



External Scholarships, Grants, and Financial Aid

**Please note that requirements, application dates, and application deadlines vary by organization, so please check respective websites. Additionally, some do not offer scholarships every academic year.*

Aga Khan Foundation International Scholarship Program

This program accepts applications from nationals of Bangladesh, India, Pakistan, Afghanistan, Tajikistan, Kyrgyzstan, Syria, Egypt, Kenya, Tanzania, Uganda, Madagascar, and Mozambique. Applicants living in France, Portugal, the UK, USA, and Canada can also be considered if the applicant is originally from one of these countries, is interested in development-related studies, and has no other means of financing. Priority is given to applicants under 30. The foundation provides tuition, fees, and living expenses, but half of the scholarship amount is considered a loan that must be paid back in 5 years.

Website: <https://www.akdn.org/our-agencies/aga-khan-foundation/international-scholarship-programme>

A Place For Mom Senior Wisdom Video Scholarship

The annual scholarship award is for four students enrolled in a certificate, associate's degree, bachelor's degree or graduate level program in a medical, nursing or social sciences related major. The student must be planning on pursuing a career that involves working with senior citizens. The applicant must be attending classes at an accredited college or university at the time of application.

Website: <https://www.aplaceformom.com/scholarship>

Albert W. Dent

Scholarship to provide financial aid to minority students in healthcare management graduate programs, including MPH programs.

Website: <https://www.ache.org/membership/student-resources/albert-w-dent-graduate-student-scholarship>

Alpha Kappa Alpha Educational Advancement Foundation Graduate Community Assistance Awards

Merit and need-based scholarship aid to students with a demonstrated involvement in community service.

Website: <https://akaeaf.org/scholarships>

Agnes Jones Jackson Scholarship-National Association for the Advancement of Colored People

The Agnes Jones Jackson Scholarship is available to a graduate student who is a member of the NAACP.

Website: <http://www.poisefoundation.org/naacp-scholarships/>

American Board of Examiners in Clinical Social Work Awards (ABECSW)

Funding for graduate students in the clinical field of social work.

Website: <https://abecsw.org/>

American Association of University Women »

The American Association of University Women provides funding for women pursuing graduate study.

Website: <https://www.aauw.org/what-we-do/educational-funding-and-awards/>

American College of Healthcare Executives

Funding for students enrolled in their final year of a healthcare management graduate program, including MPH programs.

Website:

<https://www.ache.org/search?q=scholarship&sortBy=relevance&sortOrder=asc&page=1&contentFilter&eventSpan>

American Indian Graduate Center Fellowship »

The American Indian Graduate Center Fellowship offers an award to American Indian and Alaskan Native students in the U.S.

Website: <https://www.indian-affairs.org/scholarships.html>

American Indian College Fund

Funding for students based upon merit or demonstrated financial need.

Website: <https://collegfund.org/student-resources/>

American School Health Association Scholarship

The American School Health Association Scholarship is available to a graduate student that is also a current ASHA member specializing in any school health profession for use towards conference registration.

Website: <http://www.ashaweb.org/scholarships/>

American Association of University Women International Fellowship

The International Fellowship is available to female international students pursuing graduate or postgraduate study. The scholarship seeks to improve the lives of women and girls all over the world by creating leaders. Award up to \$30,000.

Website: <http://www.aauw.org/what-we-do/educational-funding-and-awards/international-fellowships/if-application/>

Annual iSeeCars Future Entrepreneurs Scholarship

Annual iSeeCars Future Entrepreneurs Scholarship <https://www.iseecars.com/scholarship>
iSeeCars.com will award \$1,000 to a university student who has a demonstrated interest in entrepreneurship or has plans to become an entrepreneur. The scholarship will be awarded based on the application materials submitted by students.

Website: <https://www.iseecars.com/scholarship>

Armenian International Women's Association Scholarships »

The Armenian International Women's Association Scholarships are awarded to full-time female students of Armenian descent.

Website:

https://www.aiwainternational.org/content.aspx?page_id=22&club_id=616355&module_id=243124&sl=1122369336

Association of American Indian Affairs

The Association of American Indian Affairs provides scholarships to full-time students enrolled in a federally recognized, state recognized or tribe not recognized by the federal government that are located in the continental U.S. and Alaska.

Website: <https://www.aigcs.org/scholarships-fellowships>

Association of Latina/Latino Social Work Educators

The Association of Latina/Latino Social Work Educators provides scholarships to Latina/Latino social work students who demonstrate leadership in the social work context and aspire to a career of excellence.

Website: <https://www.allswc.com/2018-student-scholarships.html>

The Beinecke Scholarship Program

The Beinecke Scholarship Program was established in 1971 by the Board of Directors of The Sperry and Hutchinson Company to honor Edwin, Frederick, and Walter Beinecke. The Board created an endowment to provide substantial scholarships for the graduate education of young men and women of exceptional promise. The program seeks to encourage and enable highly motivated students to pursue opportunities available to them and to be courageous in the selection of a graduate course of study in the arts, humanities and social sciences. Each scholar receives \$4,000 immediately prior to entering graduate school and an additional \$30,000 while attending graduate school. There are no geographic restrictions on the use of the scholarship, and recipients are allowed to supplement the award with other scholarships, assistantships and research grants. Scholars are encouraged to begin graduated study as soon as possible following graduation from college, and must utilize all of the funding within five years of completion of undergraduate studies.

Website: <http://fdnweb.org/beinecke/program/>

Byron Hanke Fellowship-Foundation for Community Association Research

The Byron Hanke Fellowship is awarded to graduate students to implement research projects related to the development, management and governance of common interest communities and their community associations.

Website: <https://foundation.caionline.org/scholarships/hanke/>

Canadian Federation of University Women

The Canadian Federation of University Women provides awards for Canadian citizens or permanent residents of Canada.

Website: <http://www.fcfdu.org/en-ca/fellowshipsawards.aspx>

Carl A. Scott Memorial Fund-Council on Social Work Education

The Carl A. Scott Memorial Fund provides a scholarship targeted to but not limited to minority ethnic/racial individuals.

Website: <https://www.cswe.org/Centers-Initiatives/Scholarships-and-Fellowships/Carl-A-Scott-Memorial.aspx>

Charles J. Lieberth Scholarship Fund

Provide funding for the City of Pittsburgh employees completing an undergraduate or graduate program in government or public service.

Website: <https://pittsburghfoundation.org/scholarship/1725>

Christine Mirzayan Science and Technoloy Policy Graduate Fellowships

Graduate and professional school students and those who have completed graduate studies (degree awarded) within the last five years may apply. Areas of study may include any social/behavioral science, medical/health discipline, physical or biological science, any field of engineering, law/business/public administration, or any relevant interdisciplinary fields.

Website: <https://sites.nationalacademies.org/pga/policyfellows/>

Cobell Scholarship

The Cobell Scholarship is available to a full-time student who is an enrolled member of a U.S. federally recognized tribe.

Website: <https://cobellscholar.org/>

College Club of Pittsburgh Scholarship Fund

For female students who were born, lived in, or went to school in Western PA to provide support for continuing education.

Website: <https://pittsburghfoundation.org/scholarship/10655>

Congressional Black Caucus Spouses Education Scholarship

The Congressional Black Caucus Spouses Education Scholarship is awarded to African-American or black students.

Website: <https://www.cbcfinc.org/scholarships/>

Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute Graduate Fellowship Program

The Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute Graduate Fellowship Program is a post-graduate, nine-month paid fellowship for Latinos providing hands-on experience in a variety of public policy areas.

Website: <https://chci.org/programs/graduate-fellowship-program/>

Consuelo W. Gosnell Memorial MSW Scholarship-National Association of Social Workers

The Consuelo W. Gosnell Memorial MSW Scholarship is awarded to master's degree candidates in social work who have demonstrated a commitment to working with, or who have a special affinity with, American Indian/Alaska Native and Hispanic/Latino populations.

Website: <https://www.naswfoundation.org/Our-Work/Scholarships-Fellowships-Awards/Scholarships/Consuelo-W-Gosnell-Memorial-Scholarship>

Counsel on Social Work Education (CSWE) – Minority Fellowship Program for Master’s Students in Mental Health Services

Support the mission of the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration to reduce the effects of substance abuse and mental illness on America’s communities by increasing the number of individuals trained to work with underrepresented and underserved racial/ethnic minority persons with or at risk for mental health and/or substance abuse disorders.

Website: <https://cswe.org/Centers-Initiatives/Initiatives/Minority-Fellowship-Program/>

Cory L. Richards Memorial Scholarship

Funding for students seeking advanced degrees in public health or public policy and plan to devote their careers to advancing sexual and reproductive health and rights.

Website: <http://www.guttmacher.org/richardsscholarship>

CURE Education Enrichment Fund

The CURE Education Enrichment Fund is available to students who have been diagnosed with epilepsy, immediate family members of someone with epilepsy, and / or caregivers of those with epilepsy.

Website: <https://www.cureepilepsy.org/get-involved/scholarships/>

Cyprus Children's Fund

The Cyprus Children's Fund offers multiple scholarship options for students of Greek descent who are enrolled in full-time academic programs in the United States. Scholarship amounts vary.

Website: <http://www.cyprus-childrensfund.org/scholarships.html>

Davis-Putter Scholarship Fund

Funding for students actively working for peace and participation in struggles for civil rights, economic justice, international solidarity or other progressive issues.

Website: <http://www.davisputter.org/apply-for-scholarships/>

Delta Phi Epsilon Scholarships

The Delta Phi Epsilon Education Foundation Scholarships are awarded to full-time or part-time undergraduate and graduate students that are initiated members of Delta Phi Epsilon Sorority.

Website: <https://www.dphiefoundation.org/educational-scholarships/>

The Evalee C. Schwarz Charitable Trust for Education

The Evalee C. Schwarz Charitable Trust for Education was created under the Will of Evalee C. Schwarz to provide interest-free loans to undergraduate and graduate students who demonstrate exceptional academic performance and significant financial need.

Website: <http://www.evaleeschwarztrust.org/>

FEEA Scholarship Program

Provide current civilian federal employees and their dependent family members with funding for two, four year, post-secondary, graduate or post graduate programs

Website: <https://feea.org/our-programs/scholarships/>

Fidler Research Grant for the Study of College Students in Transition

Funding for research that has the potential to improve the experience of college students in transition. Qualitative, quantitative, and mixed-method studies will be considered.

Website: http://sc.edu/fye/awards/IE_Award.html

Gamma Mu Scholarship

The Gamma Mu Scholarship provides support to gay men who want to further their education.

<https://gammamufoundation.org/scholarship-guidelines/>

Giva Student Scholarship

This semi-annual scholarship requires undergraduate and graduate scholarship applicants to write an essay in response to: "How will you use your talents and education to make the world a better place for future generations? What are your career and personal goals and why?" Recipients receive \$1,000 scholarships

Website: <http://www.givainc.com/scholarships/student-scholarship-worldwide-community-ambassadoraward.cfm>

Graduate Scholarship Program-National Association of Junior Auxiliaries, Inc.

The Graduate Scholarship is provided for graduate study in fields, which address the special needs of children and youth

Website: <http://www.najanet.org/naja-scholarship/>

Graduate Student Research Award-American Society on Aging

The Graduate Student Research Award is provided to the best unpublished graduate research paper on a completed project relevant to aging and applicable to practice.

Website: <https://www.asaging.org/graduate-student-research-award>

Health Professions Scholarship-Indian Health Service

The Health Professions Scholarship is awarded to qualified American Indian and Alaska Native graduate level students.

Website: <https://www.ihs.gov/scholarship/>

Hispanic Scholarship Fund

The Hispanic Scholarship is designed to assist students of Hispanic heritage obtain a college degree.

Website: <https://www.hsf.net/scholarship>

JCC North America Graduate Education Scholarship

With the goal of deepening and enhancing the professional knowledge of future Jewish Community Center (JCC) leaders, the JCC North America Graduate Education Scholarship is awarded for up to \$10,000 each year for full-time students pursuing graduate studies in nonprofit management, Jewish studies, social work, education, or communal service. Applicants must be enrolled in a master's program, be committed to starting a career of service, display academic achievement, and have community leadership potential. Recipients must agree to work in the JCC Movement for at least two years post-graduation.

Website: <http://www.jccworks.com/?p=C91E7>

John R. Mott Scholarship Foundation

The John R. Mott Scholarship Foundation provides scholarships to undergraduate and graduate students who are native to the Calabria region of Italy. Scholarships (up to \$10,000/year) are awarded on academic achievement and financial need. Students must reapply each year, but can receive the scholarship up to 4 times.

Website: <http://www.mottscholarship.org/scholar/eligibility-EN.asp>

Japanese American Citizens League National Scholarships and Awards

The Japanese American Citizens League National Scholarships and Awards are provided to an active National Japanese American Citizens League members pursuing full time study.

Website: <https://jacl.org/jacl-national-scholarship-program/>

Jewish Scholarship Service of Greater Pittsburgh

The Jewish Federation of Greater Pittsburgh has scholarships available for Jewish residents in Allegheny, Westmoreland, Beaver, Butler or Washington Counties.

Website: <https://www.jfcspg.org/services/scholarships/>

Kappa Kappa Gamma Foundation Scholarship

The Kappa Kappa Gamma Foundation Scholarship is awarded to full-time or part-time graduate students that are initiated members of Kappa Kappa Gamma Fraternity.

Website: <https://www.kappakappagamma.org/Kappa/foundationsscholarships/>

Korean American Scholarship Foundation

The Korean American Scholarship is offered to qualified Korean American students (including foreign students from Korea).

Website: http://www.kasf.org/scholarship_info

Kosciuszko Foundation Tuition Scholarship

The Kosciuszko Foundation Tuition Scholarship is awarded to American students of Polish descent for graduate studies.

Website: <https://www.thekf.org/kf/scholarships/tuition/ts/>

Leopold Schepp Foundation

The Leopold Schepp Foundation awards educational scholarships to full-time graduate students who demonstrate a combination of fine character, academic excellence, financial need, compassion, a commitment to volunteerism and whose goal will benefit mankind.

Website: <https://www.scheppfoundation.org/wp/>

LASPAU

This program administers a variety of grants and scholarships that are available to students from Latin America and the Caribbean. Scholarship awards and requirements vary.

Website: <http://www.laspau.harvard.edu/scholarship-management/>

LIVE MAS Scholarship – Taco Bell Foundation

Reward up to \$25,000

The Live Más Scholarship is looking for the next generation of innovators, creators and dreamers who want to make a difference in the world. For students on track to apply for or currently enrolled in an accredited post-high school/post-secondary educational programs located in the United States or D.C. You must be at least 16 years of age and no older than 24 years of age.

Website: <https://www.livemassscholarship.com>

Lupus Foundation of America – Gina M. Finzi Memorial Student Summer Fellowship

Summer fellowship for basic, clinical, translational, epidemiological, or behavioral research in North America.

Website: <https://www.lupus.org/career-development-for-researchers/gina-m-finzi-student-fellowship>

Melanie Foundation

The Melanie Foundation awards a scholarship to a candidate pursuing a master's degree in the mental health field.

Website: <http://www.themelaniefoundation.com/>

National Association of Black Social Workers

The National Association of Black Social Workers offers various scholarships to NABSW members.

Website: <https://www.nabsw.org/page/ScholarshipsRecipien>

National Association of Puerto Rican Hispanic Social Workers (NAPRHSW)

NAPRHSW provides scholarship awards to first or second year full-time graduate students presently enrolled in a School of Social Work program. Applicants must be able to demonstrate a strong interest in community organization and community advocacy that could potentially impact the Puerto Rican/Latino community. Applicants should demonstrate financial need and proficient academic performance.

Website: <http://www.naprhsww.com/scholarship-info>

National Federation of the Blind Scholarship

The National Federation of the Blind Scholarship offers merit-based scholarships to blind residents of the United States and Puerto Rico.

Website: <https://nfb.org/programs-services/scholarships-and-awards/scholarship-program>

National Iranian American Council Scholarships

The National Iranian American Council provides a listing of scholarships offered by Iranian-American organizations not affiliated with the National Iranian American Council.

Website: <https://www.niacouncil.org/for-students/scholarships-for-iranian-american-students/>

National Italian American Foundation

The National Italian American Foundation offers a variety of scholarships to outstanding Italian American students from a variety of academic disciplines and backgrounds.

Website: <https://www.niaf.org/programs/scholarships-overview/>

National Organization of Italian American Women Scholarship

The National Organization of Italian American Women Scholarship is awarded to Italian American women with at least one parent of Italian descent, currently enrolled in an undergraduate or graduate program at an accredited US academic institution. Undergraduate students must be enrolled at a four-year college or university. Must have a minimum GPA of 3.5 and demonstrate financial need.

Website: <http://www.noiaw.org/scholarships/>

National Women's Studies Association

The National Women's Studies Association is awarded to current individual members of the National Women's Studies Association, includes scholarships and essay awards.

Website: <https://www.nwsa.org/studentprizes>

Navajo Nation Graduate Fellowship

The Navajo Nation Graduate Fellowship provides grant awards to eligible full-time or part-time Navajo students, wishing to attend or attending graduate school.

Website: <http://www.onnsfa.org/FundingTypes/GraduateFund.aspx>

Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.

Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. offers scholarships for members of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc of graduate school standing.

Website: <http://www.oppf.org/scholarship/>

Order Sons and Daughters of Italy in America

The Order Sons and Daughters of Italy in America offers scholarships for U.S. citizens of Italian descent (at least one Italian or Italian-American grandparent) enrolled in a four-year undergraduate program or a graduate program at an accredited academic institution.

Website: <https://www.osia.org/programs/scholarships/>

Organization for Autism Research – Graduate Research Grant

Grants for students conducting autism research.

Website: <https://researchautism.org/research-grants/>

Paul and Daisy Soros Fellowship for New Americans

The Paul and Daisy Soros Fellowship for New Americans offers fellowship to support New Americans, immigrants or the children of immigrants, who are pursuing graduate school in the United States.

Website: <https://www.pdsoros.org/apply>

Philanthropic Educational Organization International Peace Scholarship

The International Peace Scholarship Fund, established in 1949, is a program which provides scholarships for selected women from other countries for graduate study in the United States and Canada.

Website: <http://www.peointernational.org/about-peo-international-peace-scholarship-ips>

Pi Gamma Mu Scholarship

The Pi Gamma Mu Scholarship is awarded to Pi Gamma Mu members only who attend graduate school in the social sciences.

Website: <https://pigammamu.org/scholarships.html>

Pittsburgh Foundation

Pittsburgh Foundation Scholarship Database

Website: <https://pittsburghfoundation.org/scholarshipsearch>

Point Foundation

The Point Foundation awards scholarships to lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and queer students.

Website: <https://pointfoundation.org/thepoint/scholarship/>

Poise Foundation

To assist the Pittsburgh Region's Black community in achieving self-sustaining practices, through strategic leadership, collective giving, grant making and advocacy.

Created in the format of a Community Foundation, POISE receives funds from a variety of donors. These funds may be unrestricted, and used to support our grant making strategy, or donor-directed for specific charitable purposes.

Website: <http://www.poisefoundation.org/scholarships-overview>

Recovery Village Health Care Scholarship

The Recovery Village awards a \$1,000 scholarship to a student pursuing a health-related degree program with a focus on substance abuse and mental health.

Website: <https://www.therecoveryvillage.com/scholarships/>

The Roothbert Fund, Inc.

The Roothbert Fund, Inc. provides scholarships to further graduate study.

Website: <http://www.roothbertfund.org/scholarshipsprogram.php>

Society for Public Health Education Student Member Fellowship and Awards

Funding for graduate student members of SOPHE.

Website: <http://my.sophe.org/Awards-Scholarships/Awards-Scholarships>

Tese Caldarelli Memorial Scholarship

The Tese Caldarelli Memorial Scholarship was established by the former NACA Great Lakes Region to provide financial assistance to undergraduate or graduate student leaders enrolled in colleges and universities in the NACA Mid Atlantic & Mid America regions. The scholarship is to be used for educational purposes, such as tuition, fees and books or for professional development purposes, such as conference fees.

Website: https://www.petersons.com/scholarship/tese-caldarelli-memorial-scholarship-111_165463.aspx

Tillman Scholars

This scholarship is open to military veterans (active duty or separated, including National Guard & reserve) and spouses pursuing a full-time degree at a US-based accredited institution. Each award is based on the applicant's unique financial need.

Website: <http://pattillmanfoundation.org/apply-to-be-a-scholar/>

TYLENOL® Future Care Scholars

Funding for students pursuing careers in healthcare and dedicated to a lifetime of caring for others.

Website: <http://www.tylenol.com/news/scholarship>

Verne LaMarr Lyons Memorial MSW Scholarship

The Verne LaMarr Lyons Memorial MSW Scholarship is awarded to a Master's degree candidate in social work who demonstrates an interest in or has experience with health/mental health practice and has a commitment to working in African American communities.

Website: <https://www.naswfoundation.org/Our-Work/Scholarships-Fellowships-Awards/Scholarships/Verne-LaMarr-Lyons-Memorial-Scholarship>

Wayne F. Placek Research Grant

Reward: \$10,000

Grants for research in the behavior or social sciences on LGBT issues.

Website: <https://www.apa.org/apf/funding/placek>

William J. Wolf Memorial Scholarship Fund

For undergraduate and graduate students who reside in Allegheny County and are Lutheran.

Website: <https://pittsburghfoundation.org/scholarship/1631>

United Health Foundation Louis Stokes Scholarship

The Congressional Black Caucus Foundation's Louis Stokes Health Scholars Program, sponsored by the United Health Foundation, seeks to increase the number of qualified, competitive African-American or Black students entering the health field. This program offers a scholarship award to offset scholars' cost of attendance. The multi-year award supports these scholars throughout their undergraduate and graduates academic journey.

Website: <https://www.cbcfinc.org/scholarships/>

William E. Simon Fellowship for Noble Purpose

The William E. Simon Fellowship for Noble Purpose is provided annually through the Intercollegiate Studies Institute (ISI) for \$10,000, \$20,000, and \$40,000 apiece to graduating college seniors committed to engaging directly in the civic life of their community. Preference will be given to graduates who demonstrate passion, dedication, perseverance, originality, and a high capacity of ambition for strengthening our nation's societies. This scholarship can be used

to fund nonprofit service projects, create opportunity for others, or advance education to the graduate level.

Website: <https://www.profellow.com/fellowships/a-fellowship-to-pursue-a-noble-purpose/>

William Randolph Hearst Endowed Fellowship for Minority Students

Amount: \$2,000-\$4,000

The Nonprofit Sector Research Fund, a grant-making program of the Aspen Institute in Washington, D.C., annually offers the William Randolph Hearst Endowed Scholarship. The scholarship, which is based on academic excellence and need, is open to both undergraduate and graduate students who are members of minority groups.

Website: <https://www.aspeninstitute.org/programs/program-on-philanthropy-and-social-innovationpsi/william-randolph-hearst-endowed-fellowship-for-minority-students/>

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