

Scholarships, Internships and Other Opportunities

Fund your education and enhance your college experience with these various scholarships, internships, and other opportunities. Each scholarship and internship has a specific set deadline and requirements. This is not an exhaustive list of scholarships and internships. Meet with your College Advisor to explore other opportunities.

- ASA Scholarship – <https://www.alphasigmaalpha.org/asa-foundation/scholarships-awards/>
- Big Future – <https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/pay-for-college/bigfuture-scholarships>
- Brown and Caldwell – <https://brownandcaldwell.com/careers/scholarships/>
- Cappex – <https://www.cappex.com/>
- Chegg Scholarships – <https://www.chegg.com/scholarships>
- Chicago Scholars – <https://chicagoscholars.org/apply>
- City Colleges of Chicago –
<http://www.ccc.edu/departments/Pages/City-Colleges-of-Chicago-Foundation.aspx>
- Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation – <https://www.coca-colascholarsfoundation.org/apply/>
- College Board – www.collegeboard.org/
- College Scholarship Directory – <https://www.unigo.com/scholarships>
- College Scholarships – <http://www.collegescholarships.org/financial-aid/>
- Colleges of Distinction – <https://collegesofdistinction.com/advice/the-mega-list-of-scholarships-you-should-apply-for-class-of-2021-2022/>
- FinAid – <https://www.finaid.org/scholarships/>
- Going Merry – <https://www.goingmerry.com/>
- HACU-Hispanic Association of Colleges and Universities –
[Hispanic Association of Colleges and Universities - Scholarships \(hacu.net\)](http://www.hacu.net)
- Illinois Association for College Admission Counseling (IACAC)- [IACAC Transfer Scholarship](http://www.iacac.org)
- Jack Kent Cooke Foundation – <https://www.jkcf.org/>
- LA TUTORS 123 – <http://www.latutors123.com/scholarship/#information>
- National Institutes of Health (NIH) – <https://www.training.nih.gov/programs/ugsp>
- NICHE – <https://www.niche.com/colleges/scholarships/>
- NITRO – <https://www.nitrocollege.com/scholarships>

- The PepsiCo Foundation S.M.I.L.E. – <https://learnmore.scholarsapply.org/pepsicosmile/>
- Phi Theta Kappa – <https://www.ptk.org/>
- Private Illinois Colleges & Universities (PICU) – <https://picuonline.org/scholarships/>
- Sallie Mae Loans – <https://www.salliemae.com/>
- Scholarships – <https://www.scholarships.com/>
- Scholarships360 – <https://scholarships360.org/>
- Scholarships a-z – <http://www.scholarshipsaz.org/>
- Scholarship America – <https://scholarshipamerica.org/students/browse-scholarships/>
- Scholarships by Deadline – <https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarship-directory/deadline>
- Scholarships Guidance – <https://scholarshipguidance.com/>
- Scholarship Owl – <https://scholarshipowl.com/>
- Scholarship Portal – <https://www.scholarshipportal.com/scholarships/united-states>
- Scholly – <https://myscholly.com/opportunities/>
- Shawn Carter Foundation –
[Scholarship Fund | Shawn Carter Foundation \(shawncartersf.com\)](http://scholarshipfund.com)
- Student Scholarships – <https://studentscholarships.org/2020scholarships.php>
- Super College – <https://www.supercollege.com/>
- Illinois Scholarships – <https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarship-directory/residence-state/illinois>

Scholarships by Category

Adult Learners:

- Scholarships360 – <https://scholarships360.org/scholarships/scholarships-for-adults/>
- Imagine America Foundation – <https://www.imagine-america.org/scholarshipsforadults/>

African-American Students:

- Great Value Colleges – <https://www.greatvaluecolleges.net/scholarships/young-black-men/>

- Money Geek – <https://www.moneygeek.com/financial-planning/paying-for-college/scholarship-resources/black-students/>
- Scholarship America (CME Group) – <https://scholarshipamerica.org/scholarship/cme-group-foundation-scholarship/>
- Scholarships – <https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarship-directory/race/african-american>
- UNCF – <https://unconf.org/scholarships>
- The PepsiCo Foundation S.M.I.L.E. Scholarship – <https://learnmore.scholarsapply.org/pepsicosmile/>

Asian-American Students:

- Journalists Association – <https://www.aaia.org/>
- Money Geek – [http://www.moneygeek.com/education/college/resources/scholarship-guide-for-asian-students/#Asian %20 American](http://www.moneygeek.com/education/college/resources/scholarship-guide-for-asian-students/#Asian%20American)
- Scholarships – <https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarship-directory/race/asian-pacific-islander>

Athletes:

- The BigSun Scholarship – <http://www.bigsunathletics.com/>
- Scholarships by Athletic Ability – <https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarship-directory/athletic-ability>

Business Majors:

- Business Management Degree – <https://www.business-management-degree.net/best-scholarships-business-majors/>
- Great Business Schools – <https://www.greatbusinessschools.org/25-scholarships-specifically-for-business-majors/>
- Scholarships – <https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarships-by-major/business-scholarships/>
- Smart Scholar – <https://www.smartscholar.com/scholarships/business-major-scholarships/>

Criminal Justice majors:

- Criminal Justice Scholarships – <https://policeofficer.org/scholarships>
- Forensics Colleges – <https://www.forensicscolleges.com/blog/resources/forensics-scholarships>
- Smart Scholar – <http://www.smartscholar.com/scholarships/criminal-justice-major-scholarships/>

Education Majors:

- All Education Schools – <https://www.alleducationschools.com/financial-aid/teaching-scholarships/>
- Golden Apple – <https://www.goldenapple.org/scholars>
- Illinois Student Assistance Commission – <https://www.isac.org/students/during-college/types-of-financial-aid/scholarships/>
- Student Loan Hero – <https://studentloanhero.com/featured/5-superlative-scholarships-for-education-majors/>

Engineering / STEM Majors:

- Computer Science Scholarship Program for College Student – <https://www.apriorit.com/student-scholarships>
- JMJ Phillip Group Scholarship – <http://jmjphillip.com/jmj-phillip-stem-scholarship/>
- Palantir Future Scholarship – <http://www.palantir.com/students/scholarship/future/>
- Rise Marketing Scholarship – <https://rise.co/scholarship>
- STEM Major Scholarship – <https://www.afcea.org/site/?q=foundation/scholarships/stem-majors>
- Supporting STEM Scholarship – <https://hoshizakiicemaker.com/stem-scholarship>

Female Students:

- Alliance for Women in Media – <https://allwomeninmedia.org/foundation/scholarships/>
- Become with lantern – <https://www.learnhowtobecome.org/career-resource-center/college-financial-aid-for-women/>
- Engineer Girl – <https://www.engineergirl.org/9539/Scholarships>

- Jeannette Rankin Women’s Scholarship Fund – <https://rankinfoundation.org/>
- 1000 Dreams Scholarship Fund – <https://www.growyourgiving.org/scholarships/1000-dreams-scholarship-fund>
- Open Education Database – <https://oedb.org/scholarships/women/>
- Scholarships and Grants – <http://www.scholarshipsandgrants.us/scholarships-for-women/>
- Society of Women Engineers – <https://swe.org/scholarships/>
- Scholarships for Women – <https://www.scholarshipsforwomen.net/african-american/>
- Soroptimist Women’s Opportunity Award – <https://www.soroptimist.org/our-work/live-your-dream-awards/index.html>
- Female Scholarships – <https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarship-directory/gender/female>

Healthcare Majors:

- Lark Health Scholarship – www.lark.com/lark-scholarship
- Go College – <http://www.gocollege.com/financial-aid/scholarships/career/health-sciences-scholarships.html>

Latinx Students:

- CIENCIA Scholars – <http://www.alliancescholars.org/scholarships.html>
- Scholarship America (CME Group) – <https://scholarshipamerica.org/scholarship/cme-group-foundation-scholarship/>
- Hispanic Scholarship Fund – <https://www.hsf.net/>
- Illinois Legislative Latino Caucus Foundation – <https://www.illcf.net/illcf-scholarships>
- Scholarships – <https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarship-directory/race/hispanic>

LGBTQ Students:

- Become with lantern – <https://www.learnhowtobecome.org/career-resource-center/college-financial-aid-for-lgbtq/>
- Point Foundation – <https://pointfoundation.org/point-apply/community-college/>
- LGBTQIA+, Parent LGBTQIA+ or LGBTQIA+ Ally Scholarships –

<https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarship-directory/special-attributes/lgbtqia-parent-lgbtqia-or-lgbtqia-ally>

Male Students:

- Josef Princ Memorial Scholarship – <https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarships-by-type/scholarships-for-men/josef-princ-memorial-scholarship/>
- Male Scholarships – <https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarship-directory/gender/male>

Minority Students:

- Center for Online Education – <https://www.onlinecolleges.net/for-students/financial-aid-minorities/>
- College Affordability for Minority Students – <https://www.thebestcolleges.org/college-scholarships-for-minority-students/>
- Great Minds in STEM – <https://greatmindsinstem.org/gmis-scholarship-application/gmis-scholarships/>
- The LAGRANT Foundation – <https://www.lagrantfoundation.org/Scholarship%20Program>
- Minority Scholarships – <http://www.4blackyouth.com/ScholarshipIntro.aspx>
- Peterson's - https://www.petersons.com/scholarship/henaac-scholarship-program-111_161451.aspx
- The PepsiCo Foundation S.M.I.L.E. Scholarship – <https://learnmore.scholarsapply.org/pepsicosmile/>

Nursing Students:

- All Nursing Schools – <https://www.allnursingschools.com/financial-aid/nursing-scholarships/>
- American Association of Colleges of Nursing – <https://www.aacnnursing.org/Students/Financial-Aid>
- Exclusive Nursing Scholarships – <https://bold.org/scholarships/scholarships-for-nursing-students-list/>

- Nursing Scholarships – <https://nurse.org/scholarships/>
- Johnson & Johnson – <https://nursing.inj.com/scholarships>
- Nursing/Nurse Practitioner Scholarships – <https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarship-directory/academic-major/nursing-nurse-practitioner>

Polish Students:

- The Kosciuszko Foundation – <https://www.thekf.org/kf/scholarships/tuition/ts/>
- Scholarships – <http://www.pac1944.org/scholarships/>
- Polish Scholarships – <https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarship-directory/ethnicity/polish>

Refugees:

- Julia Stasch – IIE – <https://www.iie.org/Programs/Julia-Stasch-IIE-Scholarship-for-Refugees>
- Refugee / Immigrant Scholarships – <https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarship-directory/special-attributes/refugee-immigrant>

Single Fathers:

- Scholarships – <https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarships-by-type/scholarships-for-single-fathers/>
- Top Scholarships for Single Dads – <https://withfrank.org/how-to-pay-for-college/what-aid-do-i-qualify-for/top-scholarships-for-single-dads/>
- The College Monk – <https://www.thecollegemonk.com/blog/scholarships-grants-for-single-fathers>

Single Mothers:

- Bethel Foundation – http://www.bethelfoundationusa.com/programs_for_single_mothers.aspx
- College Scholarships – <http://www.collegescholarships.org/scholarships/single-mothers.htm>
- College Scholarships for single mothers – <https://www.nitrocollege.com/scholarships/single-mothers>

- Scholarships 4 moms – <http://scholarships4moms.net/>
- Single Mothers – <http://singlemothers.us/scholarships-for-single-mothers/>

Single Parents:

- The Balance – <https://www.thebalance.com/grants-for-single-mothers-and-fathers-2997891>
- Single Parent Scholarships – <https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarship-directory/special-attributes/single-parent>
- 20 Great Scholarships for Single Parents – <https://www.greatcollegedeals.net/scholarships/for-single-parents/>

Students with Disabilities:

- Become with lantern – <https://www.learnhowtobecome.org/career-resource-center/financial-aid-for-college-students-with-disabilities/>
- The Chicago Lighthouse – <https://chicagolighthouse.org/program/lighthouse-scholarship/>
- College Scholarships – <https://www.affordablecollegesonline.org/college-resource-center/affordable-colleges-for-students-with-disabilities/>
- Go College – <http://www.gocollege.com/financial-aid/scholarships/minority/disability-scholarships.html>
- Scholarships By Physical Disabilities – <https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarship-directory/physical-disabilities>

Transgender Students:

- The # Transgender First scholarship – <https://www.onlinedegree.com/transgender-first-scholarship/>
- Transgender First Scholarship – <https://www.accesslex.org/scholarship/transgender-first-scholarship>
- Transgender Scholarships – <https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarship-directory/gender/transgender>

Undocumented and DACA Students:

Note: *This is a limited list of scholarship opportunities for undocumented and DACA students, you may be able to apply for the other scholarships listed in this document.*

- Anheloo Project Dream Scholarship – <http://theanheloproject.org/dream-scholarship-application/>
- Cause Chicago – <https://causechicago.org/resource-guide/scholarships/>
- Core Que Lluvea Café Scholarship – [http://www.ca-core.org/que llueva cafe scholarship program](http://www.ca-core.org/que_llueva_cafe_scholarship_program)
- DDLR Scholarship Fund – <https://ddlr scholarship.wordpress.com/apply/>
- Dream Fund – <https://www.ildreamfund.org/>
- The Dream. US – <https://www.thedream.us/scholarships/national-scholarship/guidelines/>
- Fiesta Del Sol Scholars/Guadalupe A Reyes – <https://www.fiestadelsol.org/scholarship/>
- Hispanic Scholarship Fund – <https://www.hsf.net/>
- Little Village Community Portal – <https://littlevillagecommunityportal.org/scholarships/illinois-dream-fund-scholarship/>
- Mexican-American Dream Scholarship – <https://www.cofem.org/scholarships-becas>
- MALDEF Scholarship Resources – <https://www.maldef.org/resources/scholarship-resources/>
- Undocumented/TPS/DACA Scholarships – <https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarship-directory/special-attributes/undocumented-tps-daca>

Veteran Students:

- Anchor Scholarship Foundation – <http://www.anchor scholarship.com/>
- Army Women’s Foundation – <https://www.awfdn.org/scholarships/general-information/>
- Marine Corps Scholarship Foundation – <https://www.mcsf.org/>
- Pat Tillman Foundation – <https://pattillmanfoundation.org/apply-to-be-a-scholar/>
- Veterans of Foreign Wars – <https://www.vfw.org/assistance/student-veterans-support>
- Wings Over America Scholarships – <https://wingsoveramerica.us/>

Internships

- HACU-Hispanic Association of Colleges and Universities – [Hispanic Association of Colleges and Universities - HACU National Internship Program](#)
- Tyson Foods- [Tyson Foods Summer Community Internship Program – Illinois Campus Compact](#)
- USDA – [USAJOBS - Search \[Search: Internships\]](#)
- White House Internship Program – [Get Involved | The White House](#)

Apprenticeships

- City Colleges website for various apprenticeship opportunities- <https://apprenticeship.ccc.edu/studentgateway-2/#opportunities>

Other Opportunities

- **The NASA Community College Aerospace Scholars (NCAS) Program:**
For students interested in pursuing a career in STEM, the NASA Community College Aerospace Scholars (NCAS) program is available exclusively to community college students. Students get a closer look at NASA’s unique missions, diverse workforce, and world-class facilities and learn how to develop their talents, interests, and passion to become future STEM professionals. [NASA Community College Aerospace Scholars | Oklahoma State University \(okstate.edu\)](#).
- **The Chicago CHEC Fellows Program:**
For undergraduate and postbaccalaureate students at Northeastern Illinois University, University of Illinois at Chicago, Northwestern University, the City Colleges of Chicago, and other Community/ Junior Colleges in the Chicago metropolitan area who are planning to apply to graduate or medical school. This program is focused on the development of academic, technical, and professional skills in preparation for careers in social, behavioral, and biomedical research and in healthcare. ChicagoCHEC Fellows will spend the summer in seminars and research rotations learning from leading researchers. Following the summer intensive program, ChicagoCHEC Fellows will have the option to be matched with a research mentor and research project (depending on mentor and project availability) during the academic year, <https://chicagohec.org/fellows/>.
- **The Pattis Family Foundation Summer Leadership Program:**
Women Employed's Summer Leadership Program, generously sponsored by The Pattis Family Foundation, provides a unique opportunity for professional skill building and practical experience by exposing a team of interns to leadership training, front-line

research, and an awareness of the barriers low-paid workers experience. The program seeks to introduce students and recent graduates to all areas of nonprofit work through workshops, guest speakers, and projects. Deadline: March:

<https://womenemployed.org/summer-leadership-program/>

- **Princeton University Undergraduate Summer Research in Molecular Biophysics:**

The mission of this training program in molecular biophysics is to enable students of the physical, mathematical, or engineering sciences from colleges with limited research opportunities to address important problems in biology. The summer undergraduate program offers cross-disciplinary research experience with leading faculty mentors who apply the intellectual, experimental, or theoretical tools of those sciences to biological questions.

January deadline to apply: [Research Experiences for Undergraduates in Molecular Biophysics | \(princeton.edu\)](https://www.princeton.edu/research-experiences-for-undergraduates-in-molecular-biophysics)

- **UIC-School of Law Fair Housing/Fair Lending Course:**

The course aims to familiarize college and university students with fair housing law and enforcement and lending discrimination and to inspire them to pursue careers in fair housing enforcement and investigation. The program was created to increase public awareness about the importance of equal opportunity in housing and to share information regarding fair housing and fair lending obligations.

Available during the fall and spring terms: [Undergraduate Fair Housing/Fair Lending Course | UIC John Marshall Law School | University of Illinois at Chicago](https://www.uic.edu/school-of-law/undergraduate-fair-housing-fair-lending-course)