



SCHOLARSHIPS For African-Americans

The following is a listing of some of the available scholarships for African-Americans. These and others can be found through diligent research at your local library.

Also, the Chevrolet Motor Division is proud to make available 20 scholarships to college-bound graduating high school seniors. The scholarship awards will be available only to those who apply as a result of the Business Reply Card found in this Guide.

PROGRAM	DISCIPLINE	AWARD	ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	DEADLINE
AIA/AAF SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM c/o Mary Felber Minority/Disadvantage Scholarships The American Architectural Foundation 1735 New York Ave., N.W. Washington, DC 20006	Architecture	\$500-\$2,500	High school seniors and junior college students entering degree programs at schools of architecture; students who have completed first year at four-year college are ineligible.	Dec. 8, 2008 Application available online archfoundation.com
AIFS DIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP AIFS College Division 9 West Broad St. Stanford, CT 06902-3788	For students studying abroad	Two scholarships awarded that cover 50 percent of program fee. Three scholarships of \$2,000 awarded each semester.	Undergraduate students participating in a study-abroad semester program. Letter of reference and a 500- to 1,000-word essay	Visit aifsabroad.com/ays/scholarships.htm
ALPHONSO DEAL SCHOLARSHIP AWARD National Black Police Association 30 Kennedy Street, N.W. Suite 101 Washington, DC 20011	Law enforcement or related areas	\$500	U.S. citizen, high school senior, minority of good character. Letter of recommendation from a principal, counselor or teacher required. Must be accepted by a college or university. Must submit high school transcript as well as a picture.	June 1, 2009
AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY SCHOLARS PROGRAM Department of Diversity Programs 1155 16th St., N.W. Washington, DC 20036	Any applicant going into a field of chemical science	Varies	U.S. citizens or permanent resident, high school seniors. Full-time college freshmen, sophomores or juniors majoring in chemical sciences at accredited colleges/universities; students planning careers in medicine are not eligible. Must have GPA of 3.0 or higher and demonstrate financial need.	E-mail: scholars@acs.org or call 1-800-227-5558 ext. 6250
AMERICAN FOUNDATION FOR THE BLIND RUDOLPH DILLMAN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP 11 Penn Plaza, Suite 300 New York, NY 10001	Rehabilitation and/or education of persons who are visually impaired.	Four \$2,500 non-renewable scholarships. A one-time award not open to previous recipients.	Must be a full-time undergrad or grad student studying in the field of rehabilitation or education of persons who are blind and/or visually impaired. One of the awards is reserved specifically for a student who presents proof of economic need (Student Aid Report required)	www.afb.org or contact Dawn Bodrogi at 212-502-7661

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AMERICAN HOTEL FOUNDATION HYATT HOTEL FUND for Minority Hotel and Lodging Management Students 1201 New York Ave., N.W. Suite 600, Washington, DC 20005-3931	Hospitality or hotel management	\$2,000	Must be a minority student majoring in an undergraduate degree of hospitality and management on a full-time basis. Criteria are academic performance, hospitality work experience, extracurricular involvement, career goals and financial need.	May 1, 2009 Application available online at www.ahlef.org
AMERICAN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION Education & Scholarships 50 East Huron Street Chicago, IL 60611 Attn: Kimberly Sanders	Library science and information studies	Varies	Various scholarships. Students entering graduate school in ALA-accredited program. Only official (sealed) academic transcripts accepted. Three references must be submitted. Academic excellence, leadership and commitment to a career as a librarian are factors considered.	October-March. For more information visit www.ala.org
APS MINORITY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM American Physical Society One Physics Ellipse College Park, MD 20740	Physics	\$2,000 for first-time applicants \$3,000 for renewal students One-time renewable	Any African-American, Hispanic, or Native American U.S. citizen or permanent resident who is majoring or planning to major in physics. High school seniors, college freshmen or sophomores are eligible to apply.	Applications will be available Nov. 30, 2008 Visit www.aps.org
CHAIRSCHOLARS NATIONAL PROGRAM CHAIR SCHOLARS FOUNDATION, INC. 16101 Carencia Lane Odessa, FL 33556-3278	General	\$3,000-\$5,000 per year for each college year of study to a maximum of \$20,000 total.	Must have profound serious physical challenges and financial difficulties. Must have at least B average, significant community service. Must be younger than 21, high school senior or college freshman. Three letters of recommendation, parents' IRS Form 1040. SAT scores, and a 300- to 500-word essay required.	Feb. 28, 2009. All applications must be sent by mail. For more information visit chairscholars.org
CHEVROLET EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP	General	\$1,000	Open to African-American students graduating from high school in the fall with a minimum GPA of 3.0	Visit gm.com or call 888-377-5233
COCA-COLA SCHOLARS FOUNDATION P.O. Box 442 Atlanta, GA 30301-0442	General	National scholars: \$20,000 Regional scholars: \$10,000	Award based on character, personal merit and commitment. Merit is demonstrated through leadership in school, civic and extracurricular activities, academic achievement and motivation to serve and succeed.	October 31, 2008 Visit coca-colascholars.org
NAACP LEGAL DEFENSE AND EDUCATIONAL FUND, INC. EARL WARREN SHEARMAN & STERLING SCHOLARSHIPS 99 Hudson St., Suite 1600 New York, NY 10013	Law	\$15,000 grant includes a \$13,500 scholarship, \$1,500 allowance for attending Legal Defense Fund's Civil Rights Institute; renewable for the second and third years of law school	Applications may be submitted by students in their final year of undergraduate study who are applying to law school, and by individuals planning a career change to attend law school; must demonstrate academic achievement, career achievement, financial need	For more information call 212-965-2200 or visit: naacpldf.org

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FORD / UNCF CORPORATE SCHOLARS PROGRAM United Negro College Fund 8260 Willow Oaks Corporate Drive P.O. Box 10444 Fairfax, VA 22031-8044	Accounting, computer engineering, electrical engineering, finance, information systems, marketing, mechanical engineering, operations management	Up to \$5,000 Scholarships; mentoring from Ford employees and internships at Ford Motor Company	Must be U.S. citizens or permanent resident, college sophomore in 4-year college with a minimum 3.0. Online application must have official transcript, an essay detailing personal and professional goals, letter of recommendation from faculty member and résumé.	Visit www.uncf.org
GATES MILLENNIUM SCHOLARS PROGRAM P.O. Box 10500 Fairfax, VA 22031-8044	General	Full tuition & fees, room & board, and other college educational costs. Renewable for up to five years for the undergraduate degree and continuing Gates Scholars are eligible for graduate fellowships in selected fields.	Minority applicants need to meet federal Pell Grant eligibility, have cumulative GPA of 3.3, enter as freshman in accredited college, be U.S. citizen or legal permanent resident, and have demonstrated leadership abilities through community service or other activities.	Paper application deadline: Dec. 3, 2008 Online Application Deadline: Jan. 11 2009. Applications available online at www.gmsp.org
GENERAL MOTORS MINORITY DEALERS ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM (GMMDA)	General	Up to \$2,500	Minority students attending accredited two-to four-year college/university as full-time undergraduate student in fall of 2008; or, an entering college freshman in the spring of 2009. Cumulative GPA of 3.0 or above. U.S. citizen or eligibility to permanently work in the U.S.	Visit www.gmmda.org to find participating GMMDA member locations. Deadline and application download questions? E-mail scholarshipinfo@gmsac.com
GEORGE M. BROOKER COLLEGIATE Scholarship for Minorities Institute of Real Estate Management Foundation Attn: Brooker Scholarship/Irem Foundation 430 N. Michigan Ave. Chicago, IL 60611-4090	Real estate management and related majors	Minimum- \$1,000 Maximum- \$2,500	Undergraduate and graduate students must declare major in real estate/related fields. Undergraduate must be above junior level. Must have completed two courses in real estate or intend to complete them. At least 3.0 GPA within major. Recommendation letters, essay and official transcript required.	March 31, 2009 www.irem.org
INTERNATIONAL ORDER OF THE GOLDEN RULE AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP Education Dept. P.O. Box 28689 St. Louis, MO 63146-1189	Mortuary Science	3 awards of \$500, \$1,500 and \$2,500	Applicants must be currently enrolled in a mortuary science degree program at an accredited mortuary school. Applicants must have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher; must demonstrate financial need.	For more information call 1-800-637-8030
JACOB K. JAVITS FELLOWSHIPS PROGRAM 1990 K St., N.W. 6th Floor Washington, DC 20006	Social Sciences, Arts, Humanities	Based on available stipend; various	Must be entering grad school or graduate students who haven't completed first year and intend to pursue a doctoral or master's degree. Must be U.S. citizens or permanent resident accepted or in a grad program leading to a doctorate or master's degree in eligible field of study at school approved by Sec. of the Dept. of Education. Previous recipients are ineligible.	Contact Carmen Gordon at 202-502-7542 or visit www.ed.gov/programs/jacobjavits/applicant.html

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JACKIE ROBINSON SCHOLARSHIP Jackie Robinson Foundation Attn: Scholarship Application 75 Varick St., 2nd Floor New York, NY 10013	General	Up to \$7,500	Minority graduating high school seniors who have been accepted by a four-year, accredited college/university; academic achievement, leadership and financial need will be considered.	March 31 Application available online: jackierobinson.org
JOHN L. HENRY NATIONAL DENTAL ASSOCIATION FOUNDATION COLGATE-PALMOLIVE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM 3517 16th St., N.W. Washington, DC 20010	Dental hygienist and dental assistants	Varies	For more details visit: http://www.ndaonline.org/ndaFOUNDATION/asp	May 15, 2009
JPMORGAN CHASE/UNCF CORPORATE SCHOLARS PROGRAM United Negro College Fund 8260 Willow Oaks Corporate Drive P.O. Box 10444 Fairfax, VA 22031-8044	Accounting, business, computer information systems, computer science, economics, engineering, finance, management information systems, marketing, mathematics, operations management, software engineering	Up to \$10,000 scholarship	College sophomores with a minimum GPA of 3.2 attending a 4-year college. Rising juniors enrolled in baccalaureate degree programs gain valuable work experiences as well as financial support with JP Morgan Chase. Eligibility to receive scholarship based on successful completion of 8- to 10-week internship.	For more info visit: www.uncf.org
NAACP/LILLIAN & SAMUEL SUTTON EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP 8260 Willow Oaks Corporate Dr. Fairfax, VA 22031	Education	\$1,000 for undergrads; \$2,000 for graduate students; recipients can reapply for a second year of funding; awards are subject to availability of funds.	Applicants must be full-time students who are U.S. citizens. Undergraduate must have cumulative 2.5 GPA or a "C-plus" average; graduate students must have a cumulative 3.0 GPA or a "B" average. NAACP membership and participation is highly desirable.	April 2009 naacp.org
L'OREAL USA WOMEN IN SCIENCE FELLOWSHIP	Life and physical/materials sciences, engineering, technology (includes computer science and mathematics)	Five \$40,000 fellowship grants are awarded each year to eligible post-docs	Applicants must be women postdoctoral researchers, American-born, naturalized citizens or permanent residents. Must be affiliated with a U.S.-based academic or research institution. Applicants must conduct their postdoctoral studies and research in the U.S.	Applications are received beginning Aug. 20, 2008. Applications close Oct. 31, 2008. visit: lorealusa.com
NATIONAL ACHIEVEMENT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM 1560 Sherman Avenue Suite 200 Evanston, Illinois 60201-4897	General	Varies	Competition for high school students planning to enroll in college/university. Must take the PSAT/NMSQT before/during third year in high school. Must be a U.S. citizen, permanent resident or intend to become U.S. citizen. Enter program by marketing request for consideration on the PSAT/NMSQT answer sheet.	Visit nationalmerit.org or call: 847-866-5100

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NABA NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF BLACK ACCOUNTANTS INC. 7249 Hanover Parkway Greenbelt, MD 20770	Accounting, finance, general business	\$2,500-\$10,000	Minority undergraduates with a GPA of 2.5; Must be paid NABA members and have completed at least 12 credit hours in accounting by end of spring semester. Personal essay, academic and financial transcripts must accompany application form. Meet minimum GPA average requirement in your major	Jan. 31. Visit nabainc.org for details
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF BLACK JOURNALISTS SCHOLARSHIPS 8701 Adelphi Road Adelphi, MD 20783	Journalism (print, photography, radio and television)	\$2,500-\$10,000	Various scholarships for Black undergraduate and graduate students planning to major in journalism, and for professional journalists. Write NABJ or visit Web site for details.	Visit www.nabj.org for details.
NATIONAL BLACK MBA ASSOCIATION INC. SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMS 180 N. Michigan Ave. Suite 1400 Chicago, IL 60601	Business or management programs	Up to \$15,000	Various scholarship programs are offered for graduate and undergraduate students. Access the national Web site for program calendar, requirements, application and selection criteria.	Visit www.nbmbaa.org for details.
NBNA SCHOLARSHIP NATIONAL BLACK NURSES ASSOCIATION, INC. 8630 Fenton St. Suite 330 Silver Spring, MD 20910	Nursing candidates currently enrolled in a nursing program (B.S.N, A.D., diploma or L.P.N/L.V.N)	Several scholarships, \$500-\$2,000	Must be enrolled in nursing program and in good scholastic standing. Submit nursing school transcript, two letters of recommendation and written essay; applicants must also be members of the NBNA and a local NBNA chapter if one exists in their area.	April 15. For more information call 301-589-3200
NATIONAL FOUNDATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF THE ARTS (NFAA) 444 Brickell Ave., P-14 Miami, FL 33131	Performing arts, visual arts, photography, creative writing	Up to \$10,000 in cash; awarded annually.	Applicants must be citizens or permanent residents of the United States or its official territories. Applicants may apply in one or more categories up to nine disciplines.	Oct. 1 Material submission deadline: Nov. 5 www.youngarts.org
NATIONAL RESTAURANT ASSOCIATION EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION 175 West Jackson Blvd. Suite 1500 Chicago, IL 60604	Restaurant management, culinary arts, food service	\$2,300	Scholarships offered to graduating high school students, GED graduates and undergraduates pursuing a post-secondary degree in a food-service or restaurant-related field. The requirements and criteria vary.	E-mail scholars@nraef.org or call 800-765-2122, ext. 738. www.nraef.org
NATIONAL SOCIETY OF BLACK ENGINEERS PROGRAMS DEPARTMENT 205 Daingerfield Road Alexandria, VA 22314	Engineering and applied sciences	\$500-\$7,500	Various scholarships available. Write or e-mail National Society of Black Engineers for details. scholarships@nsbe.org	Visit www.nsbe.org

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PROCTER & GAMBLE AMERICAN COLLEGE OF PROSTHODONTISTS RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP 211 E. Chicago Ave. Suite 1000 Chicago IL, 60611	Oral health/denture prosthodontics	Grant of \$6,000	All dental students, residents, fellows and graduate students enrolled in the U.S. schools of dentistry in dental-related fields are eligible. Applications will be evaluated based on scientific merit, feasibility and significance.	Visit prosthodontics.org
RADIO AND TELEVISION NEWS DIRECTORS FOUNDATION 1600 K St., N.W. Suite 700 Washington, DC 20006	Open to all majors who intend to pursue a career in journalism	Varies	Must be a full-time college student (sophomore or higher) whose career objective is electronic journalism and have at least one full year of college remaining. Must be officially enrolled in college and be in good standing. Submit completed application, goal statement and reference letter.	Contact Stacey Staniak at 202-467-5205 or e-mail staceys@rtnda.org
THE RON BROWN SCHOLAR PROGRAM 1160 Pepsi Place Charlottesville, VA 22901	General	\$10,000 for four years for a total of \$40,000; summer internship, mentor	Black high school seniors must excel academically; show exceptional leadership potential, be involved in community services and must demonstrate financial need. Must attend a four-year accredited university and must be a U.S. citizen or have a permanent resident VISA	Jan. 9. Applications will be accepted as early as Nov 1. Write or call for details. ronbrown.org 434-964-1588
RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE CHARITIES/AFRICAN-AMERICAN FUTURE ACHIEVERS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM	General	Starts at \$1,000	Applicants must have at least one parent of African-American origin. Open to U.S. citizens or legal residents who are graduating high school and eligible to enroll in and attend an accredited institution of higher learning in the U.S.	Visit the Web site for participating markets. www.rmhc.org
SAM WALTON COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP WAL-MART FOUNDATION c/o Scholarship Program Administrators, Inc. P.O. Box 22117 Nashville, TN 37202-2117	General	\$1,000 non-renewable	Must be a high school senior planning to attend a two-year or four-year college/university. Must have a cumulative GPA of at least 2.5.	Call 866-851-3372
THE SAUL T. WILSON JR. SCHOLARSHIP USDA/Animal, Plant, Health Inspection Service Human Resources 4700 River Road, Unit 106 Riverdale, MD 20737-1230	Veterinary medicine and biomedical sciences	Up to \$5,000 for undergraduates	U.S. citizens enrolled full-time at an accredited university must have completed two years of a four-year, pre-veterinary medicine or other biomedical science program. Graduate students cannot have completed more than 18 semester hours or 27 quarter hours. Must provide résumé, essay, transcripts and three recommendation letters.	March 1

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SCHOLARSHIP AND FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM NATIONAL MEDICAL FELLOWSHIPS INC. 5 Hanover Square 10th Floor New York, NY 10004-2614	Medicine	Offers need-based scholarships ranging from \$500-\$10,000	Must be a U.S. citizen and an underrepresented minority in medicine. Underrepresented minorities are defined by the standards of the Association of American Medical Colleges (AAMC).	Contact 877-NMF-1DOC
THURGOOD MARSHALL COLLEGE FUND 80 Maiden Lane Suite 2204 New York, NY 10038	General	Up to \$2,000 per semester	Must be a U.S. citizen attending a public historically Black college/university. Must have a GPA of 3.0 or higher, an SAT of 1650 or higher and an ACT of 25 or higher. Must be recommended by high school and demonstrate financial need. Contact Thurgood Marshall Scholarship Fund Foundation for a list of participating schools.	Visit thurgoodmarshall-fund.org
THURGOOD MARSHALL SCHOLARSHIP NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF BLACKS IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE NORTH CAROLINA CENTRAL UNIVERSITY P.O. Box 19788 Durham, NC 27707	Criminal justice or closely related field	\$2,000	Students who have at least a "B" average and have been accepted or currently enrolled in a degree program in criminal justice the fall after receipt of scholarship. Must submit 1,000-word essay about reason for choosing criminal justice. Must provide a copy of high school transcript, documentation of volunteer service and college/university acceptance letter.	March 3. www.nabcj.org