



# MALDEF

The Latino Legal Voice for Civil Rights in America.

## Scholarship List 2011-2012

This is an informative resource guide for students, parents, and educators. MALDEF is not a direct provider of the scholarships on this list, with the exception of the MALDEF Law School Scholarship Program. If you are interested in any of the other scholarships listed here, please contact the organization directly using the information provided. Thank you.

*Esta lista es una fuente informativa para estudiantes, padres, maestros y consejeros. MALDEF no es un proveedor directo de las becas en esta lista; con excepción del Programa de Becas de MALDEF para la Escuela de Leyes. Si usted está interesado en alguna de las otras becas que están nombradas, por favor comuníquese directamente con la organización usando la información que proveímos. Gracias.*

This is an extensive list of scholarships that may not inquire about immigration status or require a valid social security number to redeem the award. It is suggested that you look through the scholarship list and select scholarships that are applicable to you. As a general rule, if an application asks for your social security number and you do not have one yet, leave that space blank but fill out and turn in the complete application. Lying about your legal status or providing a false social security number is a federal offense.

- *You should directly contact the organization that offers those specific scholarships and ask if you meet the criteria to receive the scholarship.*

We suggest that you review other scholarship lists for other possible scholarship opportunities, as listed at the end of this document. Also, inquire with your guidance counselor at school to learn about scholarship opportunities in your local area. Current college students are familiar with scholarships and can serve as a valuable resource.

DO NOT pay any organization, company, or individual to apply for scholarships, for scholarship search assistance, or for access to scholarship lists. Legitimate scholarship programs NEVER ask for an application fee. Beware of scholarship scams.

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Esta es una lista extensiva de becas que tal vez no pregunten sobre su status migratorio o requieran un número de seguro social válido para redimir la beca. Les sugerimos que busque entre la lista y seleccione las becas que son aplicables a usted. En general, si llenas una aplicación que pide tu número de seguro social y aún no tienes uno, entonces deja ese espacio en blanco, pero llena la aplicación y entrégala. Mentir sobre tu estatus migratorio o proveer un seguro falso es un crimen federal.

- *Usted debe de contactar la organización que esta ofreciendo esas becas y pregunte si usted califica para recibir esa beca.*

Sugerimos que revise otros directorios de becas para informarse sobre otras becas disponibles, tales como las que están al fin de este documento. También, consulte con su consejero en la escuela para aprender sobre oportunidades de becas en su área local. Los estudiantes universitarios actuales están familiarizados con las becas y pueden servir como un recurso valioso.

NO pague a ninguna organización, compañía, o persona para aplicar a becas o para recibir listas de becas. Las becas legítimas NUNCA cobran una tarifa. Tenga cuidado con estafas de becas.

## **Casa 2 Scholarship**

Lambda Theta Alpha Latin Sorority, Inc

[www.ltacasa2.webs.com](http://www.ltacasa2.webs.com)

Award Amount: (3) \$500 scholarships

Deadline: February 3, 2012

Requirements:

- Be an undocumented student in California.
- Must be a high school senior or continuing undergraduate student.

To download a scholarship application and instructions, visit the organizations website.

## **California Association of Collectors, Inc. Educational Scholarship Foundation**

CAC Educational Scholarship Foundation

1455 Response Road, Suite 240

Sacramento, CA 95815

[www.cacesf.org](http://www.cacesf.org)

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

Deadline: January 16, 2012

Requirements:

- Completed scholarship application and essay on: "Importance of establishing and maintaining good financial credit during your college years."

## **Que Llueva Café Scholarship**

Chicano Organizing & Research in Education (CORE)

Attn: Fourth Annual Que Llueva Café Scholarship

PO Box 160144

Sacramento, CA 95816

[www.ca-core.org](http://www.ca-core.org)

Award Amount: \$500

Deadline: February 24, 2012

Requirements:

- Must be of Latino descent and undocumented.
- Must be enrolling college for the first time in an accredited college or university in the US for the 2012-2013 academic year and demonstrate financial need.
- Must demonstrate academic potential and promise.

## **Microsoft Minority Scholarship**

Microsoft Scholarship Program

Microsoft Corporation

One Microsoft Way

Redmond, WA 98052-8303

<http://careers.microsoft.com/careers/en/us/internships-scholarships.aspx#urscholarship-2>

Award Amount: Full or partial scholarships

Deadline: January 16, 2012

Requirements:

- Must be completing an undergraduate degree in computer science, computer engineering, or a related technical discipline, such as electrical engineering, math, or physics and demonstrate a strong interest in computer science.
- All applicants are considered, regardless of permanent legal status.

For more information on how to apply, visit the scholarship program website.

## **Princeton Prize in Race Relations**

Alumni Association of Princeton University

PO Box 291

Princeton, NJ 08542-0291

[www.princeton.edu/princetonprize](http://www.princeton.edu/princetonprize)

Award Amount: \$1,000

Deadline: January 31, 2012

Requirements:

- Candidate must be in 9-12 grade.
- Applicant should complete a two-part application, Part II is to be completed by candidate supporter.
- Student must have created harmony and understanding among people of different races, thereby having a positive effect on race relations in their schools or communities.

## **Banatao Family Filipino American Education Fund College Scholarship**

Asian Pacific Fund

225 Bush Street, Suite 590

San Francisco, CA 94104

(415) 433-6859

[www.asianpacificfund.org](http://www.asianpacificfund.org)

Award Amount: \$5,000

Deadline: March 2012

Requirements:

- Must be of Filipino heritage.
- Student must be planning to pursue a career in engineering or science (non-health).

## **A.R.E. Scholarship**

The Association of Raza Educators

PO Box 226768

Los Angeles, CA 90022

[www.razaeducators.org](http://www.razaeducators.org)

Award Amount: \$1,000

Deadline: March 2012

Requirements:

- No minimum GPA required, but will be taken into account.
- Undocumented students are encouraged to apply.

## **The Fountainhead Essay Contest**

The Fountainhead Essay Contest

The Ayn Rand Institute

2121 Alton Parkway, Suite 250

Irvine, CA 92606

[www.aynrandnovels.com/essay-contests/](http://www.aynrandnovels.com/essay-contests/)

Award: \$50-\$10,000

Deadline: April 26, 2012

Requirements:

- Please visit the website for more information.
- Undocumented students are encouraged to apply.

# AB 130 California Scholarships

(This page only.)

## **UC Berkeley Undergraduate Dream Act Scholarship,**

Award: Up to \$8,000

Deadline: Varies

Requirements:

- Must be a current UC Berkeley undergraduate or 2012 Spring semester admitted student.
- The deadline for 2012 Spring semester admits is March 2, 2012.

To be eligible for the Berkeley Undergraduate Dream Act Scholarship you must:

- Maintain a 3.0 grade point average (GPA)
- Qualify for an AB 540 nonresident tuition exemption
- Be ineligible for federal financial aid

To learn more about this AB 130 scholarship, please visit the following website:

[www.students.berkeley.edu/finaid/undergraduates/types\\_dream.htm](http://www.students.berkeley.edu/finaid/undergraduates/types_dream.htm)

## **UCLA Academic Advancement Program AB 130 Scholarship**

For additional information and/or assistance in completing the application, please send an email to [ab130scholarship@gmail.com](mailto:ab130scholarship@gmail.com) with QUESTION in the subject line.

Deadline: Varies

Requirement:

- Must be a continuing undergraduate student at UCLA.
- Must have completed 45 units at UCLA with a minimum 2.75 GPA.
- Must have demonstrated active involvement and participation on social justice issues in the community and/or with a UCLA student organization.
- Must be an AB 540 student at UCLA, who is a non U.S. Citizen, non U.S. Permanent Resident and must not hold a valid or Out of Status United States Visa.

To learn more about this AB 130 scholarship, please visit the following website:

[www.ugeducation.ucla.edu/aap/resources/AB130%20SCHOLARSHIP%20APP%20REVISED%20FINAL.pdf](http://www.ugeducation.ucla.edu/aap/resources/AB130%20SCHOLARSHIP%20APP%20REVISED%20FINAL.pdf)

As a result of Assembly Bill 130 being a new law, California public colleges and universities will be introducing their own Dream Act Scholarships on a rolling basis. To find out if your college or university will soon have such an opportunity available to undocumented students, inquire within your campus' scholarship and/or financial aid office. AB 130 scholarships will be privately funded, so program availability may be limited and highly competitive.

Be sure to continue to advocate for these scholarships resources at your college or university. Let campus administrators know that the undocumented students on campus have a dire need for financial support.

## **Humane Education Network: A Voice for Animals**

[www.hennet.org/contest](http://www.hennet.org/contest)

Award: \$250 - \$1,000

Deadline: March 2012

Requirements:

- For more information on scholarship program requirements, please visit the website.

Program is open to all students, regardless of permanent legal status.

## **SALEF Fulfilling Our Dreams Scholarship Fund**

Salvadoran American Leadership and Education Fund

1625 W Olympic Blvd., Suite 718

Los Angeles, CA 90015

[www.salef.org](http://www.salef.org)

Award: \$1,500

Deadline: June 2012

Requirements:

- Must be of Central American or other Latino descent
- Demonstrate financial need and history of community service.

Note: Priority given to applicants from the Los Angeles area.

## **CHIRLA – The Future of California Scholarship**

Coalition for Humane Immigrant Rights of Los Angeles

2533 W. Third Street, Suite 100

Los Angeles, CA 91744

Award: (4) \$500

Deadline: June 2012

Requirements:

- Must demonstrate participation and/or activism on immigrant rights issues and/or progressive social justice causes at school or in the community.
- Student must come from an immigrant family and demonstrate financial need.

## **TELACU Education Foundation**

5400 E. Olympic Blvd, Suite 300

Los Angeles, CA 90022

[www.telacu.com](http://www.telacu.com)

Award: \$500-\$2,500

Deadline: March 2012

Requirements:

- Student must be low-income and first generation college student.
- Scholarship program is open to students in California, Illinois, New York, and Texas.

Please see website for regional requirements.

## **LULAC National Scholarship Fund**

LULAC National Headquarters

2000 L Street, NW, Suite 610

Washington, DC 20036

[www.lnesc.org](http://www.lnesc.org)

Award: \$250 - \$5,000

Deadline: March 31, 2012

Requirements:

- Must be a U.S. citizen or legal resident.

Eligible students can apply to three different scholarship programs.

## **Hispanic Association of Colleges and Universities**

HACU

8415 Datapoint Dr., Suite 400

San Antonio, TX 78229

[www.hacu.net/scholarships](http://www.hacu.net/scholarships)

Award: \$1,000

Deadline: Applications available in Spring 2012

Requirements:

- Full-time undergraduate or graduate students of any major in the U.S.
- Applicants must possess a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.2 and must be enrolled at one of HACU's member or partner colleges.

There are various scholarship program opportunities. Visit the website for more detailed information.

## **Holocaust Remembrance Project Scholarship**

Holocaust Remembrance Project

c/o Holland & Knight Charitable Foundation, Inc.

201 N. Franklin Street, 11<sup>th</sup> Floor

Tampa, FL 33602

[www.holocaust.hklaw.com](http://www.holocaust.hklaw.com)

Award: \$100 - \$10,000

Deadline: April 19, 2012

Requirements:

- High school student, 9-12 grade
- Submit an essay with a bibliography and/or works cited page.

Essay prompts: (a) Why is it vital that the remembrance, history and lessons of the Holocaust be passed on to a new generation? *or* (b) Suggest what young people can do to combat and prevent prejudice, discrimination and violence in our world today.

## **Migrant Farmworker Scholarship**

Geneseo Migrant Center

3 Mt. Morris-Leicester Road

Leicester, NY 14481

[www.migrant.net](http://www.migrant.net)

Award: \$250 - \$2,500

Deadline: Varies –Please check website for specific award details

Requirements:

- Recent history of movement for agricultural employment
- Scholastic achievement and demonstrated financial need

## **National Peace Essay Contest**

United States Institute of Peace

c/o National Peace Essay Contest

1200 17<sup>th</sup> Street, NW, Suite 200

Washington, DC 20036

[www.usip.org/npec](http://www.usip.org/npec)

Award: \$1,000 - \$10,000

Deadline: February 1, 2012

Requirements:

Student must be in 9-12<sup>th</sup> grade and attend a public, private, or parochial school in the US.

Essay prompt: "How can new media best be leveraged to help build peace and prevent conflict?"

## **Wal-Mart Foundation**

[www.walmartfoundation.org](http://www.walmartfoundation.org)

Award: \$1,000

Deadline: Quarterly Award opportunities. See website.

Requirements:

- Available to Wal-Mart or Sam's Club associates or dependant of company employee.
- Must be able to prove financial need.
- Applicant must be a US citizen or permanent legal resident.

## **Bank of America: Joe Martin Scholarship**

[www.bankofamerica.com](http://www.bankofamerica.com)

Keyword: Scholarships

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

Deadline: February 29, 2012

Requirements:

- Past or current Bank of America employees and their immediate family members are eligible.

## **California Teachers Association**

CTA Scholarship Committee

c/o Human Rights Department

PO Box 921

Burlingame, CA 94011

Award: \$500 – \$5,000

Deadline: February 3, 2012

Requirements:

- Must be a CTA member or dependant.

## **Korean Resource Center – Dream Scholarship Fund**

Korean Resource Center

900 S. Crenshaw Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90019

[www.krcla.org/en/Dream\\_Scholarship\\_Fund](http://www.krcla.org/en/Dream_Scholarship_Fund)

Award: \$1,000

Deadline: June 2012

Requirements:

- Identify as Korean American and/or Asian Pacific Islander American
- Demonstrate financial need.
- Eligible students must be a senior in high school or up to a junior in a US accredited college or university.
- Have demonstrated achievement in the arts, community service, sports, or other activities.

## **Pacific Gas and Electric Company – Latino Scholarship**

Pacific Gas and Electric Company

Attn: Mario Valadez

Latino ERG Scholarship Committee

77 Beale Street

Mail Code B29J

San Francisco, CA 94105

[www.pge.com/about/community/education/ergscholarships/](http://www.pge.com/about/community/education/ergscholarships/)

Award: (30) \$1,000

Deadline: April 30, 2012

Requirements:

- Applicants must be enrolled in college or planning to attend college in the fall of 2012.



- Eligible students must submit application, proof of address, letters of recommendation and essay.

Note:

Pacific Gas and Electric has various scholarship programs. Refer to website for more details.  
All eligible applicants must live within the PG&E service area.

## **QuestBridge Programs**

QuestBridge

120 Hawthorne Ave., Suite 103

Palo Alto, CA 94301

[www.questbridge.com](http://www.questbridge.com)

Award: Scholarships for summer programs, workshops, admissions counseling and scholarships.

Deadline: March of Every Year

Requirements:

- If student is applying for K-12 college preparatory services and/or summer programs, no social security number is required as part of the application.
- If student is applying to undergraduate scholarships, student must be a US Citizen or lawful permanent resident, except if applying to Pomona College, Princeton, or Yale.
- Student must demonstrate a strong academic record and family income of less than \$60,000

## **Educators for Fair Consideration (E4FC) – New American Scholars Program**

E4FC

2130 Fillmore Street, #248

San Francisco, CA 94115

[www.e4fc.org](http://www.e4fc.org)

Award: Varies. Up to \$10,000

Deadline: March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2012

Requirements:

- Must be a foreign-born, low-income immigrant college student living or attending college in the San Francisco Bay area.
- Minimum GPA for High School applicants is 3.3
- Minimum GPA for College Student applicants is 2.8
- Applicants will be assessed based on academic performance, financial need, and personal character.

## **A.W. Bodine – Sunkist Memorial Scholarship**

A.W. Bodine-Sunkist Memorial Scholarship Program

Sunkist Growers

PO Box 7888

Van Nuys, CA 91409-7888

[www.sunkist.com/about/bodine\\_scholarship.aspx](http://www.sunkist.com/about/bodine_scholarship.aspx)

Award: \$2,000

Deadline: April 30, 2012

Requirements:

- Applicants must have a background in California or Arizona agriculture. The student or someone in the student's immediate family must have derived the majority of his or her income from agriculture.
- Demonstrated financial need.
- Minimum 2.7 GPA and extracurricular activity involvement.
- Personal essay describing personal and agricultural background.

## **Advancing Hispanic Excellence in Technology, Engineering, Math and Science**

SHPE Foundation

c/o: 2012-2013 Scholarship Program

University of Texas at Arlington

Box 19019

416 Yates Street

Room 609

Arlington, TX 76019

[www.shpefoundation.org](http://www.shpefoundation.org)

Award: \$1,000 - \$3,000

Deadline: April 2012

Requirements:

- Applicant must be of Hispanic-descent.
- U.S. citizenship is not required.
- Plan to major in science, technology, engineering, mathematics or a related field.

For complete application information, please visit scholarship program website.

## **Davis-Putter Scholarship Fund**

Davis-Putter Scholarship Fund

PO BOX 7307

New York, NY 10116

[www.davisputter.org](http://www.davisputter.org)

Award: Up to \$10,000

Deadline: April 2012

Requirements:

- Applicants must demonstrate activism in the struggle to achieve civil rights, economic justice, international solidarity, or other progressive issues.

Undocumented students are invited to apply.

## **Center for Student Opportunity (CSO) Scholarship**

CSO Scholarship

PO Box 30370

Bethesda, MD 20824

[www.csopportunity.org](http://www.csopportunity.org)

Award: \$2,000

Deadline: May 2012

Requirements:

- Graduating high school senior from underrepresented minority group, i.e., African-American, Native American, Alaska native, Latino, Asian, and Pacific Islander.
- First-generation college student with limited financial resources.

Student must plan to enroll at a CSO College Partner school (see website for list).

## **Los Hermanos de Stanford**

[www.stanford.edu/group/hermanos](http://www.stanford.edu/group/hermanos)

Award: (2) \$800

Deadline: April 2012

Requirements:

Applicants must be of Latino descent.

Student must demonstrate commitment to academic excellence, community service, and cultural awareness.

Student must demonstrate financial need.

Note: Applicants do not have to apply to or gain admission to Stanford, to be eligible.

## **Joe Francomano Scholarship**

Junior Achievement Worldwide  
c/o Joe Francomano Scholarship, JA Worldwide  
One Education Way  
Colorado Springs, CO 80906

[www.ja.org](http://www.ja.org)

Award: (4) \$5,000

Deadline: February 1, 2012

Requirements:

- Open to high school seniors with a minimum 3.0 GPA
- Students must submit a personal essay and 3 letters of recommendation

## **The Esperanza Education Fund**

Esperanza Education Fund  
PO Box 27507  
Washington, DC

[www.esperanzafund.org/scholarship](http://www.esperanzafund.org/scholarship)

Award: \$5,000 - \$10,000

Deadline: March 31, 2012

Requirements:

- Must be born outside the US or have two parents born outside the US
- Must be a graduating senior at a high school in Washington D.C., Maryland, or Virginia
- Must enroll full-time at an accredited public college or university

## **Es El Momento: Beca Univision**

[www.eselmomento.com](http://www.eselmomento.com)

Award: \$5,000

Deadline: December 15, 2011

Requirements:

- 1<sup>st</sup> generation Latino college student
- Have a history of extracurricular activity involvement
- Maintain a minimum 3.0 GPA

## **Automotive Hall of Fame Scholarship**

21400 Oakwood Boulevard  
Dearborn, Michigan 48124  
(313) 240-4000

[www.automotivehalloffame.org/scholarships.php](http://www.automotivehalloffame.org/scholarships.php)

Award: Varies

Deadline: February 1<sup>st</sup> & June 30, 2012

Requirements:

- Must have sincere interest in an automotive career
- Must already be accepted at an accredited college or university
- Must provide official transcript and two letters of recommendation

## **PFLAG-HATCH Youth Scholarship Program**

PFLAG National Scholarship Program  
1828 L St. NW, Suite 660  
Washington, DC 20036

[www.pflag.org](http://www.pflag.org)

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

Deadline: Applications available February 2012

Requirements: Graduating lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, or straight-ally who is a high school senior.

## **College Assistance Migrant Program (CAMP)**

Migrant Students  
1725 NE Upper Drive  
Pullman, WA 99163  
(509) 368-7132

[www.migrantstudents.org](http://www.migrantstudents.org)

Award: \$2,000

Deadline: Contact participating colleges and universities

Requirements:

- Migrant or seasonal farm working background
- US Citizen or US Permanent Legal residency
- Refer to website for more program details

## **Stan Chambers Journalism Awards**

KTLA-TV

Attn: Creative Services

5800 Sunset Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90028

Award: \$1,000 (5 Awards)

Deadline: March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2012

Requirements:

- Must be a high school senior in Ca
- Program open to legal residents only
- Must submit original essay

## **National Sculpture Society Scholarship**

75 Varick Street, 11<sup>th</sup> Floor

New York, NY 10013

[www.nationalsculpture.org](http://www.nationalsculpture.org)

Award: \$2,000

Deadline: June 2012

Requirements:

Offered for students of figurative, realist, or representational sculpture. Send a letter of application from the student, two letters of recommendation, 8-10 photographs of the applicant's work, and proof of financial need.

## **La Unidad Latina Foundation, Inc**

La Unidad Latina Foundation, Inc

359 Prospect Avenue

Brooklyn, NY 11215

[www.lulfoundation.org](http://www.lulfoundation.org)

Award: \$250 - \$1,000

Deadline: June 1<sup>st</sup> for Feb. 15<sup>th</sup> or September 1<sup>st</sup> for October 15th

Requirements:

- Enrolled and have completed one full year of bachelors or masters program at an accredited 4-year university.
- Applicants must have a minimum 2.8 GPA

## **National Association of Hispanic Journalists**

[www.nahj.org](http://www.nahj.org)

Award: Up to \$5,000

Deadline: March 2012

Requirements: See website for more details.

## **The Elie Wiesel Prize in Ethics Essay Contest**

The Elie Wiesel Foundation for Humanity

555 Madison Ave – 20<sup>th</sup> Floor

New York, NY 10022

[www.eliewieselfoundation.org](http://www.eliewieselfoundation.org)

Award: \$500 – 5,000

Deadline: December of each year

Requirements: Check website for yearly essay question and instructions.

## **Lanzate Travel Award Program**

Southwest Airlines and The Hispanic Association of Colleges and Universities (HACU)

[www.hacu.net](http://www.hacu.net)

Award: 4 Roundtrip tickets to and from University

Deadline: April 2012

Requirements:

- Must be a student at four-year college or university
- GPA of 2.5 or higher
- Undergraduate and Graduate students are eligible to apply

## **ACLU Youth Activist Scholarship**

ACLU of Southern California

Attn: Elvia Meza, Field Manager

1313 West 8<sup>th</sup> Street

Los Angeles, CA 90017

(213) 977-5205

[www.aclu-sc.org](http://www.aclu-sc.org)

Award: \$7,000

Deadline: Refer to website

Requirements:

- Commitment to civil liberties through activism
- Attained a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or better at the time of graduation
- Be a high school senior planning on entering an accredited college or university as a full-time student
- Contact the Youth Scholarship Coordinator, Elvia Meza for more information on the nomination process

## **Prudential Spirit of Community Award**

Prudential Spirit of Community Awards CSFA

200 Crutchfield Ave

Nashville, TN 37210

(615) 320-3149

[www.spirit.prudential.com](http://www.spirit.prudential.com)

Award: \$1,000

Deadline: November 2012

Requirements:

- Student must be in grades 5-12, from any state and show participation in volunteer activity.

## **“Wonders of Plastics” Essay Contest**

Society of Plastic Engineers

13 Church Hill Rd

Newtown, CT 06470

(203) 775-0471

[www.4spe.org/essay-contest](http://www.4spe.org/essay-contest)

Award: \$1,000

Deadline: Visit website for details

Requirements:

- Open to 6-12<sup>th</sup> grade students.
- Must write a 500-1,000 word essay.
- The essay must be sponsored by a teacher and meet certain requirements.

### **Hispanic Education Endowment Fund**

Orange County HEEF Scholarship Program  
Orange County Community Foundation  
30 Corporate Park, Suite 410  
Irvine, CA 92606

[www.heef.org](http://www.heef.org)

Award: Various Scholarship Programs

Deadline: March 2012

Requirements:

- Be a Latino/a who has lived in Orange County for the past 4 years.
- Be an OC high school graduate who enrolls full-time at a 2 or 4-year college or university.
- Be eligible for need based financial aid.

### **Scholastic Art & Writing Awards**

The Scholastic Art & Writing Awards  
c/o Alliance for Young Artists and Writers  
555 Broadway Avenue  
New York, NY 10012  
(212) 343-6493

[www.artandwriting.org/awards](http://www.artandwriting.org/awards)

Award: \$1,000

Deadline: December 2011 and January 2012; See website

Requirements:

- Open to students in grades 7-12, enrolled in US public schools.
- Awards are available in 10 writing categories and 16 art categories.

### **The United Agribusiness League & United Agricultural Benefit Trust Scholarship**

United Agribusiness League & United Agricultural Benefit Trust  
UAL/UABT Scholarship Program  
United Agribusiness League  
54 Corporate Park  
Irvine, CA 92606

[www.ual.org/scholarship.html](http://www.ual.org/scholarship.html)

Award: Varies

Deadline: March 31, 2012

Requirements:

- Applicants must be affiliated with UAL or UABT, either through a member or employee of a member.
- Minimum 2.5 GPA required.
- Three letters of recommendation & resume
- 2-page essay

### **Hispanic Higher Education Scholarship Fund**

[www.nrchmh.org/scholarship\\_fund](http://www.nrchmh.org/scholarship_fund)

Award: Varies

Deadline: See website

Requirements: Applicants must be an undergraduate student who is bilingual and interested in pursuing a Masters degree in Social Work from a New Jersey university.

### **Institute for Humane Studies Fellowship**

3301 N Fairfax Dr., Suite 440

Arlington, VA 22201

[www.theihs.org](http://www.theihs.org)

Award: Up to \$15,000

Deadline: December 31, 2012

Requirements: Available for undergraduate or graduate study in the United States or abroad. Open to students interested in the classical liberal tradition.

### **The Duracell/National Urban League Scholarship**

NUL Scholarship/Intern Program for Minorities

120 Wall Street, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor

New York, NY 10005

(212) 558-5373

Award: \$10,000 + Paid Internship

Deadline: April 15, 2012

Requirements: Open to minority students focusing in engineering, sales, marketing, finance and business.

### **Mexican American Grocers' Association Fund (MAGAF) Scholarship**

Mexican American Grocers' Association (MAGA)

Attn: Scholarship Coordinator

405 N. San Fernando Road

Los Angeles, CA 90031

(323) 227-1565

[www.maga.org](http://www.maga.org)

Award: \$500 – 1,000

Deadline: July 31, 2012

Requirements:

- Latino students interested in Business or majoring in Business
- Must be at least college sophomores
- Must have a 2.5 or above GPA

### **Phi Delta Kappa International**

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408 N. Union St

PO BOX 789

Bloomington, Indiana 47402

[www.pdkintl.org](http://www.pdkintl.org)

Award: Various Scholarship Programs

Deadline: Varies

Requirements:

- Awards are available for post-graduate work, including Masters, EdD and PhD work in Education
- See website for more details about each scholarship program

### **Breakthrough to Nursing Scholarships for Ethnic People of Color**

National Student Nurse's Association, Inc.

Attn: NSNA Foundation

555 W 57<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 1327

New York, NY 10019

[www.nсна.org](http://www.nсна.org)

Award: Varies

Deadline: January 14, 2012

Requirements: Minority undergraduate students currently enrolled in state-approved schools of nursing or pre-nursing associate degrees, baccalaureate, diploma, generic doctorate, and generic masters programs.  
NOTE: Graduating high school seniors may not apply.

### **Leonard Perryman Scholarship**

Perryman Scholarship Committee  
United Methodist Communications  
PO Box 320  
Nashville, TN 37202

[www.umcom.org](http://www.umcom.org)

Award: \$2,500

Deadline: March 15, of every year

Requirements:

- Open to United Methodist ethnic college students with either Junior or Senior status
- Community college students that will transfer to a university as Juniors or Seniors are eligible
- Award is only for students majoring in Journalism or Mass Communications.

### **Puerto Rican Bar Association (PRBA) – Scholarship Award**

PRBA

Attn: Treasurer

303 Park Ave South, Suite 1405

New York, NY 10010

Award: \$2,000

Deadline: March 2012

Requirements:

- Awards are given to a Latino first or second year student in a JD program at an American Bar Association approved school.
- PRBA selects recipients based on financial need and academic promise.
- Third year evening students are also eligible to apply.

### **Newhouse Scholarship Program**

National Association of Hispanic Journalists

Attn: Scholarships Committee

1000 National Press Building

529 14<sup>th</sup> Street, NW

Washington, DC 20045

[www.nahj.org](http://www.nahj.org)

Award: \$2,000 – 5,000

Deadline: February of each year

Requirements:

- Must be college sophomore that is of Hispanic descent and interested in majoring in print journalism in English or Spanish
- Applications must include autobiographical essay of 500 words describing some aspect of the relationship between Hispanic Americans and the press
- Must attend schools within the USA and Puerto Rico

### **Fredrikson & Bryon Foundation – Minority Scholarship Program**

[www.fredlaw.com](http://www.fredlaw.com)

Award: \$10,000

Deadline: March 31, 2012

Requirements:

- Applicants must be minority first-year law students.
- Visit website for further details and application



## **A. Patrick Charnon Memorial Scholarship**

The Center for Education Solutions

PO Box 208

San Francisco, CA 94104

[www.cesresources.org](http://www.cesresources.org)

Award: \$1,500 (Renewable for 4 years)

Deadline: March 2012

Requirements:

- Admitted or enrolled in a full-time undergraduate program of study in an accredited four-year college or university in the United States.
- Main good academic standing.
- Students who value tolerance, compassion and respect for all people in the communities, and who have demonstrated these values.

## **PRSSA – Multicultural Affairs Scholarship Program**

Public Relations Student Society of America

Multicultural Affairs Scholarship Program

33 Maiden Lane, 11<sup>th</sup> Floor

New York, NY 10038

[www.prssa.org](http://www.prssa.org)

Award: \$1,500

Deadline: See website

Requirements:

- Applicants must be of Latino, African-American, Asian, Native American, Alaskan Native, or Pacific Islander ancestry.
- Must be full-time students at an accredited four-year college or university with at least junior status.
- Public Relations major or minor students are preferred.
- Minimum 3.0 GPA required.

## **World Studios Foundation Scholarships**

164 Fifth Avenue

New York, NY 10010

[www.scholarships.worldstudioinc.com](http://www.scholarships.worldstudioinc.com)

Award: Varies

Deadline: March 30, 2012

Requirements:

- Open to disadvantaged or minority college students who are currently enrolled at an accredited school.

## **Hispanic Engineers National Achievement Awards**

Student Leadership Awards

HENAAC

Attn: Student Scholarship Committee

3900 Whiteside St.

Los Angeles, CA 90063

[www.greatmindsinstem.org/henaac/awards](http://www.greatmindsinstem.org/henaac/awards)

Award: Varies

Deadline: April 30 of every year

Requirements:

- Student must be majoring in math, computer science, material science, engineering or applied science
- Must have an overall GPA of 3.0 or higher

## **Radio Television Digital News Association**

RTNDF Scholarships  
4121 Plank Road #512  
Fredericksburg, VA 22407  
[www.rtna.org](http://www.rtna.org)

Award: \$1,000 – 10,000

Deadline: May of each year

Requirements:

- Must officially be a sophomore enrolled in college and have at least one more academic year remaining to graduate.
- May be enrolled in any major, so long as your career intent is to work in television or radio news.

## **Tylenol Scholarships**

Citizen's Scholarship Foundation of America, Inc  
1505 Riverview Road  
PO Box 88  
St. Peter, MN 56082  
[www.tylenol.com](http://www.tylenol.com)

Award: \$1,000 (150 awards), \$10,000 (10 awards)

Deadline: February 15, 2012

Requirements:

- Must be an undergraduate or graduate with at least one more year of education remaining.
- Must demonstrate leadership in community and school.
- Intend on majoring in a health-related field.

## **California's Wine Grape Growers Foundation Scholarship**

California Wine Grape Growers Foundation  
1325 J Street, Suite 1560  
Sacramento, CA 95825  
[www.cawg.org](http://www.cawg.org)

Award:

Deadline:

Requirements:

- Parent/guardian must be employed as a vineyard worker by a wine grape grower in California during the past and current seasons.
- It is recommended that student already be in the process of establishing residency.
- Must submit application, 2 page essay, transcripts and letter of recommendation.

## **Beca Foundation General Scholarship Fund**

The Beca Foundation  
PO Box 936  
Escondido, CA 92033  
(760) 741-8246

Award: \$500 – 1,000

Deadline: March 2012

Requirements:

- Must be a resident of North San Diego County
- High school senior entering 2 or 4-year university
- Available for students pursuing a degree in a medical related field

## **Los Angeles Junior Chamber of Commerce Award**

LAJCC

201 S Figueroa St., Suite 300

Los Angeles, CA 90012

(213) 680-8019

[www.lajcc.org](http://www.lajcc.org)

Award: \$1,000 (10-20 awards)

Deadline: Refer to website

Requirements:

- Awarded to students who have made contributions to their community and/or school through volunteer efforts and/or positions of leadership.
- Participation in a competitive activity (sport/art) is required.
- Open to graduating high school senior or current community college students in Los Angeles.

## **SAMMY Award**

National Fluid Milk Processor Promotion Board

1250 H Street NW, Suite 950

Washington, DC 20005

[www.bodymilk.com](http://www.bodymilk.com)

Award: \$7,500

Deadline: March 2012

Requirements:

- Open to graduating high school senior scholar athletes.
- Must demonstrate excellence in academics, athletic performance, leadership, and community service to be eligible.

## **All That You Dreamed Scholarship**

All Student Loan

Attn: ALL That You Dreamed Scholarship

6701 Center Drive West, Suite 500

Los Angeles, CA 90045

[www.allstudentloan.org](http://www.allstudentloan.org)

Award: Various

Deadline: See website

Requirements:

- Current Los Angeles County and Central Valley High School Seniors.

## **Bill Coggins Community Leadership Award**

Watts Counseling and Learning Center

1465 E. 103<sup>rd</sup> Street

Los Angeles, CA 90002

(323) 564-7911

[www.info.kp.org/communitybenefit](http://www.info.kp.org/communitybenefit)

Award: \$250 – 1,000

Deadline: April 2012

Requirements:

- Be a high school senior or college student from Los Angeles County.
- 2.5 GPA minimum.
- 2 letters of recommendation.

## **Latin American Educational Foundation**

561 Santa Fe Drive  
Denver, CO 80204

[www.laef.org](http://www.laef.org)

Award: Varies

Deadline: March 2012

Requirements:

- Hispanic heritage and/or actively involved in the Hispanic community
- Minimum 3.0 GPA
- Colorado resident

## **Chicana/Latina Foundation**

Chicana/Latina Foundation  
Attn: Scholarship Committee  
1419 Burlingame Ave., Suite N  
Burlingame, CA 94010

[www.chicanalatina.org](http://www.chicanalatina.org)

Award: \$1,500

Deadline: Varies

Requirements:

- Chicana and/or Latino heritage who has resided for two years and goes to college in Northern California.
- Must demonstrate academic excellence and community leadership.
- Must be enrolled full-time in college, have completed 15 college semester units and a GPA of 2.5

## **Lambda Theta Nu Sorority, Inc Latino Scholarship Award**

[www.lambdathetanu.org](http://www.lambdathetanu.org)

Award: \$200 – 1,000

Deadline: Varies

Requirements:

- Be a 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 more information.

## **ADA Foundation – Minority Dental Student Scholarship program**

American Dental Association Foundation  
Attn: Minority Dental Student Scholarship Program  
211 E Chicago Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60611

[www.ada.org](http://www.ada.org)

Award: Varies

Deadline: Check website

Requirements:

- Applicants must be 2<sup>nd</sup> year students at the time of application and currently attending or enrolled at a dental school accredited by the Commission on Dental Accreditation.
- Must have a minimum 3.0 GPA.

### **Millie Dein Scholarship** (Non-monetary award; waives enrollment fees only)

[www.lamission.edu/financialaid/](http://www.lamission.edu/financialaid/)

Award: \$500

Deadline: Contact Financial Aid Office

Requirements:

- Available for full-time students attending Los Angeles Mission Community College.
- Students must demonstrate financial need and good citizenship.
- Minimum cumulative 3.0 GPA required.
- Open to AB 540 students.
- Note: Maximum value of waived fees cannot exceed \$500 per semester.

### **Cal Dream Scholarship Fund**

[www.libertyhill.org/page.aspx?pid301](http://www.libertyhill.org/page.aspx?pid301)

Award: Up to \$10,000

Deadline: See website

Requirements:

- Available for incoming or current undergraduate AB 540 students attending UC Berkeley.
- Students must demonstrate leadership and a commitment to community service or activism.

### **UC Berkeley – The Achievement Award Program**

[www.alumni.berkeley.edu/taap](http://www.alumni.berkeley.edu/taap)

Award: Up to \$6,000 + Laptop computer

Deadline: February 2012

Requirements:

- Gross family income of \$86,000 or less
- Commitment to community service and volunteerism
- AB 540 students are eligible for award

### **Sigma Lambda Beta Fraternity: Tau Chapter Scholarship**

[www.tauchapter.com](http://www.tauchapter.com)

Award: \$500

Deadline: April 2012

Requirements:

- Award is offered to a high school senior of Hispanic origin.
- Student must have a 2.5 GPA or higher and accepted to CSU Dominguez Hills for the Fall term.

### **The Andrés y María Cárdenas Family Foundation**

[www.cardenasfoundation.org](http://www.cardenasfoundation.org)

Award: \$500 – 3,000

Deadline: March 2012

Requirements:

- Must be a senior at one of the following schools Arleta HS, Kennedy HS, Monroe HS, North Hollywood HS, Polytechnic HS, San Fernando HS, Sylmar HS, Van Nuys HS or Panorama HS

## Additional Resources/ Recursos Adicionales

### National Council of La Raza

[www.lideres.nclr.org/section/resources](http://www.lideres.nclr.org/section/resources)

Visit the Resources section of the website and view the “Keeping the Dream Alive: Resource Guide for Undocumented Students,” to learn how to organize a proper resume and to learn valuable tips on how to fundraise money for college.

### Educators for Fair Consideration

[www.e4fc.org](http://www.e4fc.org)

Visit this website to download and view a comprehensive list of scholarships for San Francisco Bay area undocumented students. Also, the organization provides free legal case analysis services for undocumented youth. If you have questions about this service, or need a referral, please email Krsna Avila, E4FC’s Legal Services Manager at [krsna@e4fc.org](mailto:krsna@e4fc.org)

### Latino College Dollars

[www.latinocollegedollars.org](http://www.latinocollegedollars.org)

A comprehensive database of scholarships that are available to Latino college students. The website also includes information on how to plan for college and how to pay for it.

### Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute Scholarship Database.

[www.chci.org](http://www.chci.org)

This premier scholarship opportunity is afforded to Latino students who have a history of performing public service oriented activities in the community.

### Office of Congresswoman Lucille Roybal-Allard Scholarship Directory

[www.roybal-allard.house.gov/UploadedFiles/Scholarship\\_Guide\\_2011-2012.pdf](http://www.roybal-allard.house.gov/UploadedFiles/Scholarship_Guide_2011-2012.pdf)

Complete student resource guide that includes a list of scholarships, internship opportunities, fellowships, and links to useful websites.

### Scholarships of Hispanics

[www.scholarshipsforhispanics.com](http://www.scholarshipsforhispanics.com)

Directory that allows you to indicate citizenship status.

### www.scholarships.com

This website has very good information on how to conduct a scholarship search and who to ask for help at your school. The website also contains many tips on how prepare your scholarship applications, including tips on writing the winning scholarship essay, how to create a resume, etc.



Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund  
634 S. Spring St., 11<sup>th</sup> Floor, Los Angeles, CA 90014  
(213) 629-2512 [www.maldef.org](http://www.maldef.org)

Scholarships for All students regardless of residency status.  
Becas para TODO estudiante sin necesidad de la residencia legal.