, San Diego, San Francisco, and Seattle. Eligible seniors compete for awards that vary from $1,000 to $4,000 for tuition or books.

For more information, please visit: http://www.educationfirst.org/evaluation-criteria.php

**The Elie Wiesel Prize in Ethics Essay Contest**
This contest encourages undergraduate full-time juniors or seniors to engage and grapple with an issue in ethics that they feel strongly about. The contest is open to registered undergraduate full-time juniors or seniors at accredited four-year colleges or universities in the United States.

For more information, please visit: http://www.eliewieselfoundation.org/prizeinethics.aspx

**The EOD Warrior Foundation**
The EODWF awards education scholarships to EOD family members, with priority given to family members of fallen and wounded EOD warriors. The scholarships are intended to assist with tuition, books and bees at two and four-year colleges and are competitively awarded based on merit in categories that include academic merit, community involvement, letters of recommendation, and essays.
For more information, please visit: [http://www.eodwarriorfoundation.org/education](http://www.eodwarriorfoundation.org/education)

**eQuality Scholarship**
For graduating high school seniors and recent high school graduates, the eQuality Scholarships are meant to honor students who demonstrate dedicated service to the LGBTQ community. Applicants may be of all sexual orientations and gender identities and must: be residents of northern or central California; have completed or expect to complete high school or equivalent; plan to attend or begin attending an accredited post-secondary institution for the first time. Undocumented students welcome.

For more information, please visit: [http://www.equalityscholarship.org/apply.html](http://www.equalityscholarship.org/apply.html)

**Fairfield County’s Community Foundation**
This foundation provides financial assistance for senior students and current undergraduate students who have graduated from or has a connection to one of the following Greater Bridgeport Area Cities or towns: Bridgepoint, Easton, Fairfield, Milford, Monroe, Shelton, Stratford, Trumbull or West Port, either as a native resident, high school graduate or current resident.

For more information, please visit: [http://fccfoundation.org/grants-scholarships/scholarships/eligibility/](http://fccfoundation.org/grants-scholarships/scholarships/eligibility/)

**The Families of Freedom Scholarship Fund**
The purpose of this fund is to provide assistance for postsecondary study to financially needy dependents (children, spouses, domestic partners etc.) of those killed or permanently disabled as a result of the 9/11 attacks and rescue efforts. Award amounts are calculated on a case-by-case basis.

For more information, please visit: [http://www.familiesoffreedom.org/students_families.php](http://www.familiesoffreedom.org/students_families.php)

**Foster Care to Success (FC2S) Sponsored Scholarships**
FC2s is an organization dedicated to providing guidance, support, and funding to college-bound youth aging out of foster care. Students must have been in foster care for the 12 consecutive months leading up to and including their 18th birthday or have been adopted or placed in legal guardianship from foster care after their 16th birthday or must have been orphaned for the last one year at the time of their 18th birthday. They also must be accepted to accredited, Pell-eligible college and be under age of 25 on March 31. Awards range from $1,500 to $6,000 per academic year.

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Frame My Future Scholarship
Frame My Future Scholarships are given to legal U.S. residents attending a U.S. college or university full-time for the upcoming academic year. To apply, students submit an original and creative digital piece communicating what they hoped to achieve in their personal and professional lives after college; submissions are evaluated by Church Hill Classics Judges and public voting to receive five $1,000 scholarships and one potential $1,000 donation for their school.

Fulfilling Our Dreams Scholarship Fund
This fund makes higher education a reality for Central American and Latino students – including AB 540 students – by providing financial assistance and support to graduating high school students to attend college. Applicants must also demonstrate financial need, possess a minimum 2.5 GPA, and demonstrate a history of community involvement.

Gloria Mattera National Migrant Scholarship Fund
This $250 award exists to provide financial assistance to those migrant youth who have the potential and desire to further their education and achieve their personal and career goals. Eligible applicants must be entering or enrolled in college or other types of post-secondary programs, high school dropouts, or potential dropouts.

Goedeker’s Appliances Annual College Book Scholarship
Goedeker’s offers a $500 grand prize to go toward the cost of college textbooks. Any student enrolled or enrolling in an accredited college with a 3.0 GPA or higher is eligible to participate. Goedeker’s also offers a $500 award for books specifically to public service members and their relatives.

Good Tidings Foundation Community Service Scholarship
This $5,000 scholarship is presented to 20 graduating high school seniors in need who have
dedicated themselves to extraordinary community service projects. Eligible applicants must reside in one of the following counties in California: San Francisco, San Mateo, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, Monterey, San Benito, Merced, Stanislaus, Alameda, San Joaquin, Contra Costa, Solano, Yolo, Napa, Sonoma, or Marin. Undocumented residents are eligible, as long as they are accepted into an American school.

For more information, please visit: http://goodtidings.org/Programs/Education/EducationHistoryOverview.html

**Grasshopper Entrepreneur Scholarship**

The Grasshopper Entrepreneur Scholarship is a $5,000 scholarship awarded annually to one exceptional young entrepreneur for submitting an entrepreneurial topic-based essay. Any current college student or incoming freshman enrolled in an accredited American undergraduate or graduate degree-granting program in a spring, summer, or fall semester.

For more information, please visit: http://grasshopper.com/entrepreneur-scholarship/

**The Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society of Chicago Scholarships**

HIAS Chicago, a service organization dedicated to helping Jewish people and other immigrants, offers a number of scholarships for high school seniors, students enrolling or continuing their undergraduate study, students pursuing helping vocations, or those strongly committed to volunteerism. Some scholarships are particularly geared toward women.

For more information, please visit: http://hiaschicago.org/about-our-scholarships/

**The Hemophilia Federation of America Educational Scholarships**

The HFA is a nonprofit dedicated to addressing the evolving needs of the bleeding disorders community. To that end, the HFA awards 4 scholarships of $2,000-$4,000 to promising students within that community who are also seeking a post-secondary education from a college, university, or trade school.

For more information, please visit: http://www.hemophiliafed.org/programs/educational-scholarships/

**The Hispanic Development Fund Scholarships**

The HRD Fund awards college scholarships to Hispanic high school and college students form the Kansas City metro area to provide better educational and economic opportunity for Hispanic people. In order to qualify, Hispanic students living in the Greater Kansas City Metropolitan Area must exhibit proven academic merit, financial need, and community involvement and also be enrolled as full-time undergraduate students.
Hispanic Education Endowment Fund

HEEF Scholarships are based on a combination of low-income family background, academic achievement and involvement in extracurricular activities, community volunteer work, church service, or employment. To be eligible, applicants must be: Latin@ who has lived in Orange County, CA for the past six years; an OC public or private high school graduate who enrolls at a four-year college or an OC community college transfer who enrolls fulltime at a four-year college; a first generation college student; and more specified at the link below.

For more information, please visit: http://www.heef.org/scholarships/index.htm

The Hispanic League Scholarship Program

In keeping with their mission to improve the quality of life for Hispanic and Latino people through promoting community inclusion, education, health and multicultural understanding, the Hispanic League has established this program to provide scholarships for deserving students. Eligible applicants must: be high school seniors, high school graduates (including GED) who have been accepted into an accredited institution of higher education in the U.S.; be past or present Forsyth County, NC, English Language Learner students and NC residents; be of Hispanic/Latin@ descent; and fulfill additional criteria listed at the website below.

For more information, please visit: http://www.hispanicleague.org/hispanic-league-scholarship-program

Humane Education Network A Voice for Animals Contest

The contest is open to all high school students. Students must submit an essay that: examines either the mistreatment of one animal species or one cause of animal suffering, occurring anywhere in the world, and possible measures to reduce it; cites all sources; is the original work of the author and not previously published; is typed double-spaced; must not exceed 1500 words (longer essays will be disqualified).

For more information, please visit: http://www.hennet.org/contest

If Given a Chance Scholarship

If Given a Chance provides financial, educational, emotional, and moral support for youth who have overcome tremendous challenges – like homelessness or extreme poverty, abuse, neglect, daunting health problems - and demonstrated a commitment to continuing their education. IGAC works closely with all Napa County school districts and high schools to identify youth who meet the selection criteria.

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Inlaks Shivdasani Foundation Scholarships
The Inlaks Shivdasani Foundation identifies exceptionally talented young Indian students and provides financial support for them to develop their special skills and talents. Scholarship applicants must be Indian citizens who are residents in India at the time of application with admission to a top American, European or UK institution who are under 30 years of age on the first of July in the year of application.

For more information, please visit: http://www.inlaksfoundation.org/default.aspx

JVS Chicago Scholarship
The JVS Scholarship is awarded by the Jewish Federation of Metropolitan Chicago to eligible Jewish college and graduate students. Students must be full-time (either entering their junior/senior year of an accredited bachelor’s or graduate degree program), legally domiciled in the metropolitan Chicago area, and demonstrate financial need as well as promise for significant contributions in their chosen careers.

For more information, please visit: http://jvschicago.org/scholarship/

The Kennedy-King Memorial College Scholarship
Each Spring, the Kennedy-Kind Memorial Scholarship Fund awards two-year scholarships of $4,000 per year to students who transfer in the fall or spring following the award from Contra Costa Community community colleges to junior standing in four-year accredited institutions. To qualify, students must: be of African-American, Latino, Native American, or Pacific Islander descent; be enrolled for the fall semester prior to the award at Diablo Valley, Contra Costa, or Los Medanos Colleges; be eligible to transfer to a four-year institution with junior standing for the next fall term; and provide evidence of financial need.

For more information, please visit: http://www.kennedyking.org/forms.htm

La Vera Garcia Internship/Scholarship
The goal of this scholarship is to help Latino students excel in post-secondary education by offering students financial support for their academic studies and the opportunity to work with the Nuclear Age Peace Foundation. The internship involves an $800 stipend; an additional $800 is supplemented to help support the student’s academic achievement. The opportunity is open to Latino students currently enrolled at any college or university who also maintain a minimum overall GPA of 3.0.
For more information, please see: [http://205.186.131.100/menu/about/opportunities/garcia.html](http://205.186.131.100/menu/about/opportunities/garcia.html)

**Latino Employee Resource Group Scholarship**
The Latino ERG is an organization dedicated to employees committed to personal development, company success, and community well-being. They award $1,000-$2,000 to approximately 30 college-bound high school seniors and continuing students.


**Meritus Scholarship**
Meritus provides opportunities to graduating seniors from San Francisco high schools to engage a network of individuals from the community through mentoring, coaching, and career and professional skills development for success throughout college and beyond. To qualify for these services plus $14,000 over four years, applicants must plan to attend a four-year college, earn a GPA between 3.0-3.7, demonstrate financial need, and demonstrate an outstanding personal record of achievement.

For more information, please visit: [http://meritus.org/scholars/how-to-apply/](http://meritus.org/scholars/how-to-apply/)

**Migrant Farmworker Baccalaureate Scholarship**
This scholarship exists to provide financial support to a deserving student with a history of migrating for employment in agriculture who has successfully completed one year of college. The support will cover expenses beyond what the youth is entitled to in federal/state and other scholarship assistance.

For more information, please visit: [http://www.migrant.net/migrant/scholarships/mfb.htm](http://www.migrant.net/migrant/scholarships/mfb.htm)

**The National Indian Law Library**
The National Indian Law Library is an organization that provides resources, including scholarship information, for Native American Indian individuals attending college.

[http://www.narf.org/nill/resources/scholarships.html](http://www.narf.org/nill/resources/scholarships.html)

**The National Merit Scholarship**
National Merit Scholarships are given by the National Merit Organization to recognize and honor academically talented students of the United States. Students must take the PSAT/NMSQU in high school, no later than the third year in grades 9 through 12; be enrolled in a high school and planning to enroll full-time in college no later than the fall following the
completion of high school; and be citizens of the United States. Scholarship amounts can be up to $2500.

For more information, please visit: [http://www.nationalmerit.org/index.php](http://www.nationalmerit.org/index.php)

**Overseas Press Club Foundation**
The Overseas Press Club Foundation offers 15 scholarships or fellowships to undergraduate and undergraduate students studying at American colleges and universities (or Americans studying abroad) who aspire to become foreign correspondents. Fellowships pay for travel and living expenses for awardees to work in foreign bureaus.

For more information, including eligibility, please visit: [http://www.overseaspressclubfoundation.org/apply.html](http://www.overseaspressclubfoundation.org/apply.html)

**Phi Delta Kapa Prospective Educator Scholarship**
The PDK Educational Foundation awards more than 30 scholarships each year to prospective educators who have a connection to PDK such as a family member, teacher, or Future Educators Association membership. Eligible individuals are high school seniors intending to major in education with a connection to PDK or undergraduate members of FEA or a PDK chapter enrolled in a college education program.

For more information, please visit: [http://pdkintl.org/programs-resources/scholarships-awards/prospective-educator-scholarships/](http://pdkintl.org/programs-resources/scholarships-awards/prospective-educator-scholarships/)

**Point Foundation Scholarships**
The Point Foundation, established in 2001 to nurture the next generation of LGBTQ leaders, awards scholarships to help fill gaps and provide funds not provided by other scholarships, grants, loans, etc. Applicants must be LGBTQ students enrolled full time at an accredited degree-granting program based in the United States for the upcoming academic year.

For more information, please visit: [http://www.pointfoundation.org/OnlineApplicationInfo](http://www.pointfoundation.org/OnlineApplicationInfo)

**The Princeton Prize in Race Relations**
Princeton University annually sponsors this award in order to encourage young people who have made or are making efforts to improve racial harmony and cooperation. Applicants must be enrolled in grades 9-12.

For more information, please visit: [http://www.princeton.edu/pprize/](http://www.princeton.edu/pprize/)
**PRSA Diversity Multicultural Scholarship**
The Public Relations Student Society of America annually assists and recognizes young men and women for outstanding academic achievement and commitment to the practice of public relations. Two scholarships of $1,500 are awarded to talented communications students from marginalized backgrounds who are full-time undergraduate students at accredited four-year colleges or universities, at least at junior status, with a minimum 3.0 GPA.

For more information, please visit: [http://prssa.prsa.org/scholarships_competitions/individual/diversity/index.html](http://prssa.prsa.org/scholarships_competitions/individual/diversity/index.html)

**Que Llueva Café Scholarship**
CORE – the Chicano Organizing & Research in Education organization – provides this scholarship to provide a direct response to the unfair immigration system that continues to deprive aspiring new scholars from continuing their education in the only country they have ever known, the U.S. Applicants must: be undocumented students who are graduating high school or have the GRE who will enroll for the first time in an accredited institution in the U.S. or Puerto Rico; and demonstrate financial hardship, extra-curricular involvement, and academic promise.

For more information, please visit: [http://www.ca-core.org/que_llueva_cafe_scholarship_program](http://www.ca-core.org/que_llueva_cafe_scholarship_program)

**Ray Greenly Scholarship**
This $25,000 award is given by the National Retail Federation in memory of NRF member Ray Greenly to a student who exemplifies qualities of ambition, curiosity, adaptability, and pursuing a degree related to digital retail (such as marketing).

For more information, please visit: [https://nrf.com/career-center/scholarships/ray-greenly-scholarship](https://nrf.com/career-center/scholarships/ray-greenly-scholarship)

**Scholarship America**
Scholarship America is a foundation that awards various scholarships to help students find success in their postsecondary education. Eligibility and amounts vary.

For more information, please visit: [https://scholarshipamerica.org/open_scholarships.php](https://scholarshipamerica.org/open_scholarships.php)

**Signet Essay Contest**
Based on a classic text of their choosing, the Signet Essay Contest encourages high school students to engage classic literature and pursue their post-secondary education. The contest is open to 11th and 12th grade full-time matriculated students who are attending high schools
within the U.S. and District of Columbia, or home-schooled students between the ages of 16-18 who are residents of the U.S. and the District of Columbia.

For more information, please visit: [http://www.penguin.com/services-academic/essayhome/](http://www.penguin.com/services-academic/essayhome/)

**Society of Exploration Geophysics Scholarships**
SEG offers scholarships from $500 to $14,000 per academic year to undergraduate students pursuing a Bachelor’s as well as graduate students. Scholarships are merit based and eligible applicant must intend to pursue a college curriculum in applied geophysics or a closely related field.


**The TELACU Education Foundation College Success Program**
TELACU is an organization dedicated to the belief that future leaders of our community must be engaged in meaningful careers that will change the face of our world; to that end, TELACU offers scholars financial resources, personal and professional development opportunities, college advisement and career advice as well as financial support.

For more information, please see: [http://telacu.com/telacu-education-foundation/college-success-program/](http://telacu.com/telacu-education-foundation/college-success-program/)

**The Tozer Foundation Scholarships**
The Tozer Foundation grants scholarships to residents of Kanabec, Pine, and Washington Counties in Minnesota. Students must show that they have financial need and above average scholastic performance as well as community and school involvement. Amount can be up $2,500 per year.

For more information, please visit: [http://www.tozerfoundation.com/scholarship-information.html](http://www.tozerfoundation.com/scholarship-information.html)

**TRENZA Scholarships**
TRENZA recognizes the need to support other Chicana/Latinas in their academic endeavors, especially higher education. They demonstrate this encouragement by offering two $500 scholarships to graduating Chicana/Latina high school seniors offered by undergraduate students.

For more information, please visit: [http://www.trenza.org/scholarships/](http://www.trenza.org/scholarships/)
Western Union Family Scholarship Program
This program supports two immigrant students from one family to pursue educational opportunities in order to create a brighter future for their entire family. Eligible applicants must be: 18 or older, born outside of the U.S. and living in the U.S. for less than 7 years, pursuing education within the U.S. Please see additional specifications at the link below.

For more information, please visit: http://foundation.westernunion.com/education_programs.html

Architecture, Interior Architecture, and Designed Objects

AIA/F Diversity Advancement Scholarship
The AIA/F Diversity Advancement Scholarship provides assistance to high school graduates, college freshmen, and community college students from a minority and/or financially disadvantaged background who intend to pursue a NAAB-accredited professional degree (5-year BA or BA + MA) in Architecture. In order to be eligible, applicants must be legal residents of the U.S. and either a high school senior or college freshman entering/attending a NAAB accredited program in architecture, OR technical school or community college students that have completed high school and intend to transfer to a NAAB accredited professional program.

For more information, please visit: http://www.aia.org/about/initiatives/AlAB101856

ASID Foundation Legacy Scholarship for Undergraduates
The Legacy Scholarship, an award of $4,000, is awarded on the basis of academic accomplishment, creative achievement, and personal statement. All students in their junior or senior year of undergraduate study enrolled in at least a three-year accredited program of interior design are eligible to apply.

For more information, please visit: http://www.asidfoundation.org/SCHOLARSHIPS_and_AWARDS.html

Joel Polsky Academic Achievement Award
The Joel Polsky Academic Achievement Award of $5,000 is given to recognize an outstanding interior design research project or thesis project related to wellness and design, conducted by an undergraduate or graduate student.

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For more information, please visit: [http://www.asidfoundation.org/SCHOLARSHIPS_and_AWARDS.html](http://www.asidfoundation.org/SCHOLARSHIPS_and_AWARDS.html)

**Richard Morris Hunt Fellowship**
The prestigious Richard Morris Hunt Fellowship of $20,000 offers motivated architects, specialized in preservation open to the techniques of today, an opportunity to travel for six months, divided in 2 or 3 periods, in the United States or in France.

For more information, please visit: [http://www.rm-hunt-prize.org/en/overview/](http://www.rm-hunt-prize.org/en/overview/)

**Savvy Home Store Scholarship**
A retail company specializing in high-quality furniture, Savvy Home has a bi-annual scholarship program which awards a $6,000 scholarship to one student whose application best displays a dedication to interior design or related field. Criteria include enrollment in an undergraduate or graduate program at an accredited U.S. college or university in good academic standing (minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0).

For more information, please visit: [http://www.savvyhomestore.com/content/scholarship](http://www.savvyhomestore.com/content/scholarship)

**SME Education Foundation Scholarships**
The SME Education Foundation awards scholarships to graduation high school seniors, current undergraduates, and masters or doctoral degree students pursuing degrees in advanced manufacturing and related professions at two and four-year colleges. Award amounts vary.

For more information for high school seniors, please visit: [http://www.smeef.org/scholarships/page.2/highschool.asp](http://www.smeef.org/scholarships/page.2/highschool.asp)

For more information for undergraduate students, please visit: [http://www.smeef.org/scholarships/undergraduate.asp](http://www.smeef.org/scholarships/undergraduate.asp)

**SPE Foundation Plastics & Polymer Industry General Grants**
Society of Plastics Engineers provides funding for programs/projects that will benefit members of the SPE, the plastics industry, and/or the general public.

For more information, including eligibility, please visit: [http://www.4spe.org/Leadership/Content.aspx?ItemNumber=3894&navItemNumber=684](http://www.4spe.org/Leadership/Content.aspx?ItemNumber=3894&navItemNumber=684)

**Stewardson Keefe LeBrun Travel Grant**
The Stewardson Keefe LeBrun Travel Grant, which are single or multiple awards totaling...
$15,000, exists to further the personal and professional development of an architect in early or mid-career through travel. Eligible applicants are U.S. citizens with a degree in architecture as well as a full-time licensed or un-licensed practitioner.

For more information, please visit: http://cfafoundation.org/index.php?section=lebrun

**Art Education**

**Frank Kazmierczak Memorial Migrant Scholarship**
The purpose of this scholarship is to serve as a living tribute to Frank Kazmierczak, a long time migrant educator, by offering an annual award in the amount of $1,000 for post-secondary scholarship assistance to a migrant who wishes to pursue a career in teaching. Candidates must be migrant workers or children of migrant workers, have teaching as a career goal, and demonstrate scholastic achievement as well as financial need.

For more information, please visit: http://www.migrant.net/migrant/scholarships/kazmierczak.htm

**Fashion Design**

**The Council of Fashion Designers of America Fashion Awards**
The CFDA, a not-for-profit trade association aiming to strengthen the influence and success of American Fashion Designers in the global economy, grants annual Fashion Awards to recognize the outstanding contributions made to American fashion by individuals from all areas of the industry and related arts. Amount of scholarships vary.

For more information, please visit: http://cfda.com/

**Sculpture**

**National Sculpture Society Scholarship**
The National Sculpture Society provides winners with a two night hotel stay and registration fee for the Sculpture Celebration Conference in Philadelphia. Applicants must be between the ages of 21-35 and either citizens or residents of the U.S. with a social security number.
Sound

The ASCAP Foundation Morton Gould Young Composer Awards
The ASCAP (American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers) Foundation Morton Gould Young Composer Awards are granted to encourage talented young composers of classical concert music; winners share over $40,000 in ASCAP Foundation Funds. Eligible applicants are citizens or permanent residents of the U.S. or enrolled students with student visas, and under the age of 30 as of the first day of the competition year.

For more information, please visit: http://www.ascap.com/music-career/support/morton-gould-guidelines.aspx

Visual Communication

Microsoft Scholarship Program
Microsoft awards college tuition scholarships to encourage students to pursue studies in Computer Science and related STEM disciplines. The majority of awards go to female and/or underrepresented minority students or students with disabilities. To be eligible, students must be enrolled full-time at a four-year college or university in the U.S., Canada, or Mexico; show satisfactory progress toward an undergraduate degree in computer science or related technical disciplines; maintain a 3.0 GPA; and demonstrate interest in computer science.

For additional information, please visit: https://careers.microsoft.com/students/scholarships

The Print and Graphics Scholarship Foundation (PGSF)
The Print and Graphics Scholarship Foundation (PGSF) is a not-for-profit, private, industry-directed organization that dispenses undergraduate college scholarships and graduate fellowship assistance to talented men and women interested in graphic communication careers. Scholarship acceptance and renewal is contingent on the student maintaining full-time status, a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher, enrollment in a 2-4 year accredited graphic or printing program at a college within the U.S. and pursuit of a career in graphic communications, printing technology, printing management, or publishing.
Eligibility info requested via email 7/14/15

For more information, please visit: http://www.printing.org/pgsf

Writing – Journalism

The Academy Nicholl Screenwriting Fellowship
The Academy Nicholl screenwriting competition awards up to five $35,000 fellowships each year to amateur screenwriters who have not earned more than $25,000 while writing fictional work for film or television.

For more information, please visit: http://www.oscars.org/nicholl

Ayn Rand Institute Essay Contest
Open to 8th, 9th, and 10th graders, this essay contest invites young scholars to engage one of Ayn Rand’s iconic novels with essay topics of their choosing.

For more information, please visit: https://www.aynrand.org/students/essay-contests#rules

Barbara Mandigo Kelly Peace Poetry Awards
Awarded by the Nuclear Age Peace Foundation, the Barbara Mandigo Kelly Peace Poetry Award is given annually for a poem that explores “positive visions of peace and the human spirit.” Split into Adult, Youth (13 – 18) and Youth (12 and under), this contest is open to people worldwide writing original unpublished poems in English.

For more information, please visit: http://www.peacecontests.org/#journal

George Ramos Memorial Scholarship
The CCNMA – an organization for journalists, media professionals, employers and students – awards the George Ramos Memorial Scholarship to qualified Latino students who are planning to pursue a career in journalism. Ranging from $500-$1,000 per student, scholarships are awarded based on commitment to the field of journalism, scholastic achievement, and financial need. Applicants must be enrolled full time for the academic year in which they apply and be California residents.

For more information, please visit: http://ccnma.org/scholarships-and-awards/scholarships/

The Katherine Anne Porter Prize in Fiction
Awarded by Nimrod: International Journal of Prose and Poetry, the Katharine Anne Porter Prize
in Fiction is awarded to writers living in the U.S. within 6 months of the contest deadline. To be considered for publication and a $1,000 - $2,000 prize, the applicant must submit one short story or a self-contained excerpt from a novel at a maximum of 7,500 words not previously published or accepted for publication.

For more information, please visit: http://utulsa.edu/nimrod/awards.html

**Mary A. Gardner Scholarship**
Each year, the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communications awards the Mary A. Gardner Scholarship to an outstanding college journalism student who is an incoming college junior or senior.

For additional information, including eligibility, please visit: http://www.aejmc.org/home/scholarship/aejmc-awards/

**The Newspaper Guild David S. Barr Award Contest**
The David S. Barr Award is intended to recognize one high school and one college student for their journalistic achievement and to encourage young journalists to focus on issues of social justice. The competition is open to all high school students, including those enrolled in vocational, technical or special education programs, as well as all part or full-time college students.

For more information, please visit: http://www.newsguild.org/david-s-barr-award-contest

**The Pablo Neruda Prize for Poetry**
Awarded by Nimrod: International Journal of Prose and Poetry, the Pablo Neruda Prize for Poetry is awarded to writers living in the U.S. within 6 months of the contest deadline. To be considered for publication and a $1,000 - $2,000 prize, the applicant must submit 3-10 pages of poetry not previously published or accepted for publication.

For more information, please visit: http://utulsa.edu/nimrod/awards.html

**The Peter Agris Memorial Journalism Scholarship**
The Peter Agris Memorial Scholarship, a $5,000 non-renewable award, is given by the Alpha Omega council to honor its late founder and publisher of The Hellenic Chronicle, Peter Agris. Eligible students must be of Greek-American descent and: a U.S. citizen; enrolled full-time as a journalism/communications major at the undergraduate or graduate level at an accredited college or university; active participants in their school communities; and at a minimum 3.0 GPA with demonstrated financial need.

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For more information, please visit: http://www.alphaomegacouncil.com/scholarship.htm
To apply: http://www.alphaomegacouncil.com/docs/Scholarship_Application.pdf

**Radio Television Digital News Foundation Scholarship**
The RTDNF awards scholarships and fellowships to young journalists as part of its mission to provide visibility, advocacy, training, resources, networking and awards for electronic journalists. Scholarships are open to college students pursuing careers in radio, television, or digital journalism who are officially enrolled, full-time sophomores, juniors, or seniors in good standing.

For more information, please visit: http://www.rtdna.org/content/scholarship_info#

**VSA Playwright Discovery Award Program**
To enter the VSA Playwright Discovery Award Program, young writers with and without disabilities are asked to explore the disability experience through the art of script writing for stage or screen. Eligible applicants are high school students in U.S. grades 6-12, or ages 11-18 for non-U.S. Students. Winners aged 15-18 receive a trip to the Kennedy Center in Washington, D.C. to participate in a multi-day intensive with distinguished theatre professionals.

For more information, please visit: http://www.kennedy-center.org/education/vsa/programs/playwright_discovery.cfm

**Sculpture, Graphic Design, Industrial Design, Marketing, Product Design**

**The Buick Achievers Scholarship Program**
Buick provides up to $25,000 per year for 50 first-time freshman or existing college students, renewable for up to four years, who have succeeded both inside and outside of the classroom and who may not be able to attend college without financial assistance. Additional eligibility requirements are for applicants to plan to enroll at an accredited four-year college or university based in the U.S. or Puerto Rico for the entire academic year. Applicants must be citizens or permanent residents of the U.S.

For more information, please visit: http://www.buickachievers.com/

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Fine or Commercial Arts, Design, Architecture

Worldstudio AIGA Scholarships
Ranging from $500 - $3,000, Worldstudio AIGA Scholarships allow U.S. college students from minority and economically disadvantaged backgrounds to realize their artistic dreams and give back to their communities. Applicants must be U.S. citizens or possess green cards, be pursuing an undergraduate or graduate degree in a specified field, be matriculated at an accredited college in the U.S. at full time, and have at least a 2.0 GPA with demonstrated financial aid need.

For more information, please visit: http://www.aiga.org/worldstudio-scholarship/