

Scholarships with Deadlines September-December and Various Deadlines

SEPTEMBER DEADLINES

Winter CHCI (Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute) Congressional Internship Program

Contact: Cecilia Majors, College Programs Specialist, 911 2nd Street NE, Washington, DC 20002, 1-800-EXCEL-DC, <http://www.chci.org>, cmajors@chci.org

Eligibility: Full-time Latino undergrad, minimum 3.0 GPA, strong commitment to public service evidence of leadership potential, solid analytical and communication skills, U.S. citizen or permanent resident Award: \$3,500 stipend for 12-week Capitol Hill internship plus roundtrip transportation and commuter assistance

Deadline: September 20 (summer program also available)

MAES Local Chapter Awards

Contact: Society of Mexican-American Engineers & Scientists (MAES), 13337 South St., #349, Cerritos, CA 90703, <http://www.maes-natl.org>, cpmedina@raytheon.com

Eligibility: Open to MAES student members in the fields of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics. The scholarship applicants are selected on the basis of academic achievement, financial need, leadership, community service, personal qualities, and completeness of application.

Awards:

Padrino/Madrina Scholarship – Three (3) in the amount of \$4,000

Graduate Scholarship – One (1) in the amount of \$3,000

Founders Scholarship – One (1) in the amount of \$2,500

Presidential Scholarship – One (1) in the amount of \$2,500

Pipeline Scholarship – Two (2) in the amount of \$1,000

General Scholarship – Many in the amount of \$1,000 or \$2,000

Deadline: September 29

Xerox Technical Minority Scholarship

Contact: Xerox Technical Minority Scholarship Program, 150 State Street, 4th Floor, Rochester, NY 14614, <http://www.xerox.com>

Eligibility: Minority and undergraduate/graduate pursuing technical degrees, must display academic excellence GPA: 3.0

Award: \$1,000 - \$10,000, depending on tuition balance, academic excellence, and classification

Deadline: September 30

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OCTOBER DEADLINES

United States Senate Youth Program

Contact: The California Selection Contact <http://www.usenateyouth.org>

Eligibility: High school junior or seniors interested in public service, leadership and currently serving in an elected capacity in student government. Also student representatives elected or appointed to district, regional or state-level civic or educational organization may qualify. Must be a permanent resident of the U.S. and currently enrolled in a secondary school located in the state in which either one of his or her parents or guardians legally resides. Award: \$5,000 one time college scholarship and an expense paid trip for a week to Washington D.C.

Deadline: October

Raymond W. Sarber Awards

Contact: American Society for Microbiology, 1752 N Street, NW, Washington, DC 20036, http://www.asm.org/asm/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=2294&Itemid=328,awards@asmusa.org

Eligibility: Undergraduate and predoctoral students attending accredited U.S. university enrolled in a microbiology-related major.

Award: \$1,500 plus framed certificate

Deadline: October 1

National Foundation for Advancement of the Arts (NFAA) Recognition and Talent Search

Contact: Joseph Mesmith, 777 Brickell Ave., Suite 370, Miami, FL 33131, 800- 970-ARTS, info@youngARTS.org, Fax: 305-377-1149, <http://www.nfaa.org>

Eligibility: Senior high school students who are pursuing careers in dance, music, visual arts, theater, writing, film, etc. Must be between 17 and 18 years old by December 1 and a U.S. citizen or legal resident.

Award: Up to \$10,000

Deadline: October 1

Prudential Spirit of Community Award

Contact: Prudential Spirit of Community Awards CSFA, 1505 Riverview Road, PO Box 297, St. Peter, MN 56082, 877-525-8491, <http://spirit.prudential.com/view/page>, info@applyists.com

Eligibility: Students must be in grades 5-12 from any state. Student must show participation in a volunteer activity that occurred at least partly during the 12 months prior to the date of application.

Application must be submitted to a school principal, Girl Scout council Executive Director, or county 4-H agent by the last week in October.

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

Deadline: October 1

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National Merit Scholarship Corporation

Contact: School Guidance Counselor, 1560 Sherman Avenue, Suite 200, Evanston, IL 60201-4897, 847-866-5100, <http://www.nationalmerit.org>, mediainfo@nmerit.net

Eligibility: Students sign up for scholarship by taking the PSAT/NMSQT. Students must be high school students enrolling in college or a university the following year. Must be a U.S. citizen.

Award: \$500 - \$2,500

Deadline: October 10

D.A. Weber Scholarship Fund

Contact: California Teachers Association, P.O. Box 921, Burlingame, CA 94011, 650-697-1400, Fax: 650-568-7383, <http://www.cta.org>; jcollins@cta.org

Eligibility: Scholarships are available to members for credential, degree or graduate programs, in order to receive funds, scholarship recipients will be required to show proof of registration in an approved credential or degree program.

Award: \$3,000

Deadline: Mid October

Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation, Inc.

Contact: Scholarship Committee, 1 Coca Cola Plaza, NW, Atlanta, GA 30313, 800-306-2653, <http://www.coca-colascholars.org>, scholars@na.ko.com

Eligibility: High school seniors demonstrating leadership and academic achievement. Must be a U.S. citizen or legal resident planning to attend an accredited university. Applicants must have a minimum G.P.A of 3.0. Applications can be requested via telephone or through website. Applicants whose parents or grandparents are employees of Coca-Cola or of a Coca-Cola bottling plant are ineligible.

Award: \$10,000- \$20,000

Deadline: October 31

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NOVEMBER DEADLINES

Target Stores (CSFA) All-Around Scholarship Program

Contact: Scholarship Coordinator, 800-537-4180 (ask for Target All-Around Scholarship Program Manager), InvestorRelations@target.com,

http://target.com/common/page.jhtml?content=target_cg_scholarship

Eligibility: High School senior and college students age 24 and younger. Scholarship recognizes volunteer work as well as academic achievement and looks for students who show true enlightenment that goes beyond what can be learned from textbooks.

Award: \$1,000

Deadline: November 1

Junior Summer Institute at the Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs, Princeton University

Contact: 609-258-4836, <http://www.wws.princeton.edu/jsi>, wwsjsi@princeton.edu

Eligibility: Open to students of color in their junior year of undergraduate study with a strong interest in public service and a career in domestic public policy or international affairs.

Award: Will fund entire cost of tuition, housing, meals, and transportation plus \$1,000 stipend

Deadline: November 1

The Women and Minority Engineering Program

Contact: University of California, Irvine, 111 Engineering & Computing Trailer, Irvine, CA 92967-2750, 949-824-5011, <http://www.uci.edu>, scholarships@uci.edu

Eligibility: Open to undergraduate minority and female students focusing in engineering.

Award: Contact for details according to program

Deadline: November 1

National Science Foundation Fellowship

Contact: National Science Foundation Fellowship Scholarship, 1818 N Street NW, Suite T-50, Washington, DC 20036-2479, 866-673-4737, Fax: 202-463-1401, <http://www.nsfgrfp.org/>, info@nsfgrfp.org

Eligibility: Students interested in obtaining a graduate degree in mathematical, physical, engineering, and social sciences. Must be a U.S. citizen.

Award: \$12,300, renewable

Deadline: November 1

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The Dow Jones Newspaper Fund

Contact: Linda Shockley, Deputy Director, P.O. Box 300, Princeton, NJ 08543-0300, 609-452-2820, Fax: 609-520-5804, <http://www.newspaperfund.org>, djnf@dowjones.com

Eligibility: Paid 10-week summer internships in multimedia editing, sports editing and news editing and graduate students at newspapers, news services and other media outlets. Also business reporting internships for college sophomores, juniors and seniors. Open to minority and non-minority students.

Award: \$1,000 scholarship, salary starting at \$350/week

Deadline: November 1

Supreme Court Fellows Program

Contact: Administrative Director, Supreme Court Fellows Program, Supreme Court of the United

States, One First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20543, 202-479-3415,

<http://www.fellows.supremecourt.us>, FellowsProgram@supremecourt.gov

Eligibility: At least one postgraduate degree, two or more years in professional experience with a record of high achievement, multi-disciplinary training, including familiarity with the judicial system.

Amount: \$98,000

Deadline: November 11

University of California, Irvine, Ford Predoctoral Fellowship

Contact: University of California, Office of the Campus wide Honors Program, 1200 Student Services II, Irvine, CA 92697-3180, 949-824-5461, Fax: 949-824-9096, <http://www.uci.edu>, infofell@nas.edu

Eligibility: Undergraduate minority students. Must be attending UC Irvine.

Award: Annual stipends of \$20,000 to recipients and grants of \$2,000 to the institution for tuition and fees.

Deadline: November 13

Intel Science Talent Search Scholarship

Contact: Society for Science & the Public, 1719 N Street, NW, Washington, D.C. 20036, <http://www.societyforscience.org>, sciedu@societyforscience.org, 202-785-2255

Eligibility: High school seniors. Submit a written report or an independent research report in science, mathematics or engineering. Please visit our website

<http://www.societyforscience.org>.

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Award: \$5,000-\$100,000

Deadline: Varies annually.

CSU Fresno Scholarship Fund

Contact: California State University, Fresno, 5150 N. Maple, Fresno CA 93740, 559-278-6572, <http://www.csufresno.edu/scholarships/>, scholarships@csufresno.edu

Eligibility: Applicants must have at least a 3.0 GPA and be full-time CSU Fresno students.

Award: \$100- \$2,200

Deadline: November 30

First Freedom Student Competition

Contact: First Freedom Center, Attn: Sandi Poulsen, 1321 E. Main Street, Richmond, VA 23219-3629, 804-643-1786, Fax: 804-644-5024, caff@firstfreedom.org, <http://www.firstfreedom.org>

Eligibility: High-school students (9th - 12th) in the United States and U.S. territories, and to American schools and American home-schooled students worldwide. Examine religious freedom, its history, current importance, and relevance in life.

Award: \$750- \$3,000

Deadline: End of November (Note: Exact date varies annually. Refer to www.firstfreedom.org for current competition's online registration deadline and postmark entry deadline for mailing of essay and accompanying materials.)

DECEMBER DEADLINES

Elie Wiesel Prize in Ethics Essay Contest

Contact: The Elie Wiesel Foundation for Humanity, 555 Madison Avenue, New York, NY, 10022, 212-490-7788, <http://www.eliewieselfoundation.org>, aheit@eliewieselfoundation.org

Eligibility: This prize is open to full-time juniors and seniors in college or university. Check the website above for the annual essay question.

Award: \$500-\$5,000

Deadline: December

National Society of Professional Engineers

Contact: Educational Foundation, 1420 King Street, Alexandria, VA 22314-2715, 703-684-2800, Fax: 703-836-4875, kgranados@nspe.org, <http://www.nspe.org>

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Eligibility: High school seniors in top 25% of their class studying engineering. Special scholarships for minorities and women. Scholarships are issued by state chapters; call the NSPE for state chapter contacts.

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

Deadline: December 1

USC Trustee Scholarship

Contact: Chris Tokuhama, Scholarship Department, University Park Campus, Los Angeles CA 90007, 213-821-1127 or 213-740-2311, tokuhama@usc.edu,

<http://www.usc.edu/scholarships.com>

Eligibility: Open to graduating high school seniors enrolled at USC.

Award: Full tuition

Deadline: December 1

Scions Scholarship

Contact: Danielle Harvey, harveyd@usc.edu, University of Southern California, Office of Admissions, University Park Campus, Los Angeles CA 90007, 213-740-1111,

<http://www.usc.edu>

Eligibility: Must be related to USC Alumnus. See website for details; incoming freshman in the top 10% of their class and transfer students who hold a 3.6 GPA.

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

Deadline: December 1

USC Associates Scholarship

Contact: Chris Tokuhama, Scholarship Department, University Park Campus, Los Angeles, CA

90007, 213-740-2311 or 213-821-1127, tokuhama@usc.edu

Eligibility: Open to entering USC freshman in all majors.

Award: \$7,500

Deadline: December 1

Town and Gown Scholarship

Contact: Danielle Harvey, Office of Admissions, University of Southern California, University Park Campus, Los Angeles CA 90007, 213-740-1111, harveyd@usc.edu, <http://www.usc.edu>

Eligibility: Open to all incoming USC freshmen and transfer students.

Award: Varies

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Deadline: December 1

Presidential Scholarship, University of Southern California

Contact: Chris Tokuhama, Scholarship Department, University Park Campus, Los Angeles, CA

90007, 213-740-2311 or 213-821-1127, tokuhama@usc.edu

Eligibility: Open to incoming USC students, graduating high school seniors with SAT I/ACT I scores in the top 3% nationally and transfer students with 45 units completed and 3.75 GPA.

Award: Half Tuition (approximately)

Deadline: December 1

National Merit Scholarship (USC), University of Southern California

Contact: Chris Tokuhama, Scholarship Department, University Park Campus, Los Angeles, CA

90007, 213-740-2311 or 213-821-1127, tokuhama@usc.edu, <http://www.usc.edu> or

<http://www.usc.edu/student-affairs/ntsaf/index.htm>

Eligibility: Open to National Merit, National Achievement, and/or National Hispanic Scholarship

Finalist. Must name USC as first choice with National Scholarship Corporation.

Award: Half Tuition (approximately \$13,000)

Deadline: December 1

International Freshman, Academic Scholarship

Contact: Chris Tokuhama, University of Southern California, Scholarship Department, University Park Campus, Los Angeles, CA 90017, 213-740-2311 or 213-821-1127,

tokuhama@usc.edu, <http://www.usc.edu>

Eligibility: This competitive scholarship is available to international USC freshmen only.

Recipients ranking top 10% in his/her class.

Award: Half tuition

Deadline: December 1

Deans' Scholarship

Contact: Chris Tokuhama, Scholarship Department, University of Southern California, University Park Campus, Los Angeles, CA 90007, 213-740-2311 or 213-821-1127,

tokuhama@usc.edu, <http://www.usc.edu>

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Eligibility: Very competitive. Open to incoming USC students. Freshmen selected for this award are usually among the top 5% of their high school graduating class. Transfer students should have at least a 3.6 GPA with 30 transferable units completed prior to the selection process.

Award: One-quarter tuition (\$6,500)

Deadline: December 1

Alumnae Scholarship Program, University of Southern California

Contact: Danielle Harvey, Office of Admission, University Park Campus, Los Angeles, CA 90007, 213-740-1111, <http://www.usc.edu>, harveyd@usc.edu

Eligibility: Open to domestic USC freshman and transfer students. Must have a minimum 3.8 GPA and 1270 SAT 1/29 ACT. Strong emphasis is placed on leadership and academic performance.

Award: varies

Deadline: December 1

Leaders and Achievers Scholarship Program

Contact: All nominations for the Leaders and Achievers Scholarship Program must be made exclusively by the Principal or Guidance Counselor. Principals and home-school instructors may email comcast@applyists.com to verify school eligibility status and request program materials. Launch and deadline dates are subject to change, check website in the fall for up to date information:

<http://www.comcast.com/corporate/about/inthecommunity/scholarships/leadersandachievers.html>

Eligibility: Full-time high school senior, demonstrate a strong commitment to community service and display leadership abilities in school activities or through work experience, and have a GPA 2.8 or higher

Award: \$1,000

Deadline: December 1

Graduate Opportunity, Fellowship Program

Contact: Gloria Dial, University of California, Los Angeles, Chicano Studies Research Center, 1252 Murphy Hall, Box 951419, Los Angeles, CA 90095, 310-825-3521, uclafellowship@gdnet.ucla.edu, <http://www.ucla.edu>

Eligibility: Open to graduate students currently attending UCLA. For more information please visit website.

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Award: \$12,500 (Including fees and non-resident tuition)

Deadline: December 15

Eugene Cota Robles Fellowship

Contact: Anna Guzman, University of California, Los Angeles, 1252 Murphy Hall, Box 951419, Los Angeles CA 90095-1419, 310-825-3521, <http://www.ucla.edu>, uclafellowship@gdnet.ucla.edu

Eligibility: Applicants must be accepted in a doctorate program at UCLA. Students must have maintained a 3.0 GPA. For more information please refer to the website.

Award: \$20,000 stipend

Deadline: December 15

University of Redlands Achievement Awards

Contact: University of Redlands, 1200 E. Colton Ave., Redlands, CA 92373, 909-748-8047, financial@redlands.edu, <http://www.redlands.edu>

Eligibility: Achievement Award given to students of high academic ability and leadership who plan on attending the University of Redlands.

Award: Up to \$16,500

Deadline: December 15

American Institute of Architects/American Architectural Foundation Minority Disadvantaged Scholarship Program

Contact: Catherine Roussel, Scholarship Programs 1735 New York Ave., N.W, Washington, D.C. 20006-5292, 202-626-7300, croussel@aia.org, <http://www.aia.org/education/AIAS075223>

Eligibility: The Minority/Disadvantaged Scholarship Program is for students entering or in their first year of a professional degree program accredited by the National Architectural Accrediting Board. Information about how to apply will be available later this year (2009).

Students are encouraged to visit <http://www.archcareers.org> for further details.

ARCHcareers.org is a joint effort between the AIA and the American Institute of Architecture Students (AIAS) to provide information and resources for people who are interested in entering the architecture field.

Award: \$500 - \$2,500

Deadline: December/January

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MULTIPLE DEADLINES

Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship

Contact: Institute of International Education, Gilman International Scholarship, 1800 West Loop South, Suite 250, Houston, TX 77027, 888-887-5939 ext. 25, FAX 713-621-0876, <http://www.iie.org>, gilman@iie.org

Eligibility: Students currently receiving a federal Pell Grant, applying to or accepted into a credit based study abroad program, especially encouraged to apply: students with high financial need, those interested in studying in non-traditional study abroad destinations, those attending community college, those from diverse ethnic backgrounds, and those with disabilities.

Award: amounts vary but average \$4,000

Deadline: [REDACTED]

Salvadoran-American Leadership & Educational Fund

Contact: Mayra Soriano, 1625 W. Olympic Blvd., Suite 706, Los Angeles, CA 90015, 213-480-1052, <http://www.salef.org>, info@salef.org

Eligibility: Applicants must be Salvadoran, Central American, or of other Latino background and live in Los Angeles (Specifically South Central Los Angeles, Pico Union, East Los Angeles). Students must have at least a 2.5 GPA and a history of community service and involvement. High school seniors, undergraduates, and graduate students may apply; AB540 community college students also eligible. Applicants must be willing to give back to the community by becoming a mentor to a high school student or completing the equivalent of 52 community service hours assigned by SALEF.

Award: \$500 - \$2,500

Deadline: January – July 15

Hispanic Association of Colleges and Universities (HACU) National Internship Program

Contact: Maria-Elena Vivas-House, One DuPont Circle, NW, Suite 430, Washington, DC 20036, 202-467-0893, Fax: 202-496-9177, <http://www.hnip.net>, hnip@hacu.net

Eligibility: Internships are open to undergraduate/graduate Hispanic students wishing to experience the scope of professional careers available in federal government, mostly in D.C. Must have a minimum 3.0 GPA and be a U.S. citizen or legal resident.

Award: Sophomores/Juniors \$450, Seniors \$480, Graduate \$550/week, travel expenses paid.

Deadline: February 27th for Summer, May 2nd for Spring, and December 12th for Fall

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California Congress of Parents and Teachers, Inc.

Contact: Larita Wade, 930 Georgia St., Los Angeles, CA 90015, 213-620-1100 ext.100, grants@capta.org

Eligibility: Students entering or attending a 4-year college in CA and majoring in an agricultural related field.

Award: \$5000 (maximum)

Deadline: March 15 and November 30

Congressional Youth Leadership Council

Contact: Dr. Marguerite Regan, Dean of Academic Affairs, Congressional Youth Leadership Council 1919 Gallows Road, Suite 700, Vienna, VA 22182, 703-584-9450, <http://www.cylc.org>, mregan@cylc.org

Eligibility: Applicant must be an undergraduate student and have a strong interest in education, public affairs and public policy. Duration: 4 months. Interns work part-time (20 hours) in spring and fall, 40 hours per week in the summer; scheduling is flexible.

Award: All interns are paid, stipend to be determined. Additionally, academic credit can be arranged with your school.

Deadline: March 30 (summer term), August 30 (fall term), and November 30 (winter-spring term).

HOPI Tribe Grants and Scholarship Program,

Contact: P.O. Box 123, Kykotsmovi, Arizona 86039, 800-762-9630 Ext.520, Fax: 520-734-2435, TLomakema@hopi.nsn.us or NYaiva@hopi.nsn.us

Eligibility: You must first apply for all Federal, State, and institutional financial aid as Hopi Tribal funds are provided as a secondary source of funding. Based on financial need, 2.5 GPA, enrolled in HOPI tribe.

Award: \$1,000 - \$7,000

Deadline: July 1 - Spring, December 1 - Winter.

Overseas Spouse Education Assistance Program (OSEAP)

Contact: HQ Army Emergency Relief, Scholarship Department, 200 Stovall Street, Alexandria, VA 22332-0600, 866-878-6378, www.aerhq.org.

Eligibility: Applicant must be a spouse of an active duty Soldier assigned to an Overseas Command. Applicant must physically reside with the Soldier at the assigned location.

Assistance is for part time or full time, first undergraduate studies only. The OSEAP Scholarships are awarded up to half the cost of tuition per term based on financial need, as

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evidenced by income, assets, family size, special financial obligations and circumstances.

Applications are now available at www.aerhq.org.

Award: \$500 per term for 5 terms, totaling \$2,500

Deadline: July 20, 2009 for Term 1; September 21, 2009 for Term 2; December 14, 2009 for Term 3; February 15, 2010 for Term 4; April 26, 2010 for Term 5.

ADA Endowment and Assistance Fund

Contact: American Dental Association, 211 E. Chicago Ave. Chicago, IL 6061, 312-440-2500,

Fax: 312-440-2800, <http://www.ada.org>, famularor@ada.org

Eligibility: American Indian, Mexican American, African American, or Puerto Rican applicants accepted to a dental school in the U.S. Must be a United States citizen and beginning the first year of dental school.

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

Deadline: July 31 – September 15

Hispanic College Fund

Contact: Auri Duarte, Hispanic College Fund, Inc., 1301 K Street NW Suite 450A West

Washington D.C. 20005, 800-644-4223, www.hispanicfund.org, aduarte@hispanicfund.org

Eligibility: Accepted or enrolled as a full-time undergraduate or graduate student at an accredited institution of higher education with a declared major/concentration in business, in good academic standing, 3.0 GPA, have financial need, U.S. citizenship, must be Hispanic or of Hispanic heritage.

Award: \$500-\$10,000

Deadline: Mid November- Mid March

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Internship with the Office of the Mayor of Los Angeles

Contact: Syldy Tom, ALLIANCE RESOURCE CONSULTING, LLC., One World Trade Center, Suite 1155, Long Beach, CA 90831, 562-901-0769 ext. 334, FAX 562-901-3082, info@allianceresourceconsulting.com, <http://www.allianceresourceconsulting.com/intern/>

Eligibility: Recent high school graduates entering a two or four year college or vocational school, undergraduates, graduate students, and recent graduates of institutions of higher learning. Strong written and oral communication skills, a record of academic achievement, a demonstrated commitment to public service, and an ability to work in a fast-paced environment. Great interpersonal skills and an understanding of the importance of maintaining a high level of ethics and integrity in the work environment. Minimum G.P.A. of 3.0.

Award: unpaid internship

Deadline: End of March for summer; August for Fall, contact for exact deadline

NO DEADLINE GIVEN – please research individually

Panetta Institute for Public Policy Congressional Internship Program

Contact: The Panetta Institute, 100 Campus Center, Building 86E, California State University, Monterey Bay, Seaside, California 93955, 831-582-4200, Fax 831-582-4082,

http://www.panettainstitute.org/study_with_us/internship.htm, info@PanettaInstitute.org,

Eligibility: Open students attending any of the California State University campuses, Santa Clara University, or Dominican University of California. Students encouraged to contact their President's office for application and eligibility requirements.

Award: The Institute covers 13-week program costs including CSU Monterey Bay campus services during orientation, air travel and housing in Washington. Interns earn up to 20 semester credits.

Each intern also receives a stipend to help cover other expenses.

Deadline: Contact for exact deadline.

UCLA Dream Fund

Contact: Carol Lee, Program Officer for Donor Advised & Restricted Funds, Liberty Hill Foundation, 2121 Cloverfield Blvd., Suite 113, Santa Monica, CA 90404, 310-453-3611 ext. 130,

<http://www.libertyhill.org>, clee@libertyhill.org

Eligibility: AB540 student pursuing undergraduate or graduate degree at UCLA, must be involved in educational or outreach activities in support of immigrant rights and social justice.

Award: \$500

Deadline: Contact for details

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Hispanic Heritage Youth Awards

Contact: <http://www.hispanicheritage.org>

Eligibility: Graduating high school seniors of Hispanic Heritage planning to enroll in college in the fall, minimum 3.0 GPA, and willing to travel to the awards ceremony in your selected region (Chicago; New York; Los Angeles; Washington, D.C; Phoenix; Dallas; San Antonio; San Diego; Northern California; Miami; Houston; Philadelphia.

Award: Up to \$8,000, a laptop computer, and all expenses trip to the 2010 National Youth Award Ceremony

Deadline: TBD

U.S. Department of Education, Upward Bound Program

Contact: Gabie Watts for CA programs or your high school counselor for programs in your area, 1990 Kay St., N. West 7000, Washington, D.C., ope_trio@ed.gov, 202-502-7600

Eligibility: High school students who would be first generation college students and/or from low income families.

Award: Contact for details

Deadline: Contact for details (Nov/Dec)

Scholastic Art & Writing Awards

Contact: The Scholastic Art and Writing Awards, c/o Alliance for Young Artists and Writers, 557 Broadway, New York, NY 10012,

<http://www.scholastic.com/artandwriting/awards/index.htm>,
generalinfo@scholastic.com

Eligibility: Open to students in grades 7-12 enrolled in a public school in the United States.

Awards are available in 10 writing categories and 16 art categories.

Award: More than 1 million in prize money and scholarships.

Deadline: Contact for details

Lambda Theta Nu Sorority, Inc. Latina Scholarship Award

Contact: La Mesa Directiva, Lambda Theta Nu Sorority, Inc., 1220 Rosecrans 543, San Diego, CA 92106 chair@lambdathetanu.org <http://www.lambdathetanu.org>

Eligibility: Latina pursuing her education at an accredited college or university. No specific major is required. All California chapters award money each year. Contact the chapter closest to you for further info.

Award: \$200- \$1,000 Multiple scholarships awarded yearly.

Deadline: Contact for details.

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HSF College Scholarship Program

Contact: Hispanic Scholarship Fund, 55 Second Street, Suite 1500, San Francisco, CA 94105, 415-808-2365, Fax: 415-808-2304, <http://www.HSF.net> or <http://www.gmsp.org>, scholar1@hsf.net

Eligibility: Be a U.S. citizen or legal permanent resident, have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0, be a full-time student, apply for financial aid using the FAFSA (no need requirement for eligibility).

Award: Varies

Deadline: Varies, applications available online September 1 - December 15

SRP/NGS Navajo Scholarship

Contact: Linda Dawavendewa, SRP/NGS Navajo Scholarship Program, PO Box 850, Page, AZ 86040, 928-645-6539, Linda.Dawavendewa@srpnet.com, <http://www.srpnet.com/education/grants/navajo.aspx>

Eligibility: Member of Navajo Tribe, 3.0 GPA, Upper Division students.

Award: Contact for details

Deadline: Contact for details

Los Angeles Junior Chamber of Commerce Award

Contact: Nancy Takata, 201 South Figueroa Street, Suite 300, Los Angeles, CA 90012, 213-989-2159, <http://www.lajcc.org>, ntakata@lajcc.org

Eligibility: The L.A. Junior Chamber of Commerce is awarding students that have made either contributions to their community and/or school through volunteer efforts and/or positions of leadership. Participation in a competitive activity in a sport or art is also required. Please see the website above for the application procedures.

Award: Varies

Deadline: Varies, consult website.

TELACU Scholarship Program

Contact: Daniel Garcia TELACU, 5400 East Olympic Blvd. Ste 300, (323) 721-1655 extension 486, www.TELACU.com

Eligibility: Applicants must be first-generation college students, from a low-income family, have a minimum GPA of 2.5, attend one of our partnering colleges and universities (please visit website for a list of eligible schools), and enrolled full-time for the entire academic year. California applicants must be permanent residents of unincorporated East Los Angeles, Bell Gardens, Commerce, Huntington Park, City of Los Angeles, or other communities selected by

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the TELACU Education Foundation for inclusion in the Scholarship Program.

Award: Varies

Deadline: January-March

Regional Council of the Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG)

Contact: Ma' Ayn Johnson, 213-236-1975, send submission for "Around Whittier" to news.wdn@sgvn.com

Eligibility: High school juniors or seniors or community college students with 3.0 GPA, students interested in urban planning, public policy and/or public service.

Award: \$2,000

Deadline: Contact for details

Academic-Year Ambassadorial Scholarship - Ambassadors of Goodwill

Contact: Apply through local Rotary Club

<http://www.rotary.org/en/StudentsAndYouth/EducationalPrograms/AmbassadorialScholarships/Pages/About.aspx>

Eligibility: Must have completed at least 2 years of university or college work, or must have a secondary school education and have been employed in a recognized vocation for at least 2 years when scholarship begins. Must be citizen of country in which there is a Rotary club. Scholars are encouraged to support program objectives by choosing a study field that will help address the humanitarian needs of the world community, such as health care, children at risk, concern for the aging, literacy and numeracy, population issues, urban concerns, disabled persons, international understanding and goodwill, poverty and hunger, PolioPlus, or environmental awareness. Studies related to Rotary International's Menu of Service Opportunities are also encouraged.

Award: \$25,000 to defray costs of full-time study at international institution assigned by The Rotary Foundation Trustees.

Deadline: Contact local chapter for details

Arts Internship Program

Contact: Los Angeles County Arts Commission,

<http://www.lacountyarts.org/internship.html>

Eligibility: Undergraduates and graduating seniors may apply. Students must have completed atleast one semester of college, and be currently enrolled (full-time) in a community college or a four year university. Graduating seniors are eligible only if they are to complete their undergraduate degree. Students must either reside in Los Angeles

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County or attend school in Los Angeles County.

Award: \$350/week

Deadline: Contact for Fall deadline

Ronald McDonald House Charities of Southern California College Scholarships

Contact: Ronald McDonald House 765 South Pasadena Ave., Pasadena, CA 91105, 626-744-9449, mcdonalds@porternovelli.com, <http://www.rmhcsc.org/scholarships.php>

Eligibility: various scholarships offered each with individual requirements, in general high school senior must reside and attend school in Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, or Ventura counties, demonstrate academic excellence, leadership skills, and commitment to the community.

Award: \$2,000

Deadline: contact for details.

My Turn Essay Contest

Contact: Online Application website; www.kaptest.com/essay

Eligibility: US Citizen, High School Seniors, 3.0 GPA and must write a 500 – 1,000 word Essay

Award: \$10,000

Deadline: contact for details.

Holocaust Remembrance Project Scholarship

Contact: Holland & Knight Charitable Foundation, Inc., P.O. Box 2877, Tampa, FL 33601-2877, 866-HK-CARES, <http://holocaust.hklaw.com>, holocaust@hklaw.com

Eligibility: Essay contest open to all high school students under 20 years old.

Award: Up to \$5,000

Deadline: contact for details.

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SUGGESTED WEBSITES

U.S. Department of Education
<http://www.ed.gov/finaid>
College is Possible

<http://www.collegeispossible.org/>
Fastweb

<http://www.fastweb.com/>
Financial Aid

<http://www.finaid.org/>
Free Scholarship Search & Information
Service

<http://www.freschinfo.com/>
Scholarship Resource Network Express

<http://www.srnexpress.com/>
Hispanic Association of Colleges and
Universities

<http://www.hacu.net/hacu/Scholarship>
Minority Scholarship Resource Links

www.uwsp.edu/
Hispanic Heritage Foundation
<http://hispanicheritageawards.org/>

Hispanic College Fund
<http://www.hispanicfund.org/>

Latino College Dollars
[http://www.latinocollegedollars.org/direc](http://www.latinocollegedollars.org/directory.htm)
tory.htm

Public Service Careers

<http://publicservicecareers.org>
Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs

<http://exchanges.state.gov/>

SUGGESTED BOOKS FOR RESEARCH

College Board Scholarship Handbook
By: The College Board

Scholarship Book
By: Daniel J. Cassidy

Scholarships, Grants & Prizes,
By: Peterson's

Hispanic Scholarship Directory
By: WPR Publishing

Cash for Grad School
By: Phillip C. McKee and Cynthia Ruiz
McKee

Dan Cassidy's Worldwide Graduate
Scholarship Directory (4th Ed)
By: Daniel J. Cassidy

How to go to College Almost for Free
By: Ben Kaplan

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Money –Winning Scholarship Essay and Interviews

By: Gen S. Tanabe and Kelly Y. Tanabe

Peterson's Grants for Graduate & Post Doctoral Study (5th Edition)

By: Peterson's

Scholarship Scouting Report

By: Ben Kaplan