

SCHOLARSHIP RESOURCES

Alpha Kappa Alpha Financial Assistance Scholarships

<http://gehon.ir.miami.edu/financial-assistance/Scholarship/black.html>

Undergraduate or graduate students who have completed at least one year in an accredited degree granting institution or a work-in-progress program in a non-institutional setting, are planning to continue their program of education and can demonstrate financial need. Scholarship is non-renewable. Award is up to \$1500 a year. Deadline: Feb. 1.

Alpha Kappa Alpha
Attn: Educational Advancement
Foundation
5656 South Stony Island Ave.

Chicago, IL 60637
(312) 947-0026
Fax: (312) 947-0277

Alpha Kappa Alpha Merit Scholarship

<http://gehon.ir.miami.edu/financial-assistance/Scholarship/black.html>

Undergraduate or graduate students who have completed at least one year in an accredited degree granting institution or a work-in-progress program in a non-institutional setting, are planning to continue their program of education and can demonstrate exceptional academic achievement as well as financial need. Five possible awards of \$1000 each. Deadline: March 1.

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AAA Minority Dissertation Fellowship Program

The **American Anthropological Association** invites minority doctoral candidates in anthropology to apply for a **full-year dissertation fellowship of \$10,000**. This program is designed to demonstrate the Association's support for promising minority graduate students in anthropology and to demonstrate its commitment to the long-range goal of increasing diversity in the discipline.

For more information, please see

<http://www.aaanet.org/committees/minority/minordis.htm>

American Association of University Women (AAUW)-American Fellowships

The AAUW's American Fellowships support women doctoral candidates completing dissertations or scholars seeking funds for postdoctoral research leave from accredited institutions. Applicants must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents. Candidates are

evaluated on the basis of scholarly excellence, teaching experience, and active commitment to helping women and girls through service in their communities, professions, or fields of research. The Postdoctoral Research Leave Fellowship is for \$30,000, the Dissertation Fellowship is for \$20,000 and the Summer/Short-Term Research Publication Grant if for \$6,000.

Contact:

AAUW Educational Foundation
Dept. 60
2201 North Dodge Street

Iowa City, IA 52243-4030
Tel: (319) 337-1716
Web site: www.aauw.org

American Psychological Association (APA)-Minority Fellowship Program

The APA Minority Fellowship Program's objective is to increase the awareness of issues related to ethnic minority mental health and to improve the quality of mental health treatment delivered to ethnic minority populations. The program provides financial support and professional guidance to individuals pursuing doctoral degrees in psychology. The program has five programs to support the training of researchers and practitioners.

Contact:

APA Minority Fellowship Program
750 First Street, NE
Washington, DC 20002
Tel: (202) 336-6127

Fax: (202) 336-6012
E-mail: mfp@apa.org
Web site: www.apa.org/mfp

American Sociological Association (ASA)-Minority Fellowship Program

Through its Minority Fellowship Program (MFP), the American Sociological Association (ASA) supports the development and training of minority sociologists in mental health. Funded by a grant from the National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH), the Fellowship Program seeks to attract talented minority students interested in mental health issues and to facilitate their placement, work, and success in graduate programs throughout the U.S. Applicants can be new or continuing graduate students. However, the MFP is primarily designed for minority students entering a doctoral program in sociology (with an emphasis on mental health) for the first time or for those who are in the early stages of their graduate programs. Fellows receive an annual stipend of \$16,500, plus payment of their tuition. Funding may be extended for up to three years. In addition, the program provides professional development training for the fellows in conjunction with the ASA's Annual Meeting. Summer research internships are used to place Fellows in projects at sites with major, ongoing studies in mental health.

Contact:

ASA Minority Fellowship Program
1307 New York Avenue, NW, Suite 700
Washington, DC 20005-4701

Tel: (202) 383-9005
Fax: (202) 638-0882
E-mail: minority.affairs@asanet.org

Web site:

www.asanet.org/student/mfp.html

Aspen Institute-William Randolph Hearst Endowed Scholarship for Minority Students

The Nonprofit Sector Research Fund, a grant-making program of the Aspen Institute in Washington, DC, annually offers the William Randolph Hearst Endowed Scholarship. Through this program, the Fund seeks to introduce a diverse group of students to issues relating to philanthropy, voluntarism, and nonprofit organizations. The scholarship, which is based on academic excellence and need, is open to both undergraduate and graduate minority students. In addition, the Hearst Scholar serves as a summer intern with the Fund. A scholarship grant ranging from \$2,500 to \$5,000 will be awarded, depending on the recipient's educational level, financial need, and time commitment.

Contact:

Ms. Jill Blackford
Program Coordinator
The Aspen Institute
One Dupont Circle, Suite 700
Washington, DC 20036

Tel: (202) 736-5800
Fax: (202) 293-0525
E-mail: nsrf@aspeninstitute.org
Web site: www.nonprofitresearch.org

China Times Cultural Foundation

http://www.house.gov/roybal-allard/asianam_scholarships.htm

Undergraduate and graduate students of Chinese ancestry. Award: \$4000

James N Tu
43-27 36th St
Long Island City, NY 11101
(718) 392-0995

Eastern Europe Peoples Foundation Scholarship Information

Established in 2000, the Eastern Europe Peoples Foundation provides financial grants for partial tuition, books, and room & board to undergraduate students who are pursuing higher education or advanced training through an accredited college, university, vocation, or technical school. Partial scholarships are awarded to students meeting the eligibility requirements of the Foundation. A Board of Directors is responsible for reviewing applications and determining grant recipients on an annual basis. Scholarships are renewable based upon eligibility, and the amount of the grant may vary from year to year based upon the amount of funds available and the number of grants awarded.

For more information, see <http://www.eepfi.org/scholarinfo.html>

Fellowships for Native American Students

Indian Fellowship Program

Eligibility: American Indian students who are enrolled full time at an accredited institution as an undergraduate or graduate student.

Award: varies; renewable for up to four years
Deadline: January or February; application available in December.

www.house.gov/roybal-allard/scholarship.htm#fell_nativeam

400 Maryland Avenue , SW
Room 2177, Mil Stop 6267
Washington, DC 20202

Ford Foundation Fellowships for Minorities

The Ford Foundation offers pre-doctoral, dissertation, and post-doctoral fellowships in the form of monetary awards. To be eligible, candidates must be Mexican-American, Native American Indian, Alaskan Native, Native Pacific Islander, African-American, or Puerto Rican. Fellowships are awarded in a nationwide competition to individuals who demonstrate superior scholarship and show the greatest promise for future achievement as scholars, researchers, and teachers in institutions of higher education.

Contact:

Ford Foundation Fellowships for
Minorities
National Research Council
500 5th Street, NW
Washington, DC 20001
Tel: (202) 334-2872

Fax: (202) 334-3419
E-mail: infofell@nas.edu
Web site: <http://national-academies.org/fellowships>

Ford Foundation Postdoctoral Fellowships for Minorities

Must be US citizen. Fields of study include behavioral sciences, social studies, the humanities, engineering, mathematics, physical sciences, biological sciences, and interdisciplinary programs.

Up to \$30,000 for tuition, \$3000 for travel, \$2000 for research. Deadline: Jan 4.

The National Research Council
The Fellowship Office
2101 Constitution Avenue

Washington, DC 20418
(202) 334-2860 Email: infofell@nas.edu

Ford Foundation Pre-doctoral and Dissertation Fellowships for Minorities

Must be a US citizen. Fields of study include behavioral sciences, social studies, humanities, engineering, mathematics, physical sciences, biological sciences, and interdisciplinary programs. Award up to \$14000. Deadline: Nov. 14.

The National Research Council
The Fellowship Office
2101 Constitution Avenue
Washington, DC 20418
(202) 334-2872

The Gates Millennium Scholars Program

Administered by the United Negro College Fund, provides scholarships and fellowships for outstanding low-income African-American, Native American, Hispanic American, and Asian American students to attend the undergraduate and graduate institutions of their choice. Application is available at www.gmsp.org or call 877 690-GMSP.

Hallie Q. Brown Scholarship Fund

Open to all minority students who demonstrate financial need and are recommended by a member of the National Association of Colored Women's Clubs.

NACWC

http://www.free-4u.com/hallie_q__brown_scholarship.htm

Scholarship Committee

5808 Sixteenth Street, NW

Washington, DC 20011

Henry & Chiyo Kuwahara Memorial Scholarships

Eligibility: Undergraduate or graduate students of Japanese American descent who are CA residents.

Award: \$5000

Deadline: February

1765 Sutter Street

San Francisco, CA 94115

(415) 921-5225

Contact: Jackie Kuwada

Hispanic Scholarship Fund

The College Scholarship Program is available on a competitive basis to graduate students of Hispanic heritage. Award amounts generally range from \$1,000 to \$3,000. Deadline October 15th. For more info, see

www.hsf.net/scholarship/graduates.php?display=grad

La Unidad Latina Foundation

Educational scholarships are awarded to students on a competitive basis. Students must be of Hispanic background, must have completed at least one semester of higher education and must be enrolled in a bachelor's or master's program at an accredited undergraduate four-year college or graduate program. Academic excellence, extracurricular activities, and financial need are strongly considered. Scholarships range from \$250 to \$1000.

Application deadlines are the 15th of February and October. Applications are only accepted within 45 days prior to the deadline. Applications must be received by the deadline. For more information, including application, please visit:
<http://foundation.launidadlatina.org/scholarships/>

Lesbian Leadership Scholarship Program

Legacy awards Lesbian Leadership Scholarships to outstanding undergraduate and graduate lesbian students at accredited colleges or universities in the United States. To qualify, all applicants must: Be planning to become a full-time student at an accredited college or university in the United States, have a minimum 3.0 grade point average on their transcripts; demonstrate a commitment or contribution to the lesbian community; demonstrate financial need; and follow Legacy's Lesbian Leadership Scholarship guidelines. Consideration will include: academic performance/honors, personal/financial hardship and, especially, service to the LGBT community. The scholarship funds are paid directly to the educational facility for tuition and not to the individual for other expenses. For more information, please see www.uncommonlegacy.org/grants/scholarships.htm

The Paul & Daisy Soros Fellowships for New Americans

The purpose of The Paul & Daisy Soros Fellowships for New Americans is to provide opportunities for continuing generations of able and accomplished New Americans to achieve leadership in their chosen fields. The Program is established in recognition of the contributions New Americans have made to American life and in gratitude for the opportunities the United States has afforded the donors and their family.

The applicant must either have a bachelor's degree or be in her/his final year of undergraduate study. Those who have a bachelor's degree may already be pursuing graduate study and may receive Fellowship support to continue that study. Individuals who are in the third, or subsequent, year of study in the same graduate program are not, however, eligible for this competition. Students who have received a master's degree in a program and are continuing for a doctoral degree in the same program are considered to have been in the same program from the time they began their work on their master's degree. To be eligible you must not be older than thirty years of age as of **NOVEMBER 1, 2004**. For more information, please see: <http://www.pdsoros.org/requirements.html>

The Point Foundation

The point information invests more than \$1 million in outstanding lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender undergraduate and graduate students A Point Scholarship covers tuition, books, supplies, room and board, transportation and living expenses, and is set up with the individual college to meet the needs of the Point Scholar.

Award: \$5,000 to \$28,000 per year.

Deadline: March 1st (notification is May 1st)

For more information please see <http://www.thepointfoundation.org/> : or contact info@thepointfoundation.org

Sumimoto Bank of California Scholarship

Eligibility: CA residents of Japanese American descent who are graduating high school seniors, undergraduate students or graduate students. Preference is given to students interested in the fields of banking, accounting, economics, and international trade.

Award: \$1000

Deadline: February

Japanese American Citizen's League

1765 Sutter Street

San Francisco, CA 94115

(415) 921-5225

Contact: Jackie Kuwada

Third Wave Foundation Scholarship Program**Scholarships Program for Young Women & Transgender Activists**

Third Wave Foundation Scholarship Program is available to all full-time or part-time young women and transgender activists age 30 and under who are enrolled in, or have been accepted to, an accredited university, college, vocational/technical school or community college. The primary criteria to qualify for a Third Wave scholarship is vigorous engagement in activist work and financial need. The Scholarship Committee prioritizes applicants who have limited access to financial resources and whose civic, community, or cultural work shows a commitment to social justice. Students applying for grants should also be involved as activists, artists, or cultural workers working on issues such as racism, homophobia, sexism, or other forms of inequality. The amount of each scholarship is decided after careful review of the student's financial aid report. The number of scholarships awarded depends on the amount of each award. Scholarships range in amount from \$500 and \$5,000 each. Our deadlines are April 1 and October 1. For more info, please see

<http://www.thirdwavefoundation.org/programs/scholarships.html>