NATIVE AMERICAN EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

www.poarchcreekindians.org

Click on the link for scholarships and you will find the applications for the Tuition Payment Program for Tribal Members and the Fred L. McGhee First Generation Scholarship for our First Generation descendants.

Click on the External Scholarship Link and it will take you to a page filled with scholarship, summer program s, internships, and fellowships.

Accredited Schools Online Blog

Read more at

http://indiancountrytodaymedianetw ork.com/2015/09/09/6-more-placesfind-college-scholarships-nativestudents-161591

BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

List of Native American Scholarships http://www.bie.edu/ParentsStuidents/Grants/

Scholarship Opportunities for American Indian Students

INDIAN COUNTRY TODAY MEDIA

http://indiancountrytodaymedianet work.com/scholarships

FAFSA

Free Application Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) Financial aid such as the

federal Pell grant, other grants, or scholarships can cover your other college costs for room and board, travel and your other expenses not covered by the tuition payment program. The FAFSA application is found at www.fafsa.ed.gov.

FREE ONLINE COLLEGE CLASSES

Two new organizations (EdX.org and Coursera.org) are offering free online courses this year. Thousands of students are signing up for the courses either to update their skills are to prepare themselves for taking the course for college credit. The University of Washington and University of Helsinki are planning to offer college credit courses through Coursera courses. You should take a look at the courses each organization is offering.

EdX is now offering courses geared toward high school students. The online classes will cover computer science, calculus, geometry, algebra, English, physics, biology, chemistry, Spanish, French, history, statistics, and psychology. These are free online classes for high school students. The courses are being offered to help students prepare for college studies. A few high schools are participating in a pilot program to provide the

students will high school credit for passing the virtual classes.

Free Tutorial Help for Elementary, Middle School, High School and College Students and anyone that wants to improve or learn a new subject.

Khan Academy
Khan Academy offers free tutorial
help for most subjects. The web site
is www.khanacademy

Khan Academy College Admissions and Financial Aid Videos to help students and parents prepare for college.

https://www.linkedin.com/redirect? url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww%2Ekhana cademy%2Eorg%2Fcollegeadmissions&urlhash=qtm& t=tracking anet

POARCH CREEK BAND OF INDIANS EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

Tribal Tuition Payment Program

The purpose of the Poarch Creek Education Tuition Fund is to provide all Tribal members with an opportunity to increase the chances of employment and/or increase their salary.

Each Tribal member is allotted \$100,000 to assist with the costs of tuition, books, mandatory fees, and dormitory fees associated with obtaining your degree.

Alternative educational options are available students aged 10-18 for private schools. degree.

Special Needs Funding is provided for students with special needs up to \$1,200.00 a year. The funds can be used up to the age of 21.

Funds are provided for students who attend Public High Schools for the Gifted.

Tribal members may choose to use

the \$100,000 allotted funds for their Post-Secondary education or repay college loans. The application is available at www.poarrchcreekindians.org, click on the Scholarship link on the main web page and it will take you to the Poarch Creek Education Department's page where the applications links are

If you need to provide documentation of Tribal membership, contact Tribal Benefits at (251) 368-9136, ext. 2281 or ext. 2209

located.

If the student has completed his/her degree and still has funds remaining in their allotment, they may continue their work toward a higher degree, or use the remaining funds to repay their college loans.

Contact Ms. Shelia Fisher at (251) 368-9136, ext. 2241, email sfisher@pcinsn.gov or by fax (251) 368-0809.

Middle and High School Alternative Programs

Funds remaining in the completion of the senior year of high school can be utilized for post-secondary education at any college or vocational school, so long as the institution is state accredited. Although funds are set aside for educational enrichment of the eligible Tribal member, in no way are such funds the property of the Tribal member. Not permitted under this program are fees associated with public school or the home schooling of children of any age.

No more than \$3,000.00 per year is allotted for the alternative education program (private schools). The funds are distributed to the school at the rate of \$250.00 per month. Again, the governing educational body of the state in which the particular school is located must accredit the school. The

applications are available online at www.poarchcreekindians.org, click on the Tuition Assistance link. Applications are available up request. You can contact Ms. Shelia Stallworth at (251) 368-9136, ext. 2241, or via email at sfisher@poarchcreekindians-nsn.gov or by fax (251) 368-0809.

College Loan Repayment Program

The funding that was set aside for College Tuition Payment can be used to repay college loans up to \$30,000. The applicant must have completed their degree program in order to apply for the Loan Repayment program. Tribal students can request that the unused portion of their Tuition Payments funds be applied to their College Loans. The application for the Loan Repayment program is available for downloading at www.poarchcreekindians.org.

Poarch Creek Fred L. McGhee First Generation Descent Scholarship

The application is available to any Poarch Creek First Generation person that is pursuing a college degree or vocational training. The application period for the scholarship has no deadline. The applications must be complete. The application can be found at

http://www.poarchcreekindians.org/westminster/education.html#scholars

hips. Contact person for this application is Mrs. Meagan Weaver, First Generation Scholarship Coordinator at 251-368-9136, ext. 2242 or mjohnson@pci-nsn.gov.

College Tuition Waivers for Native American Students

Twenty-four states have enacted laws providing for scholarships, tuition waivers, or grant programs for Native Americans.

Most of the states require that students be residents of the state prior to enrolling in a state college/university and/or be a member of a tribe from that state (i.e. Alaska, Arizona, California, Florida, Idaho, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Maryland, Minnesota, Michigan, Montana, Nebraska, New Mexico, New York, Oklahoma, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Washington, and Wisconsin). Students should check with the colleges they are interested to see if Native American scholarships or tuition waivers are offered.

The following colleges offer tuition waiver programs to Native American students from any state:

Colorado

Fort Lewis College at Durango -

Student must be 1/4 Native American OR enrolled in a federally recognized tribe OR a direct decedent of a tribal member who lived on a reservation prior to June 1, 1934.

www.fortlewis.edu/current students/
financial aid/nat amer.asp

Minnesota

U of MN, Morris -Student must be enrolled in a federally recognized tribe OR a parent OR grandparent must be enrolled.

www.morris.umn.edu/financialaid/aip .html

North Dakota Dickinson State University

-Student must be a member of an underrepresented group OR economically disadvantaged OR transferring from a ND Tribal College. Native American students must be tribally enrolled.

www.dsu.nodak.edu/pdf/applications/cultural%20diversity.pdf

University of ND, Grand Forks

Student must be a member of an underrepresented group OR economically disadvantaged OR transferring from a ND Tribal College. Native American students must be tribally enrolled.

http://www.und.nodak.edu/dept/fina id/Cultural Diversity Tuition Waiver FY10.html

Williston State College

Student must be a member of an underrepresented group OR economically disadvantaged OR transferring from a ND Tribal College. Native American students must be tribally enrolled.

www.wsc.nodak.edu/index.asp

Free Tutorial Programs

KhanAcademy.org and YouTube.com are programs that offer free help with assignments and classwork. You will find tutors for all fields of study available. If Khan Academy does not currently have the tutorial you need, you will probably find it on You Tube. Several different instructor choices for you topic are usually available, which gives you a chance to find someone who explains the topic in a way that you best understand. http://khanacademy.org

GCFlearnfree

http://www.gcflearnfree.org/

Free tutorial programs provided by the Goodwill Industries. You can learn how to use Microsoft Office programs, learn how to use your iPod and I pad.

AAA Scholarship Foundation

The scholarship is for eligible students from eligible Alabama house households to attend private school for grades k-12. The scholarship is awarded on a "First Complete, First Award" basis. The application and details are found at http://www.aaascholarships.org/

American Association on Health and Disability (AAHD) Scholarship Program 2016-2017

The AAHD Scholarship Program supports students with disabilities pursuing higher education. Applicants who have health disabilities /disabled may apply. Preference is given to students who plan to pursue undergraduate/graduate studies in the field of public health, health promotion, disability studies, and disability policy and disability research. November 15, 2016

- Applicant must be enrolled as a full time in an undergraduate school or be enrolled part time or full time in a graduate school, and have a documented disability and can provide documentation of their disability.
- High School graduate
- Applicant must be a US citizen or legal resident living in the US

and enrolled in an accredited United States university.

Additional requirements 6and application information is found at http://www.aahd.us/initiatives/scholarship-program/

THE LAW OFFICES OF JSN ANNUAL DYSLEXIA SCHOLARSHIP

Two awards are given annually, each for \$1000, for utition assistance at an educational institution. The applicant must be diagnosed with Dyslexia and be able to provide proof. The application deadline is November 4, 2016. The application is found at http://www.jnphoneisfamilylawyer.c om/dyslexia-scholarships/.

AMAZON.COM

Amazon Prime Student Program you are required to register a debit or credit card for your purchases. You must have an .edu email address to be eligible for the free two-day shipping for textbooks. Destini Bethea gave us the information for the program.

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR STUDENT WITH LEARNING DISABILITIES

RISE SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION

Must be a current high school, college bound senior, who has submitted applications to and is planning on attending an accredited college or university.

- Must be a U.S. Citizen.
- Must have an overall grade point average (GPA) of 2.5 or higher on a 4-point scale (or equivalent).
- Must have a documented learning disability, a diagnosis of ADHD or ADD alone does not qualify.
- Must provide a letter of reference from a teacher, high school counselor, or principal of present high school on the enclosed form. The recipient must provide Rise Scholarship Foundation, Inc.
- Proof of registration to accepted college or university for the scholarship to be issued the fall semester of the same year that the award is presented.

Additional information and the application is found at http://risescholarshipfoundation.org/rise-award/. The application deadline is February 15 of each year.

MICHAEL YASICK ADHD SCHOLARSHIP

Shire sponsors the scholarship program. The deadline for applications is March 9,

2016. The scholarship program is for legal residents of the United States diagnosed with Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) and are accepted to or enrolled in a 2- or 4-year undergraduate program at an accredited college, university, trade school, technical school, or vocational school located in the US for the academic year 2016-2017. Scholarship details are found at http://www.shireadhdscholarship.com/U S/default.aspx.

SHIRE ADHD SCHOLARSHIP

The scholarship is for students who are under the care of a licensed Health Care professional for ADHD. An accredited college or technical program of study must accept the applicant as a student. The 2016 dead line was in March. The website is http://www.shireadhdscholarship.co m/US/default.

NATIONAL RESTRURANT ASSOCIATION EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION SCHOLRSHIPS

The applications period are now available and have a June 7, 2016 deadline. The list of scholarships and their deadlines is found at https://nraef.awardspring.com/Home/Scholarships.

BILL & MELINDA GATES FOUNDATION GATES MILLENNIUM

SCHOLARS PROGRAM FOR LOW-INCOME STUDENTS OF COLOR

The High School Counselors can nominate © Students who are graduating from High School and are African American, American Indian/Alaska Native, Asian Pacific Islander American or Hispanic American, a citizen/legal permanent resident or national of the United States, and have attained a cumulative GPA of 3.3 on a 4.00 scale for the Gates Millennium Scholars Program. The student must be entering an accredited college or university as full-time degree seeking freshman in the fall of 2015. The student must have demonstrated leadership abilities through participation in community service, extracurricular or other activities, and meet the federal Pell Grant eligibility criteria. The deadline for submission of nomination materials is January 15, 2017 11:59 p.m. (EST.). You can download a PowerPoint presentation that will help you complete the application at www.gmsp.org.

COCA-COLA SCHOLARSHIPS FOUNDATION

Seniors at high scholars throughout the United States who meet the eligibility requirements may apply for one of 250 four-year merit-based scholarships. Coca Cola also offers internships and additional scholarships.

It will reopen in August 2016 and will accept applications from those students graduating from high school in 2017. See their website to see when the new application opens. Check out their web site at http://www.coca-colascholars.org for additional information

COLLEGE JUMPSTART SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The College JumpStart Scholarship is is open to 10th-12th graders, college students and non-traditional students. Applicants must be committed to going to school and can express their goals for getting a higher education. The first place prize is a \$1,000 scholarship to help cover educational expenses. The award can be used at any college or university in the United States. The deadline for the competition is April 15, 2015. http://www.jumpstartscholarship.net/application-us. The fall application is October 17, 2016.the spring application is April 17, 2017.

ELKS CLUB SCHOLARSHIP

Contact your local Elks Club for an application. You do not have to be related to a member of the club. The 2017 application will close December 2, 2016. Watch for the 2016

application.

www.elks.org/enf/scholarsh/mvs.cfm

EMERGENCY NURSES ASSOCIATION FOUNDATION ENA FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS

There are various undergraduate and graduate scholarships for nursing students who have been ENA members for at least one year. Also offers specialized undergraduate scholarships open to nonmembers.

Contact: Ellen Siciliano Phone: (847) 460-4112

Email: Foundation@ena.org

http://www.ena.org/foundation/gran

ts/Pages/Scholarships.aspx Amount: \$2,000 to \$10,000, depending on the scholarship

FORD MOTOR COMPANY TRIBAL SCHOLARS PROGRAM

Ford Motor Company Fund established the Ford Motor Company Blue Oval Scholars Program for Native American students attending tribal colleges and mainstream universities. The scholarship is available to Native students at a tribal college pursuing a degree in math, science, engineering, business, teacher training, or environmental science. Native mainstream university students are eligible if they are studying accounting, computer science, engineering, finance, marketing, or

operations management. All applicants must have a 3.0 grade point average.

Applications for the 2015/16 academic year will be accepted January 1 - May 31, 2015. www.collgefund.org

GENERAL MUSIC SCHOLARSHIPS

http://www.musicscholarships.us/ge neral-music-scholarships.html

HARVARD COLLEGE LOW INCOME **TUITION PROGRAM FOR FAMILIES** WITH INCOMES BELOW \$180,000.00

Families with incomes of \$60,000.00 or less will not be asked to contribute funds to their children's education. The Poarch Creek Tribal scholarship should cover any funds the student is asked to contribute.

Beginning with the - school years the families with incomes of \$180,000 will be asked to contribute a lesser amount than in the past and the family's home equity will not be considered as part of the family income. Additional details are available at

http://www.fao.fas.harvard.edu/.

INTERTRIBAL TIMBER COUNCIL TRUMAN D. PICARD SCHOLARSHIP **PROGRAM**

The scholarship deadline will be in January 2017. Awards are for graduating senior high students, seeking a degree in the Natural Resources and current college students who are seeking a degree in Natural Resources. You can download an application at http://www.itcnet.org/about us/scho larships.html. I

JACKIE ROBINSON FOUNDATION **SCHOLARSHIP AWARD**

The student must be a minority US citizen and a high school senior that has been accepted to a four year accredited college. Students should have a 900 or above SAT score and show leadership potential and have financial need. The award amount is \$6000.00 and the deadline to apply is in February 15, 2017. The application should be open in November 2016. http://www.jackierobinson.org.

KFC Colonel's Scholars Program

Kentucky Fried Chicken Foundation offers a college scholarship program giving an opportunity for graduating high school seniors who are interested in pursuing their college education.

\$5,000 per year is awarded to the selected recipient. The scholarship offers funding for tuition, room and board, fees and books. The recipient is eligible to receive \$20,000 to complete his/her bachelor's degree program.

Eligibility Requirements:

- 1. Applicants must be a US citizen or a permanent resident by law.
- 2. Graduating high school seniors with a GPA of 2.75 are eligible to apply for the scholarship.
- 3. Applicants must be interested in pursuing their bachelor's degree at an accredited institution in the state in which the applicant resides.
- 4. Applicants must demonstrate their financial need.

Application Process:

On the first day of December, the application form will be available online. In the middle of February month, the application process closes and the semifinalists will be selected among the submitted applications.

- In the month of March, the semifinalists will be asked to provide further documentation.
- An independent selection committee selects the KFC Colonel's Scholars and the selected scholars will be notified in the month of May.

Contact Information: Click on the link http://www.kfcscholars.org/, to apply for the scholarship.

MORGAN TRIBAL SCHOLARS SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Requirement:

- Have at least a 3.0 grade point average;
- Have an interest in a career in business and the financial services industry;

- Have demonstrated leadership, service and commitment to the American Indian community;
- Are American Indian, Alaska Native or Hawaii Native with proof of enrollment or discordancy.

Fields of Study:\

- Business
- Finance/banking
- Information systems
- Marketing
- Accounting

The web site for the application is found at www.amigcs.org. The deadline is May 31, 2016 and the award amount is \$5000.00.

NATIONAL EAGLE SCOUT SCHOLARSHIPS

Open to all eagle scouts who are currently registered in an active unit and who have not reached their 19th birthday during the year of application. The applications will be available on line November at http://www.nesa.org/recipients09.html

NATIONAL SOCIETY OF COLONIAL DAMES OF AMERICA

Center for Student Opportunity Scholarship. Each applicant receives \$1,000 per semester to use for tuition, books or for pees applicable to the student's approved program or study. Student must be ¼ American Indian, enrolled in a tribe, and if not enrolled, must prove direct tribal ancestry. Applicants must be pursuing a degree in the field of health care and health education. Fall term applications must be submitted by June 1st and spring applications must be submitted by December 1st. The application is found at https://www.nscda.org/site3/ps/indiannurse/IndianNurseScholarship.pdf.

NATIONAL RESTAURANT ASSOCIATION EDUCATION FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

The Scholarship is for high school seniors who have demonstrated a commitment to both a post-secondary foodservice education and a career in the restaurant and foodservice industry. The deadline for the scholarship is June 7, 2016. The award amount is \$2000. You may apply online or download an application at http://www.nraef.org/NRAEF-Scholarships

INTERNATIONAL ORDER OF THE KINGS'S DAUGHTERS AND SONS NORTH AMERICAN INDIAN SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM TYPE OF AID Scholarships are awarded for vocational, technical and college training and undergraduate degrees only. Active in community/school involvement and maintain a GPA of 3.0 or above. A student must personally request information concerning requirements and application forms. The request must be submitted through postal mail and include a stamped, self-addressed, legal-sized envelope for the director's reply. The deadline for application requests is March 1st. Requests must be sent to:

IOKDS

North American Indian Department Director

P. O. Box 1040

Chautauqua, NY, 14722-1040

The applications are available

November 1 and March 1. All
applications must be postmarked no
later than April 1, 2017.
http://iokds.org/scholarship2.html

ACCENTURE AMERICAN INDIAN SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Accenture is seeking to award scholarships to the very brightest American Indian and Alaska Natives incoming freshman and undergraduate students. They are looking for students who demonstrate good character, personal merit and are committed to the

American Indian community locally and /or nationally.

Eligibility Requirements:

② Be an enrolled member of a U.S. federally recognized American Indian tribe or Alaska Native group;

Be seeking a degree and career in fields of study including: various engineering, computer science, operations management;, finance, marketing and other business fields;

② Be entering a U. S. accredited college or university as a full-time, degree seeking college undergraduate freshmen;

② Demonstrate character, personal merit and commitment to the American Indian Community locally and/or nationally. Merit is demonstrated through leadership in school, civic and extracurricular activities, academic achievement, and motivation to serve and succeed. The application deadline is May 5, 2016 and is found at http://www.aigcs.org.scholarships/under graduate-scholarships/.

AMERICAN SOCIETY OF RADIOLOGICAL FOUNDATION (ASRT)

Students enrolled in an entry-level radiologic science program can apply for the Current Entry-Level Scholarship. The applications will be available November 1, 2016. The web site is

http://foundation.asrt.org/what-we-do/scholarships

AES ENGINEERING SERVICES SCHOLARSHIP

The scholarship award is based on character, as determined by evaluating the essays that are submitted. The scholarship is for all fields of study to help the future leaders of our country. It is available to high school seniors and all other students who are attending a postsecondary educational facility. Applicants must write a 1000 word essay in answer to the following question: What are your dreams for your future? When you look back on your life in thirty years, what would it take for you to consider your life successful? The deadline is October 6, 2016. Look for this scholarship next summer. The web site for additional info is http://aesengineers.com/scholarships

http://aesengineers.com/scholarships .htm

AMERICAN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMS

ALA has general scholarships that are open to all applicants who have applied for admission to a formal program of library and information studies leading to a master's degree. The application is available online at http://www.ala.org/educationcareers/scholarships and the deadline is March 1, 2015.

ACCENTURE AMERICAN INDIAN SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The Accenture scholarships program is seeking American Indian and Alaska Native students who are seeking higher education at U.S. accredited universities or colleges. The scholarship fund will select high achieving, degree seeking American Indian students entering their first year of an undergraduate or graduate level at a U.S. accredited college or university. the application can be found at http://www.aigcs.org. Accenture Fellows awards are designed for eligible undergraduate students seeking graduate study as an accredited university or college. The applications for the Accenture Fellows awards are due May 1, 2016.

ADHA INSTITUTE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The organization sponsors several scholarships for dental hygienist. The 2015 application became available in October and the deadline for the application is February 1, 2015.

ADHA INSTITUTE FOR ORAL HEALTH PART-TIME SCHOLARSHIP

The scholarship provides financial assistance to part-time dental hygiene students by offering Part-Time Scholarships valued at \$1,000. Students must be enrolled on a part-

time basis to qualify for the award, and must be carrying a cumulative grade point average of 3.5 or higher. Students must also fill out a FAFSA to demonstrate a financial need of \$1,500 or greater, and be attending school in the United States. Lastly, prospective applicants must be a member of either the ADHA or the Student ADHA in order to be eligible for these scholarships. The annual deadline for application is February 1, 2015. The application will be available on line by October 1, 2014. Interested students should visit the ADHA website for more information at http://www.adha.org/ioh/programs/s cholarships.htm

ALABAMA INTERTRIBAL COUNCIL

The Alabama Intertribal Council provides Work/Experience Training, Class Room Training assistance to federally recognize Tribal members and state recognized tribal members that live in Alabama with college expenses. The eligibility requirements for their program are listed on their web site at http://www.itcala.org/.

This program may have funds to assist first generation tribal descendants with the last two years of their bachelor's degree program. The contact information for the Inter-Tribal Council of Alabama office is

334-290-2900 or 1-888-400-3533 or itcala@vahoo.com Deadline:

Unspecified Amount: \$1,000

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN FELLOWSHIP

- American Fellowships
 Who may apply Women pursuing
 full-time study to complete
 dissertations, conducting
 postdoctoral research full time,
 or preparing research for
 publication for eight consecutive
 weeks. Funding: \$6,000-\$30,000
 Deadline: November 15
- Career Development Grants
 Who may apply: Women
 pursuing a certificate or degree
 to advance their careers, change
 careers, or reenter the workforce
 and whose bachelor's degree was
 received at least five years before
 the award period
 Funding: \$2,000-\$12,000
 Deadline: December 15.
 http://www.aauw.org

ALABAMA COMMISSION ON INDIAN AFFAIRS

The application deadline is April 30, 2016. The application is available at the Programs link at http://aiac.alabama.gov.

ALABAMA MEDICAL EDUCATION CONSORTIUM

The Consortium provides strong mentoring service for Alabama residents that are interested in becoming a doctor. The AMEC focuses on primary care, which includes family practice, pediatrics, obstetrics and internal medicine. The program begins with the first year (freshman) and continues through with the student until they obtain their medical degree. Students may apply to the program in their first year of college. The student's clinical training takes place in Alabama. Additional information and the application are available at http://www.amec.uwa.edu. or by telephone Ruth Harrell at (251) 947-6288.

ALABAMA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS CREEK INDIAN SCHOLARSHIPS

The Alabama Federation of Women's Clubs has established an undergraduate (\$400) and a graduate (Sue and Virginia Hester Special Education Scholarship, \$1000) Creek Indian Scholarship for young women who live in Alabama and attend college in Alabama. The applicant for the Creek Scholarships can be either a Poarch Creek Tribal member or a Poarch Creek Tribal descendant. The applicant is asked to write on her application that she is applying for the

Creek Indian Scholarship. The applicant should provide proof of the Tribal heritage, either by including a copy of their enrollment card or by providing a notarized letter of Tribal Enrollment or Tribal Descent from Tribal Benefits.

The graduate scholarship is being offered to a woman who is pursuing her master's degree in special education. You can request a scholarship application from either scholarship from the Poarch Creek Education Department or contact Mrs. Loretta Clayton, 1102 Martha Allen Drive, Saraland, AL 36571. There is no deadline for the scholarship application; however, the early applicant may be the one to receive the funds.

Demonstrate academic performance and/or financial need.

ALICE L. HALTOM EDUCATION FUND

The fund was created for students who are actively pursuing and education for a career in information and records management. The maximum award for students in an associate degree program is \$1000. The maximum award for a student in a bachelor's or advanced degree program is \$2,000. The application is available at http://www.alhef.org/. The deadline is May 1st of each year.

AMAZON STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP

Eligible students must plan to attend an accredited not-for-profit U.S. college or university on a full-time basis. An essay will be required as part of the application process. Fifty students will be selected to receive scholarships plus an Amazon.com gift card to use to help pay for books. The deadline for this scholarship is usually in NOVEMBER of each year, and the award amount is usually \$5,500.For more details, visit www.amazon.com/scholarship

ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA EDUCATIONAL ADVANCEMENT FOUNDATION GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS FOR MERIT AND FINANCIAL NEED

5656 South Island Avenue Chicago, IL 60637

Deadline: The deadline was April 15, 2016..

http://www.akaeaf.org/undergraduat e scholarships.htm

AMERICAN ASSEMBLY FOR MEN IN NURSING (AAMN) FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS

The program \provides scholarships for male students of all races and ethnicities who are seeking a pre-RN licensure or graduate degree in nursing. Applicants must be currently enrolled in an accredited educational institution. Also offers a \$500 essay contest scholarship open to both male

and female pre-licensure nursing students. The scholarship programs open in April and close in July 1 of each year.

Contact: Patti Phillips

Phone: (518) 782-9400, ext. 346

Email: aamn@aamn.org

Web site:

http://aamn.org/scholarships.shtml

AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP

The society sponsors scholarships for students who plan or who are pursuing a degree in biochemistry, chemistry, chemical engineering, a chemical related field or chemical technology. The application is available on-line at http://portal.acs.org/portal/acs/corg/content? nfpb=true& pageLabel=PP TRANSITIONMAIN&node id=1234&us e sec=false&sec url var=region. The applications will be available November 1, 2016 until the deadline March 1, 2017. The scholarship is renewable.

AMERICAN INDIAN EDUCATION FOUNDATION

www.aiefprograms.org The application deadline is April 4, 2016. The application is available online for downloading now. American Indian Education Foundation supports educational opportunities for

American Indian and Alaska Native students. Tribal and Indian Descent students may apply. The freshman award for high school seniors is \$2000. The under graduate scholarship for students who are entering, continuing or returning to college are awarded \$2000.00.

AMERICAN INDIAN COLLEGE FUND

The American Indian College Fund awards scholarships to Native American Tribal members and Tribal descendants that attend Tribal and non-Tribal colleges and universities.

Applications will be available January 1-May 31, 2015. Undergraduate and graduate scholarships are available for students attending Tribal Colleges or non-Tribal colleges and universities. Additional information is found at http://www.collegefund.org/students and alumni/content/scholarships.

GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS ADMINISTERED BY THE AMERICAN INDIAN COLLEGE FUND

Seven Stars Graduate
 Scholarship: \$2,000

Requirements: Demonstrated academic achievement with a 3.0 or higher G.P.A.; American Indian or Alaskan Native with proof of enrollment or Indian descent. Pursuing an advanced degree (

MA, MS, J.D., Ph.D., M.D., other); and Preference given to tribal college students, alumni, staff, or faculty.

Sovereign Nations Scholarship Fund: \$2,000

Requirements: Demonstrated academic achievement with a 3.0 or higher G.P.A.; American Indian or Alaskan Native with proof of enrollment or Indian descent; Pursuing an advanced degree (MA, MS, J.D., Ph.D., M.D., other); and Commitment to working for tribe or an Indian organization upon completion of degree.

 VINE DELORIA JR. MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP: \$1,000
 Requirements: American Indian or Alaskan Native with proof of enrollment or descent

 AIST Foundation Scholarships

AMERICAN INDIAN SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING SOCIETY

(http://www.aises.org)The AISES Program provides a number of summer programs for high school students, undergraduate and graduate scholarships and a resume service for its members.

Students are encouraged to join the American Indian Science and Engineering Society. The membership fee is \$10 and the membership application is available on their website. Each student is assigned an Indian name and a password for his or her membership.

AMERICAN DENTAL EDUCATION ASSOCIATION

The dental hygienist scholarships and fellowship applications are available at

http://aesengineers.com/scholarships.htm. The application period is open and taking applications until February 24, 2016.

AMERICAN DENTAL HYGIENISTS ASSOCIATION

www.adha.org Scholarships are awarded to members of minority groups in underrepresented in dental hygiene programs. The applications become available October 1, and the deadline is February 1, 2017. http://www.ada.org/ada/adaf/grants/scholarships.asp

AMERICAN INDIAN GRADUATE CENTER

(http://www.aigcs.org) — Check all their links. They have a link for the Gates Millennium Scholarship, and links to other Native American.

Scholarship programs the deadlines vary. June 1, 2016 is the deadline for many of the applications.

AMERICAN INDIAN HERITAGE SCHOLARSHIP

Miss Indian USA Scholarship Program

6051 Arlington Blvd.

Falls Church, VA 22044-2788 Phone #: (202) 463-4267

Fax: (703) 532-1921

http://www.indians.org/aihf-programs.html

INDIAN SERVICES SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility qualifications are the student is enrolled in a university, college, junior college or technical school, is ¼ Northern-Native American Blood, is an undergraduate with no more than 150 semester credits or 210-quarter credits, is a full-time or part-time student, and has a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.25. The application is on-line at https://secure.mytechsupport.com/~ais/students_application.htmlScholars hip deadlines are February, May, August, and November.

NATIONAL CENTER FOR AMERICAN INDIAN ENTERPRISES DEVELOPMENT

- Must be majoring in a business related field
- Must be a junior, senior or graduate student

- Must be enrolled as a full-time student
- Must be enrolled at an accredited post-secondary institution of higher education
- If selected, candidate must be able to attend the NCAIED Scholarship Awards Luncheon (Expenses including lodging, ground transportation, and airfare within the US will be provided by NCAIED)
- Completed Application
- Official State or Federal Tribal enrollment document
- Personal Essay on the following (250 min-350 max words per category):
- Personal challenges you overcame in pursuit of higher education
- Community involvement
- Reason for pursuing higher education in business
- Business Related Experience (Paid or Volunteer)
- Plans following completion of degree program
- Activities and commitment to community to be considered
- Official Transcripts (sealed and signed)
- Official Letter of Admission/Enrollment for 2014-2015 academic year
- Copy of class schedule for Fall semester

The application for 2016-2017 should be available soon at http://ncaied.org/

AMERICAN MEDICAL TECHNOLOGISTS SCHOLARSHIP

The scholarship is for American Medial Technologist to study for a career in one of the disciplines certified by the American Medical Technologist (AMT) Certification Program. The deadline for the application is April 1, 2017. The application is available at http://www.americanmedtech.org/Schools/ScholarshipsAwards.aspx.

AMVETS NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS

Contact: Beryl Love, 4647 Forbes Blvd., Lanham, MD 20706, (877) 726-8387, Fax: (301) 459-7924, www.amvets.org, e-mail: amvets@amvets.org
The program is available to High school graduates who are grandchildren, sons, or daughters of American living or deceased veterans and are U.S. citizens.
Deadline deadline.is April 2017...
http://www.amvets.org/programs/scholarships/

AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS SCHOLARSHIP OR MINORITIES

1211 Avenue of the Americas
New York, NY 10036-8775
This scholarship program provides
awards of up to \$5,000 to outstanding
minority students to encourage their
selection of accounting as a major and
their ultimate entry into the profession.
Since 1969, this program has awarded
over \$14.6 million in scholarships.
April 1, 2017 is the deadline.
http://www.aicpa.org/InterestAreas/Acc

ountingEducation/Resources/Scholarship s/Pages/default.aspx

Additional accounting scholarship Programs that you can apply for are:

- AICPA/Accountemps Student Scholarship
- AICPA John L. Carey Scholarship
- AICPA Scholarship for Minority Accounting Students
- <u>AICPA Foundation Two-year</u> Transfer Scholarship

https://www.thiswaytocpa.com/educatio
n/scholarship-search/

AMERICAN SOCIETY OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS

Eligibility requirements: Applicants must be ASME student members in good standing at the time of application, enrolled in an ABET accredited, or substantially equivalent, mechanical engineering baccalaureate program in the US, and North American residents and U.S. Citizens. There is a \$25 membership fee. The ASME Online Scholarship

http://www.asme.org/Education/College/FinancialAid/Scholarships.cfm
The application closes March 1, 2017.

APPLEGATE JACKSON PARKS FUTURE TEACHER SCHOLARSHIP

Applicants must be graduate or undergraduate students majoring in education in institutions of higher learning in the United States. The scholarship award amount is \$1000. The

online application is located at http://www.nilrr.org/node/51.

Applications are taken from October 1 until December 31 2017.

ARTHUR C. PARKER SCHOLARSHIP FOR ARCHAEOLOGY

They sponsor a undergraduate scholarship (\$5000), research scholarship (\$5000) and graduate scholarship (10,000). The undergraduate and graduate scholarship can be used for tuition, travel, food, housing, books, supplies, equipment, and child care (up to \$5,000).

http://www.saa.org/AbouttheSociety/Awards/SAANativeAmericanScholarships/tabid/163/Default.aspx. The deadline for applications is December 15, 2016.

ARTS COMPETITION SCHOLARSHIPS

Competition held annually and 125scholarships are awarded each year. The award amounts vary from \$100-\$10,000.00. The application deadline is October 17, 2016. Visual, literary, design or performing artist between the ages of 15-18 are eligible to apply for the scholarships.

Contact Information: National YoungArts Foundation 2100 Biscayne Boulevard Miami, FL 33137 (800) 970-ARTS(2787) apply@youngarts.org http://www.youngarts.org/

ASSOCIATION ON AMERICAN INDIAN AFFAIRS INCORPORATION

966 Hungerford Drive, Suite 12-B

Rockville, MD 20850 Phone: (240) 314-7155 Fax: (240) 314-7159

E-mail: lw.aaia@verizon.net
Web site: www.indian-affairs.org

Amount: \$1,500

in February 2015.

Criteria: applicants must be American Indian and Alaska Native full-time graduate students. Disbursement is made per semester with the second disbursement requiring grades from the previous semester. Students are eligible to apply each year. The new scholarship descriptions and deadlines will be posted

BARRY GOLDWATER SCHOLARSHIP IN EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION

The program awards over 300 scholarships to sophomores and juniors who plan to become scientists, mathematicians, and engineers.

Applicants must be nominated by his or her college or university using the official online nomination process on the Foundation's website.

http://www.act.org/goldwater/apply/index.html. The award amount is \$7,500.

January 2017 is the deadline for the application. Check back in October 2015 for the new application.

BROWN AND CALDWELL MINORITY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

This is an engineering scholarship program for minority students. The deadline for applications is May 13, 2016. Applicants must be in their junior or senior year or graduate program and

must be enrolled full time to apply for the scholarship. The fields of study covered or Civil, Chemical, or environmental engineering or one of the environmental science fields of study. The website for additional information and the application is www.brownandcaldwell.com

BROWN & CALDWELL WOMEN IN LEADERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP

At Brown and Caldwell, we value equality in the workplace, supporting the great work of organizations like the Society of Women Engineers. We also offer a \$5,000 Women in Leadership Scholarship to support female students that are interested in pursuing a career in the environmental profession.

Criteria

- A United States citizen or permanent resident.
- A full-time student enrolled in his/her Junior, Senior year or graduate program at an accredited college/university.
- Declared major in civil, chemical or environmental engineering or one of the environmental sciences (e.g. geology, hydrogeology, ecology).
- Cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher on a 4.0 scale (or equivalent on a 5.0 scale).
- Identify as a woman who demonstrates leadership within the community.

Required Documents

- 1. All candidates must submit with a completed application:
- 2. A resume.
- 3. An essay of 250 words minimum, "Tell us about a personal experience that influenced your decision to focus on environmental studies."
- Two written recommendations, with at least one from a university official (e.g. advisor, professor).
- 5. An official transcript of your academic record.

The deadline is May 13th Winners will be notified by mid-June

Email: scholarships@brwncald.com

Brown and Caldwell Attn: HR/Scholarships Program 1527 Cole Boulevard, Suite 300 Lakewood, CO 80401

BUICK ACHIEVERS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The applicants must be high school seniors or graduates or be current undergraduate students. They should be planning to enroll or be enrolled in an accredited U.S. four-year college for the entire school year studying Engineering/Technology or Design, and Business-related programs. Other fields of study that qualify for the scholarship can be found at www.buickachievers.com. The applicant

must be interested working in a career with the automotive or a related industry.

The award amounts vary from \$2000 up to \$25,000 and they are renewable. Additional information is found at http://www/buickachievers.com. The application must be submitted electronically between January 9 and February 27, 2017.

BUREAU OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS

The Bureau of Health Nursing Scholarship Program assists with tuition costs, required fees, other reasonable costs, books, clinical supplies, laboratory expenses, and a monthly stipend. See the link to additional education resources. Check with your financial aid office to see when the application will be available. Check to see if you school participates in the Disadvantage Students Scholarship program http://bhpr.hrsa.gov/scholarshipsloans/in dex.html.

CAMPUSRN SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The scholarship is awarded to a student of each of the six regions of the CampusRN network. The award amount is \$2500 for a needy and deserving nursing student. The scholarship is an online application found at http://www.campusrn.com/register/scholarship.asp. They are taking applications now.

CATCHING THE DREAM, INCORPORATION

http://www.catchingthedream.org. The scholarship program has undergraduate and graduate scholarships. They provide a mentoring service for college students. If you need help writing the essay for their scholarship, they will guide you. Email: Mscholarsh@aol.com. The applications can be downloaded from their web site. The deadlines for their applications are: March 15th......Summer School April 15th......Fall Semester or Quarter September 15th...Spring Semester or Quarter

CI CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP

Membership in the engineering society is free for students. Applicants must be freshmen, sophomore, or juniors studying construction engineering or construction management. The application deadline was April 1, 2016. Check for the new application in January 2017. Additional information is found at http://www.asce.org/scholarships/.

CRACK THE DATA PRE-DENTAL SCHOLARSHIP

Pre-dental students enrolled full-time, at least a junior in college or have graduated from college. and seeking a dentistry career are encouraged to apply. The scholarships are awarded based on merit, community service, and financial need. The application requirements are found http://www.crackdat.com/scholarship/. The deadline is September 30, 2016.

COLLEGE JUMPSTART SCHOLARSHIP

The eligibility requirements are:

- Be a high school 10th-12th grader, college student or nontraditional student
- Be U.S. citizen or legal resident
- Attend or plan to attend an accredited 2-year, 4-yar or vocational/trade school in the U.S.
- Be committed to using education to better their life and that of your family and/ or community.

The College JumpStart Scholarship competition is held every year, the deadline is October 17, and April 15 of each year. The scholarship award amount is \$1000. The website for the application is http://www.jumpstart-scholarship.net/

CONTINENTAL SOCIETY DAUGHTERS OF INDIAN WARS SCHOLARSHIP OF ALABAMA FOR NATIVE AMERICANS

The scholarship becomes available in April and the deadline is in June. The award amount is \$5000. Additional information and the application are found at

http://www.csdiw.org/scholarships.html.
Each state has their own contact person and that list is found at http://www.csdiw.org/stateprovincial-societies.html.Deadlines June 15 of each year

DAVIDSON FELLOW SCHOLARSHIPS

Any young person under the age of 18 who has completed an important piece

of work in the fields of mathematics, Science, Technology, Music, Literature, philosophy or in other areas my apply to the program.

The selected applicants can receive scholarships for \$50,000, \$25,000, and \$10,000 to be used for their tuition and expenses at an accredited institution of learning. The applications become available each November at http://www.davidsongifted.org/fellows/Article/Davidson Fellows Download Applications 361.aspx. The deadline is February 2017.

ESA FOUNDATION COMPUTER & VIDEO GAME SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The scholarship foundation was established to help women and minorities who are training for careers in Computer and Video Game Arts. The applicant must be enrolled in an accredited program of study and be attending full-time. The scholarship award amount is \$3000.00 and up to 30 scholarships will be awarded. The International Scholarship and Tuition Services, Inc. are administering the scholarship program. The application is available February 1 to April 1, 2017. Go to

http://www.esafoundation.org/scholarship.asp.

ELIZABETH AND SHERMAN ACHE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The Association on American Indian Affairs offers Elizabeth and Sherman Asche Scholarships for \$3,000 each to graduate and undergraduate students pursuing a Major in Public Health. Disbursement is made for \$1,500 per semester, with subsequent disbursements requiring a copy of the first semesters' grades and a second semester class schedule. This scholarship does not automatically renew. Students are eligible to apply on a yearly basis. http://www.indian-affairs.org. The 2017 applications are available in the spring. The deadline is June 1, 2017.

ANNIE'S ENVIRONMENTAL SCHOLARSHIP AND INTERNSHIP Porgrams

Annie's scholarship program assists undergraduate and graduate students pursuing studies in sustainable and organic agriculture. They accept applications from November 2 – January 5 each year.

Annie's provides a paid, full-time undergraduate summer internship program for students to get valuable onthe-job exposure to the business of good. Past internships have included positions in Sales, Marketing, Finance, Operations, Product Innovation, and Sustainability. Apply in November for the 2017 internship program.

http://www.annies.com/careers/interns hip-program/.

FLORIDA'S AND GEORGIA'S WORK FORCE INVESTMENT ACT PROGRAM (WIA)

Florida Governor's Council on Indian Affairs, Inc. 1341 Cross Creek Circle Tallahassee, Florida 32301 (850) 488-0730 (850) 487-1472http://www.fgcia.org. The program assists with tuition and other services. Student must be a resident of Florida or Georgia. The program will assist Indian Descendants through the second generation. They will assist students for training at educational institutions in Florida and Georgia. You must be prepared with documentation to show your Indian heritage. Contact the Poarch Creek Tribal Enrollment Office if you are of Poarch Creek Indian heritage.

The FGCIA sponsors two summer programs for Native American teens. The program is available to all Native American students across the nation. The application is due June 10, 2017.

FRANCES ALLEN FELLOWSHIPS HISTORY OF THE AMERICAN INDIAN

Newberry Library
60 W. Walton Chicago, IL 60610
Phone: (312) 255-3564
The program provides long term and short term fellowships. The web site is www.newberry.org/research/felshp/special.html. The long-term deadline is December 1, 2017 and the short-term fellowship deadline is April 2017.

HOTELCHEAP SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Applicants must be students enrolled in a two year, four year, or a graduate program to apply. The general scholarship for \$1,500.00 is awarded each fall and spring semester. The fall deadline is October 15, 2016 and the

spring deadline is April 15, 2017.

Students can apply online at http://www.hotelscheap.org/scholarship.

CONSUELO W. GOSNELL MEMORIAL MSW SCHOLARSHIP

The Consuelo W. Gosnell Memorial Scholarships are awarded to master's degree candidates in social work who have demonstrated a commitment to working with, or who have a special affinity with, American Indian/Alaska Native and Hispanic/Latino populations. Candidates who have demonstrated a commitment to working with public or voluntary nonprofit agencies or with local grassroots groups in the United States are also eligible. http://naswfoundation.org/fellowships.as

The deadline is March 21, 2016.

GLOBAL AUTOMOTIVE AFTERMARKET

Students who receive a GAAS scholarship and begin a career as an automotive aftermarket technician are eligible for a matching grant. They must graduate from their education program and complete six months of employment in the automotive aftermarket as a technician. Eligible students should contact Jobie Dowd to arrange their matching grant upon completion of these requirements. This grant is made directly to the student. The application is available on line at http://www.automotivescholarships.com/. New applications will be available starting September 1, 2016.

GOOGLE LIME 2015 SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES.

The 2014 Google Lime Scholarships will be awarded based on the strength of the applicant's academic background and demonstrated passion for computer Science. \$10,000.00 will be awarded for those studying in the US. The disability does not have to be visible. Applications will be available in fall 2016. Additional details are available at http://www.limeconnect.com/opportunities/page/google-lime-scholarship-program

HENRY RODRIGUEZ RECLAMATION SCHOLARSHIP

U.S. Department of Interior Bureau of Reclamation and American Indian Science and Engineering Society Heather Landreth, Program Officer P.O. Box 9828 Albuquerque, NM 87119-98http://www.limeconnect.com/opportu nities/page/google-lime-scholarshipprogram28

Phone: (505) 765-1052, ext. 105

Fax: (505) 765-5608

E-mail: heather@aises.org
Web site: www.aises.org

Amount: \$5,000 per academic year. Criteria: Member of AISES; U.S. citizen or permanent resident, enrolled as a fulltime undergraduate student at an accredited college or university seeking a bachelor's degree in engineering or science, relating to water resources or an environmentally-related field; minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA. The deadline is in June.

HORIZONS SCHOLARSHIP

The scholarship program was created for Women who work or plan to work in Defense or National Security. The applicants must be employed or planning careers in defense or national security and be full-time or part-time students. The scholarship is to be used for students who are at least junior level (60) credit and can be used for graduate study The scholarship focuses on selected fields such as cyber security, government relations, engineering, computer science, physics, mathematics, business, law, international relations, political science, military history, and economics. The application deadline is July 15, 2016. http://wid.ndia.org/horizon/Pages/defaul t.aspx

HYATT HOTELS FUND FOR MINORITY LODGING MANAGEMENT STUDENTS

The Hyatt Hotels Native American scholarships were started in 1988 to help minority students pursue a hotel management degree. In order to be eligible for the award, students must be enrolled for at least 12 credit hours for the coming fall and spring semesters, be majoring in hospitality management, be at least a sophomore in a bachelor's or higher program, be a citizen or permanent resident of the U.S. and be either African-American, Hispanic, Asian

or Pacific Islander, or American Indian or Alaskan Native. Applications for 2017 scholarships will be accepted from January 1 through May 1, 2017. https://www.ahlef.org/Scholarships/Acad emic/AH_LEF_Self-Nominated_Scholarships/

INDIAN HEALTH SERVICE SCHOLARSHIPS

http://www.ihs.gov. Two-year programs, undergraduate, and graduate programs are available. The program pays for full-time and half time students. A Loan Repayment program is also available to assist students who graduate and work for an Indian Health facility. You can obtain an application by going to http://www.ihs.gov/JobsCareerDevelop/DHPS/Scholarships/ and applying online. The application is due March 28, 2017. http://www.ihs.gov/scholarship/apply_n ow.cfm

INTERNATIONAL ORDER OF THE KING'S DAUGHTERS AND SONS INDIAN SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

NORTH AMERICAN INDIAN DEPARTMENT

For further information contact:

Director

North American Indian Department P. O. Box 1040

Chautauqua, NY, 14722-1040
Requests for applications must include a stamped, self-addressed legal size envelope. April 1st. is the deadline. The award amount is \$650. There is no restriction as to Tribal affiliation or Indian blood quantum. You do have to have a Tribal registration number. Please send a stamped, self-addressed legal sized

envelope with your request for an application. Applications will be available after September 2013. For http://www.iokds.org/ Deadline is April 1, 2017.

INTERTRIBAL TIMBER COUNCIL TRUMAN D. PICARD SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Selected graduating senior high students seeking a degree in the Natural Resources receive \$1500 and selected current college students who are seeking a degree in Natural Resources receive \$2000. January 11, 2017 deadline. http://www.itcnet.org/picard.html

JACK KENT COOKE FOUNDATION UNDER UNDER-GRADUATE AND GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS PROGRAM

The Foundation has undergraduate scholarships for juniors and seniors who complete two years at a community college before transferring to a four-year college or university. The foundation also has graduate scholarships. Applicants should contact their Faculty Representative at their college for additional information for applying for the scholarship. The application periods end in December. E-mail: jck@act.org Tel: (800) 498-6478 http://www.jkcf.org/scholarship-programs/undergraduate-transfer/

JEANETTE RANKIN WOMEN'S EDUCATION FUND

The Jeannette Rankin Foundation awards scholarships annually to women 35 years of age and older who through undergraduate or vocational education

are seeking to benefit themselves, their families, and their communities. The application deadline was March 18. Check by in January for the 2017 application.

http://www.rankinfoundation.org/

JIMMY RANE FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

The scholarship foundation was established to award scholarships for college or vocational institutions to students who live in the South, who without financial assistance would not be able to attend college. The scholarships vary in amount based on assessed need and are renewable for four years if all the requirements are met . The application is available on line beginning December 1, 2017. http://www.jimmyranefoundation.org/scho larships.

KELLY SERVICES FUTURE ENGINEERS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

One winner of a \$5000 scholarship to be used for tuition, fees, books, and room and board for the 2015 calendar year. Applicants must be full time students and be accepted into their School of Engineering. The scholarship is not awarded to a freshman undergraduate student or a 4th year student that is about to graduate on or before June of the year of the award. The deadline for the application will be October 14, 2016. The web site for additional information and the application is http://www.kellyservices.us/US/Careers/Kelly-Engineering-Resources/Future-

Engineers-Scholarship-Program/?vm=r#.Ur2OcLeA3cs

MINORITY ENTREPRENEURS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The scholarship program was formed to help minority students who are enrolled in business, franchising, and/or entrepreneurial studies. Five \$3000 scholarships awards are awarded annually. College students must be enrolled in an accredited college or university. Adult entrepreneurs who are pursuing executive education must have at least five years of business ownership or managerial experience, as well as excellent credentials, including employment experience. Applicants must be a U.S. citizen and member of a minority group. The deadline for the application is June 15, 2016. http://www.up.edu/showimage/show.as

http://www.up.edu/showimage/show.as px?file=19876.

MINORITY NURSE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The applicants must be

- A minority pursuing a degree in Nursing
- Be enrolled in either the third or fourth year of an accredited BSN program in the US or an Accelerated program leading to a BSN degree, or an accelerated master's entry program in nursing for students who already have a bachelor's degree in nursing. The scholarship is not

- available to students who have a graduate degree.
- Have a 3.0 GPA or better on a 4.0 scale.
- Be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident.

June 1, 2016 is the deadline.

http://www.minoritynurse.com/scholars hip/minority-nurse-magazinescholarship-program

MINORITIES IN GOVERNMENT FINANCE SCHOLARSHIP

Scholarship Committee Government Finance Officers Association 203 N. LaSalle St. Suite 2700 Chicago, IL 60601-1210

Cnicago, IL 60601-1210 (312) 977-9700

Fax: (312) 977-4806

https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/minorities-in-government-finance-scholarship

The program is open to upper-division and graduate students who are enrolled full-time and preparing for a career in public finance. Applicants must be members of a minority group, citizens or permanent residents of the United States or Canada, and able to provide a letter of intent from the dean of their school. Selection is based on career plans, academic record, plan of study, letters of recommendation, and grade point average. Financial need is not considered. The award amount is a \$5000 stipend. The deadline for the application is in April 2017.

MORGAN STANLEY/AMERICAN INDIAN COLLEGE FUND SCHOLARSHIP & CARVER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

American Indian College Fund Scholarship and Career Development Program

8333 Greenwood Blvd.

Denver, CO 80221 Phone: (800)776-3863

The application deadline is May 31, 2017.

The web site:

http://www.collegefund.org.

Amount: \$10,000 annually

Criteria: American Indian or Alaska Native with proof of a full time in a bachelor's degree program at an accredited mainstream non-tribal college or university in the United States demonstrates exceptional academic achievement (3.0-4.0GPA); demonstrates leadership service and commitment to the American Indian community. Applications are available now.

NASP-ERT MINORITY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

for Graduate Training in School
Psychology
The National Association of School
Psychologist Scholarship program was
established to help minority students

with the high cost of graduate study. To be considered for this scholarship, the candidate must:

- A full-time or part-time minority student
- A United States citizen
- An enrolled or accepted for enrollment in a NASP-approved

and/or regionally accredited school psychology program in the United States, with the aim of becoming a practicing School Psychologist

- Good academic standing
- A minimum cumulative overall GPA of 3.0
- A member of NASP at the time of designation as a scholarship recipient.

Check in January 2017 for the application. http://apps.nasponline.org/membershipand-

community/grants/MSP_APP/index.aspx

NATIONAL SOCIETY OF PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS EDUCATION FOUNDATION

The foundation is restructuring their scholarship program and will not award scholarships for 2016. They ask that students check their web site in late 2016 for the 2017 application.

http://www.nspe.org/resources/students/scholarships

FOUNDATION OF THE NATIONAL STUDENT NURSES' ASSOCIATION, INCORPORATED

The- application is found at http://www.forevernursing.org/. The 2017-2018 scholarship application is available from September 2016 until January 2017.

NATIONAL FFA SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

National Future Farmers of America Scholarship Office

National FFA Center P.O. Box 68960 6060 FFA Drive Indianapolis, IN 46268-0960

- . Requirements:
 - Must be an FFA member
 - Must be a high school senior at the time of application
 - Out of school FFA member preparing to enroll in their first year of education beyond high school.

February 1, is the deadline for applications.
https://www.ffa.org/scholarships

NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE CORPS (NHSC) SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Dental students may compete for NHSC scholarships beginning in their sophomore and junior years. The program offers payment of tuition and fees, books, supplies, and equipment and includes a monthly stipend. In exchange, recipients must agree to provide oral health services for a minimum of two years in any underserved community identified by the NHSC as being a critical need area.

http://www.nhsc.hrsa.gov/scholarships
The 2017 application will become
available Spring 2017.

http://nhsc.hrsa.gov/scholarships/index.

NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The NIH UGSP will pay up to \$20,000 per academic year in tuition, educational expenses, and reasonable living expenses to scholarship recipients. Scholarships are awarded for 1 year, and can be renewed up to 4 years. Applications will be available online in mid-December. See their website for eligibility requirements. The application will be available January 2017.

https://www.training.nih.gov/programs/ugsp

NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

The society sponsors several history, nursing, medical scholarships and a Native American scholarship. You can find information about the various scholarships at www.dar.org. Follow the education link to their scholarship listing and scholarship deadlines. Deadlines vary according to the application type. The Frances Crawford Marvin American Indian Scholarship application deadline is Feb 1 of each year. The Native American Scholarship award amount is for \$500. The deadlines for the application February 15, 2017.

NATIVE VISION SCHOLARSHIP

Every year, Native Vision accepts applications for two \$4,000 scholarships that can be used for college expenses. Any American Indian high school senior who has been accepted to college may apply. The applications will be available in March and the Deadline will be the

first week of May 2017. Check their website for further details or call (410) 955-6931. http://www.nativevision.org

NAVAL HELICOPTER ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Priority is given for military affiliation; it could be either prior service or a relative who has served any military branch. This scholarship is open to current high school and college students. For more information and an application, please visit their website at http://nhascholarshipfund.org/scholarships.html.The application deadline is January 31, 2017.

PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK EDUCATION FOUNDATION FOR LOW-INCOME WOMEN AND CHILDREN

The program provides five scholarship awards of \$5000 for women with low income. The 2016 deadline is August 1, 2016.

http://www.patsyminkfoundation.org/

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PHI DELTA KAPPA SCHOLARSHIPS FOR PROSPECTIVE EDUCATORS

Phi Delta Kappa International P.O. box 789 Bloomingdale, IN 47402-0789 (812) 329-1156

April 1, 2017 is the deadline for the scholarships.

http://pdkintl.org/programsresources/scholarshipsawards/prospective-educatorscholarships/ Purpose: To provide financial assistance to minority students who are interested in becoming teachers.

Eligibility: Eligible to apply is minority high school students who are interested in attending college and preparing for a teaching career. Applicants must submit a 750-word essay on how educators can encourage tolerance for people who think, dress, and act differently.

Financial data: Stipends range from

\$1000 to \$2000 Duration: 1 year

Number awarded: At least four of the scholarships awarded each year are set aside specifically for minority recipients Deadline: January of each year.

SMART SCHOLARSHIP FOR SERVICE PROGRAM

The Science, Mathematics and Research for Transformation (SMART) Scholarship for Service Program was established by the Department of Defense (DOD) to support undergraduate and graduate students pursuing degrees in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) disciplines. The purpose of the program aims is to increase the number of civilian scientists and engineers working at DOD laboratories.

The selected applicants receive: Cash award paid at a rate of \$25,000 -\$41,000 per year depending on prior educational experience

- Full tuition and related education expenses
- Health Insurance
- Book allowance

- Summer Internships (multi-year participants)
- Post-Graduation Career Opportunities

For more information, or to apply, see http://www.asee.org/fellowships/smart/Application deadline is December. The 2017 application will open August 1, 2017.

SUNTRUST OFF TO COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP SWEEPSTAKES

High school seniors planning to attend college or current college students continuing their studies in the fall of 2017 are eligible to enter the sweepstakes. A winner will be chosen every two weeks from September 12through October 28, 2017 for the first drawing. There is no fee to enter the sweepstakes. The award is made payable to the winner's college of admittance. The website to enter the sweepstakes is https://suntrusteducation.com/ScholarshipSweepstakes/index.html.

THE ANNE FORD SCHOLARSHIP

The scholarship was established to assist students with a documented identified learning disability. The scholarship covers all fields of study. The web site for downloading the application is http://www.ncld.org. The deadline is December 31 of each year.

THE HARRY S. TRUMAN SCHOLARSHIP

Truman Scholarship Foundation 712 Jackson Place, NW Washington, DC 20006 http://www.truman.gov/executive-secretary/ Purpose: The Harry S. Truman Scholarship foundation (the federal memorial to our thirty-third President) awards 75-80 merit based scholarships to college students who plan to pursue careers in government or elsewhere in public service and wish to attend graduate or professional school to help prepare for their careers. Truman Scholars participate in leadership development programs and have special opportunities for internships and employment with the federal government.

Eligibility: Applicant must be:

- 1. A full-time junior level student at a four-year institution pursuing a bachelor's degree during the academic year.
- 2. Committed to a career in public service as defined above.
- 3. In the upper quarter of his or her class, and
- 4. A United States citizen or a United States national from American Samoa or the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands. Resident aliens are not eligible.

Applicants should have extensive records of public and community service and outstanding leadership potential and communication skills. 15-20 scholarships per semester available.

The Truman Faculty Representative at your school must nominate applicants.

Award: Scholars receive \$3,000 for the senior year of undergraduate education, and \$27,000 for graduate studies. Scholars in master's degree programs planning to receive degrees in one to two years are eligible to receive \$13,500 per year. Scholars in law programs are eligible to receive \$13,500 for the second year of law school and the same amount at the start of the third year's second semester if they provide evidence that they will enter public service upon graduation or upon completion of any judicial clerkship after graduation. Scholars in graduate programs requiring three or more years of academic study are eligible to receive \$9,000 per year for a maximum of three years.

The deadline for applications is February 3, 2017. Regional selection panels interview finalists in late February and March and select Truman Scholars largely

• Leadership potential and communication skills

based on:

• Intellectual strength and analytical ability

THE MAUREEN L. & HOWARD N. BLITMAN, P.E., SCHOLARSHIP TO PROMOTE DIVERSITY IN ENGINEERING

The Maureen L. and Howard N. Blitman, P.E., Scholarship to Promote Diversity in Engineering is awarded annually to a high school senior from an ethnic minority who has been accepted into an ABET-accredited engineering program at a four-year college or university. The scholarship is awarded in two

disbursements of \$2,500 each at the

beginning of the fall and spring semesters of the freshman year. Eligibility Requirements Applicant must be a high school senior who:

- is a member of an underrepresented ethnic minority in the field of engineering: African-American, Hispanic, or Native American,
- has been accepted into an ABETaccredited engineering program at a four-year college or university, and
- is a U.S. citizen.

They are currently updating their scholarship program and are advising applicants to check their web site late 2016 for the applications for 2017. The application and additional information is found at

http://www.nspe.org/Students/Scholarships/blitman.html

THE PAUL H. ROBBINS, P.E., HONORARY SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded annually to a current engineering undergraduate student entering the junior year in an ABET-accredited engineering program. The scholarship is awarded in one disbursement of \$10,000 at the beginning of the junior year. All eligible applicants must be NSPE Members/Student Members who are enrolled in a four-year ABET-accredited engineering program, entering the junior year of the program, and U.S. citizens.

They are updating their applications and the new applications for 2017 will be available in late 2016. Start checking in October.

http://www.nspe.org/Students/Scholarships/robbins.html

THE NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE COLONIAL DAMES OF AMERICA

American Indian Nurse Scholarship Program

Mrs. Thomas B. Van Antwerp, Consultant and Contact Person 7752-A Patrick Landing Rd

Bay Minette, AL 36507

Ph. 251-580-8073 Fax: 251-580-8011

Email: gypsie@vanantwerponline.com
Average award: \$1500 per semester, to
be used for academic purposes only
Majors/Fields of Study: nursing or any
related field of health care or health
education at college or post-graduate
level; associate degree program
acceptable

Eligibility: must be 1/4 American Indian, male or female

Applications are due June 1st for Fall and December 1 for Spring semester.

http://nscda.org/wpcontent/uploads/2015/08/Indian_Nurse _Application_2014.pdf

THE NATIONAL MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The National Multiple Sclerosis Society Scholarship Program is open to high school seniors graduating in spring who have MS or have a parent with MS, high school graduates or GED students who have MS or have a parent with MS and who will attend a college for the first time in fall. Applicants must be United States citizens or legal residents who plan to enroll in an undergraduate course of study at an accredited two-or four-year college, university, or vocationaltechnical school located in the United States. Applicants must be enrolled at least six credit hours per semester in coursework leading to a degree, license, or certificate. Enrollment for the 2017 scholarship program is open between October 1, 2016 and January 15, 2017, and applicants will receive notice in late April 2017. The National Multiple Sclerosis Society Website is http://www.nationalmssociety.org/Resou rces-Support/Insurance-and-Financial-Information/Financial-Resources/Scholarship-Program/Scholarship-Program-Information.

THE UCB FAMILY EPILEPSY SCHOLARSHIP

The awards are based on academic and personal achievement. The (25) \$5000 and scholarships will be award to people living with epilepsy. The online application can be found at http://ucbepilepsyscholarship.com/. Check back in the spring for the new scholarship application. Start checking in January.

TYLENOL FUTURE CARE® SCHOLARSHIP

The makers of the Tylenol family of products have established a scholarship program that offers scholarships for health related fields. The award amounts

have been from \$1,000 to \$10,000. The deadline for application is April 30. Watch their website for details.

USRA SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Applicant must be a full-time undergraduate student at a university which offers classes leading to a degree in physical science or engineering (aerospace engineering, astronomy, bio-physics, chemistry, chemical engineering, computer science, electrical engineering, geophysics, geology, mathematics, mechanical engineering, physics, and science education). Student must have completed at least 2 years of college by the award is received and have a GPA of 3.5. Students will be matched to the scholarship most appropriate for their area of study. Applications for Fall 2016 Scholarship Awards will be accepted during Summer 2016. Online applications must be complete by August 12, 2016.

http://www.usra.edu/about/outreach/sc holarship/

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

In exchange for at least two years' service at a health care facility with a critical shortage of nurses, the Nursing Scholarship Program pays tuition, required fees and other reasonable costs, including required books, clinical supplies, laboratory expenses, etc. You will need to apply at your school's Nursing or Financial Aid Office for the

scholarship. Additional guidelines are found at http://www.hrsa.gov/loanscholarships/scholarships/disadvantaged.html

UNITED SOUTH EASTERN TRIBES, INC.

USET sponsors competitive \$500 scholarships to students whose tribes are members of USET. The deadline for applications is April 30, 2017. http://www.usetinc.org/

WELLS FARGO VETERANS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Opening January 2017
Despite federal education benefits for veterans, unmet financial need often delays or derails academic progress. The Wells Fargo Veterans Scholarships will help fill financial aid gaps for veterans and the spouses of disabled veterans, after military benefits and other grants and scholarships have been utilized.

To apply, you must be an honorably discharged veteran of the United States military, or the spouse of a disabled veteran, and you must be a high school or GED graduate. The program will award renewable scholarships of up to \$10,000 per year, determined by financial need and consideration of academic performance, work experience, leadership, community service and challenges to completing a postsecondary program. The scholarships are renewable, and each year's awards will increase by \$1,000 to encourage program completion. Visit

<u>www.scholarsapply.org/wellsfargovetera</u> ns for more information.

WELLS FARGO VETERANS EMERGENCY GRANTS

OPENING DATE TBD

For college students, an unexpected financial setback can be a major disruption on the path to a degree. The Wells Fargo Veterans Emergency Grants are designed to help U.S. military veterans who are enrolled in postsecondary education meet their household expenses, ensuring that they are able to stay in school without creating undue financial hardship for themselves or their families.

The Wells Fargo Veterans Emergency Grant Program makes immediate grants available to eligible veterans who are pursuing a postsecondary degree, and who experience unexpected financial difficulties that might cause them to drop out of school. One-time grants up to \$1,000 are awarded on an ongoing basis while funds are available; grant amounts will be determined based on the cost of the emergency need. To learn more, visit www.scholarsapply.org/wellsfargovetera nsemergency.

WALTER J. TRAVIS GOLF SCHOLARSHIP

The scholarship is awarded to applicants that are pursuing a career in golf course architecture, golf course turf grass management, professional golf, or golf management. The award amount is

\$1000 and the deadline is June 1, 2017. http://travissociety.com/collegescholarship/

WORLDSTUDIO AIGA SCHOLARSHIPS

The scholarship program assists students form minority and economically disadvantaged backgrounds to achieve their dreams of developing their artistic talent. The scholarship awards are granted primarily based on the quality of work submitted in their portfolio, although financial need and previous academic achievement also are considered. Students may apply in one of six categories: advertising art direction, fine arts, graphic design, illustration, interactive design, photography, and awards are not renewable. The scholarship application for 2017 will be available February 18, 2017. The deadline is in April 2017. http://scholarships.worldstudioinc.com/.

http://scholarships.worlustudionic.com/

WHIRLY –GIRLS SCHOLARSHIP FUND, INC.

There are several types of scholarships available. The application deadline is June 30, 2016. There is fee for applying for the scholarships.

http://www.whirlygirls.org/wg-scholarships

WOMEN IN BUSINESS SCHOLARSHIPS

The scholarship is available to women pursuing an undergraduate business degree. Eligible candidates must be entering the third or fourth year of their undergraduate degree program and have an outstanding GPA in their first two-

three years of college. The award amount is \$5000. The application deadline is in April. The applicant must be sponsored by a Zonta Club. The web page has a search program to help you locate a Zonta Club near you. Zonta Club members are executives and businesspersons who sponsor education, leadership programs, Youth Development, and programs to prevent violence against women. Their web site is http://www.zonta.org. The application deadline is July 1, 2016.

WOMEN IN AVAITION ENGINEERING **SCHOLARSHIPS**

Applicants must be a member of Women in Aviation International by November 2, 2017, and may apply for no more than two scholarships.

https://www.wai.org/education/guidelines. cfm.

THE AMELIA EARHART FELLOWSHIPS

are awarded annually to women pursuing a Ph.D./doctoral degree in aerospacerelated sciences or aerospace-related engineering. The Fellowship of US \$10,000 may be used at any university or college offering accredited post-graduate courses and degrees. Students must be registered in a full-time Ph.D./doctoral program when funds are received in September and will not graduate before April 2015. Current fellows may apply to renew the Fellowship for a second year and will undergo the same application and evaluation procedures as first-time applicants.

http://www.zonta.org.November 15, 2016 is the deadline.

XEROX TECHNICAL MINORITY **SCHOLARSHIP**

The Xerox Technical Minority Scholarship provides funding to minority students enrolled in one of the technical sciences or engineering disciplines. You must be a full-time student enrolled in a four-year institution, have a B average or better, will receive a BS, MS, or PhD in a technical science or an engineering discipline, be a minority, have expenses not covered by scholarships and grants. The application deadline is September 30, **2016.**

XEROX CO-OP POSITIONS AND **INTERNSHIPS**

Co-op (paid position) Co-op work blocks consist of 12 to 24 weeks and are available throughout the year. To be eligible, you must be enrolled in school as a full-time student, and you must have obtained your University's approval of your block-out time for the co-op. As part of the offer process, a Co-op must submit a Co-op enrollment verification letter or semester class schedule on the school's letterhead. Internships are also available athttp://www.xerox.com/jobs/internship

/enus.html.

CONSORTIUM FOR GRADUATE STUDY IN MANAGEMENT http://www.cgsm.org/. Their application allows you to apply to

six graduate schools. The program awards merit based full tuition fellowships to minority students pursuing graduate study in management. Early application deadline is October 15, 2016.

THE PHD PROJECT http://www.phdproject.org/ LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAMS

INDIAN HEALTH SERVICE LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM

The Indian Health Service is soliciting applications for the repayment of health professions education loans. IHS will make awards to persons for the repayment of health professions educational loans in return for full-time clinical employment) in Indian Health programs. The current rate of loan repayment is a maximum of \$20,000 per year of service plus Indian In addition the Indian Health Service will provide up to 20 to 39 percent of the participant's total loan repayments to the Internal Revenue Service for the increased tax liability. Additional information can be obtained from

http://www.ihs.gov/careeropps/loanrepa yment/.

IHS Loan Repayment Program

801 Thompson Avenue, Suite 120 Rockville, Maryland 20852 (301)443-3396.

PERKINS LOAN FORGIVENESS PROGRAM

The Loan Forgiveness program was recently extended to include school librarians, pre-kindergarten teachers, childcare workers, full-time faculty at tribal colleges or universities, and speech and language therapists. Details are available at

http://www.perkinsloan.net/perkins-loan-forgiveness/.

NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE CORPS (NHSC)

http://nhsc.hrsa.gov/loanrepayment/ Physicians and other health care providers are assigned to serve in communities with shortages of Health Professionals. 1-800-221-9393 Scholarships are awarded for the flowing areas of study:

- allopathic and osteopathic physicians
- dentists
- certified nurse-midwives
- certified family nurse practitioners
- physicians Assistants

Tuition, fees, other reasonable educational costs, and a monthly support stipend are provided to the selected applicants. After the students complete their degree programs, they are then expected to pay back by working one year for each year of funding provided by NHSC. The NHSC will help place you in a position. Your pay back is working in a position that they place you; you keep your salary.

Health Professions Student Assistance Programs (US Dept. Of Health & Human Services) The program has scholarships and loan programs. The BHPRH scholarships are to help students study the following fields of study. The 2017 applications will start winter 2017.

Medicine. osteopathic medicine dentistry optometry pharmacy podiatric medicine veterinary medicine nursing (associate, diploma, baccalaureate and graduate degree) public health chiropractic allied health (baccalaureate or graduate degree programs of dental hygiene, medical laboratory technology, occupational therapy, physical therapy, radiologic technology, speech pathology, audiology, and registered dietitians) graduate programs in behavioral and mental health practice (includes clinical psychology, clinical social work, professional counseling, or marriage and family therapy) programs providing training of physician assistants

THE BHPR LOAN PROGRAMS

The program covers the following programs of study: allopathic medicine osteopathic medicine dentistry optometry pharmacy podiatric medicine

Veterinary medicine.

Go to

http://nhsc.hrsa.gov/loanrepayment/ to find additional information on these programs.

STUDENT LOAN DEFERMENT AND CANCELLATION FOR TEACHERS

This is for teachers willing to teach in low-income or subject matter shortage areas. It may be possible for you to cancel or defer your student loans. You may qualify for as much as a 3-year deferment or 100% cancellation depending on the type of loan.

http://studentaid.ed.gov/PORTALSWebA pp/students/english/teachercancel.jsp?ta b=repaying

VETERANS' EDUCATION BENEFITS FOR STATES IN THE EAST AND SOUTH

http://www.military.com/education/mon ey-for-school/state-veteran-benefitssouth-east.html

TEST PREP SITES

- http://www.studyguidezone.com/
- www.petersons.com/testprepcha nnel/act_free.asp? sponsor=1
- http://www.4tests.com/exams/e xamdetail.asp?eid=13
- http://www.number2.com/
- Free SAT, ACT, and GRE Test Prep
 http://www.princetonreview.co
 m/default.aspx?uidbadge=%07

 KHAN ACADEMY http://www.khanacademy.org

FREE SCHOLARSHIP SEARCH SITES

- Alabama College Scholarships
 https://www.mycollegeoptions.o
 rg/AL/0/Alabama/search-results-scholarship-search-by-location.aspx
- AspiringDocs.org
 Advice and guidance for minority students who are interested in a medical career is provided at http://aspiringdocsdiaries.org/
- College Data 411

The program helps you to search for colleges and universities http://www.collegedata.com/cs/search/college/college_search_t mpl.jhtml

College Data's, "Stay Afloat
Financially at College" The
Article "Stay Afloat Financially at
College" helps new college
students budget their personal
spending funds while attending
college. The article is available at
https://www.collegedata.com/cs/content/content_magarticle_tm
pl.jhtml?articleId=10112

College Xpress
 http://www.CollegeXpress.com

Students can register to win a \$10,000 scholarship, or search for colleges, scholarships, and career information.

Fastweb

http://www.fastweb.com This site will send you email messages about new scholarship announcements and will send you a reminder that a deadline is approaching. Be sure to read their "Hints and Advice" pages.

- Fast Aid
 http://www.fastaid.com
- Finaid
 http://www.finaid.org It
 provides information on
 scholarships, grants, and loans.
- Financialaid.com
 http://financialaid.com/sse/login.cfm
 Free scholarship ship search engine, with advice for applying for scholarships, information about loans, and info on colleges.
- http://www.collegescholarships.com/free_scholarship_searches.htm. This web site has over 50 free scholarship search sites.
- G I Bill

www.military.com/benefits/gibil

- International Scholarships http://www.internationalscholars hips.com
- NextStepu
 Scholarship search site and articles
 http://www.nextstepu.com/
- Military.Com
 Scholarship search for the
 military.
 http://benefits.military.com/educ
 ation/scholarship/ScholarshipSea
 rch.jsp
- http://www.petersons.com
 Peterson's offers test preparation
 practice for most test programs.
 They have a scholarship search
 and assist with writing essays and
 resumes. Not all programs are
 free.

Petersons

- Sallie Mae Scholarship Search http://go.salliemae.com/scholars hip/
- The Scholarship-Page http://www.scholarship-page.com/
- Students.Gov
 http://studentaid.ed.gov/redirect
 s/students-gov

Wells Fargo College STEPS® Program

High School students can enroll in the program to get information on scholarships, financial aid, testing information, tips, and advice of college preparation. You can sign up for their program and participate in their sweepstakes for a \$1000 scholarship. http://www.college-financial-aid-advice.com/wells-fargo-scholarship.html

FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION

- American Education Services
 http://www.educationplanner.co
 m
- American Indian Graduate Center http://www.aigc.com/
- Students.Gov http://www.students.gov
- Supercollege.Com
 http://www.supercollege.com
 Free scholarship database and they provide scholarships for \$1,500 each year. Deadline is July 31 of each year.

The Native American scholarship programs that award scholarships to Tribal members and Tribal descendants

that will start taking applications in January 2016 are:

- 1. Alabama Indian Affairs Commission --Check you state to see what Native American Education programs are offered. http://aiac.state.al.us/
- 2. The American Indian College Fund http://www.collegefund.org/scholarships
- 3. The American Indian Education Foundation Scholarship http://www.nrcprograms.org/site/PageS erver?pagename=aief_index
- 4. American Indian Graduate Center http://www.aigcs.org
- 5. American Indian Science and Engineering Society will start taking applications January 8, 2016. http://www.aises.org
- 6. Association of American Indians—— will start taking applications in March. http://www.indian-affairs.org
- 7. Bureau of Indian Education-http://www.bie.edu/ParentsStudents/Gr ants/
- 8. Daughters of the American Revolution http://www.dar.org/
- 9. Florida Governors Council on IndianAffairs—serves both Florida and GeorgiaNative Americans.http://www.fgcia.com/--10. Indian Health Service

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES FOR SCHOLARSHIP, SUMMER PROGRAMS, INTERNSHIPS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

http://www.ihs.gov/

- 1. Center for Native American Youth-http://www.aspeninstitute.org/policywork/native-american-youth
- 2. Native Village https://ww.nativevillage.org
- 3. Association of American Indian Physicians—http://www.aaip.org
- 4. Intertribal Timber Council-http://www.itcnet.org/about_us/scholars hips.html
- 5. Microsoft Scholarship-https://careers.microsoft.com/
- 6. Native American One Stop Center--http://www.nativeonestop.gov/

FREE SCHOLARSHIP AND INTERN SEARCH ENGINES

- 1. http://www.college-scholarships.com/free-scholarship-searches/
- 2. http://nsfp.byu.edu/content/scholarsip-search-engines
- 3. http://www.questbridge.org/forstudents/scholarship-resources
- 4. http://www.fastweb.com
- 5. http://www.collegexpress.com
- 6. http://salliemae.com
- 7. http://cappex.com
- 8. http://campusexplore.com
- 9. http://www.fredonia.edu/na/internships /
- 10. http://scholarships.com

11. http://www.fredonia.edu/na/internships 12. https://colleges.niche.com/ 13. www.ScholarshipExperts.com 14. http://www.scholarshiplibrary.com/ 15. http://www.chegg.com/scholarships 16. http://www.careerinfonet.org 17. http://www.collegeresourcenetwork.com 18. http://www.studentscholarshipsearch.co m/Edvisors 19. https://www.hrc.org/resources/entry/sch olarship-database 20. http://www.highfivescholarships.com/ab out-us 21. https://collegeprowler.com/ 22. http://www.careerinfonet.org/ 23. http://www.mycollegedollars.com/ 24. http://www.mycollegedollars.com/ 25. http://www.scholarships360.org/ 26. http://www.kaarme.com/ 27. http://www.scholarshipmonkey.com/ 28. http://www.acinet.org/acinet/scholarshi psearch 29. http://aidscholar.com/ 30. http://www.careersandcolleges.com/

31. http://apps.collegeboard.com/

32. http://www.collegefunds.net/

33. https://www.collegedata.com/

34. http://www.collegescholarships.org/

35. http://scholarships.collegetoolkit.com/sc holarship 36. http://www.discovernursing.com/ 37. http://www.diversityabroad.com/ 38. http://www.ecampustours.com/payingfo rcollege/scholarshipsandgrants 39. http://www.financialaidofficer.com/schol arship search 40. http://www.fastaid.com/ 41. http://www.findtuition.com/tp2/ft/home .do 42. http://www.findtherightscholarship.com/ 43. http://www.get-recruited.com 44. http://www.latinocollegedollars.org/ 45. http://www.immediatescholarships.com/ 46. http://www.internationalscholarships.co m/ 47. http://www.jason.edu.au/ 48. http://www.meritaid.com/ 49. http://aid.military.com/scholarship 50. http://www.moolahspot.com/ 51. http://www.myfreedegree.com/ 52. http://www.nextstudent.com/scholarshi ps/scholarship-search/ 53. http://www.scholarship-page.com/ 54. http://www.scholarships.com/ 55. http://www.scholarships101.com/ 56. http://www.studentawards.com/canlear n/

57. http://www.princetonreview.com/salliemae-scholarship.aspx 58. http://www.scholarshiphunter.com/ 59. http://www.schoolsoup.com/ 60. http://www.studyabroadfunding.org/ 61. http://www.studentawards.com/My-Dashboard.aspx 62. http://www.supercollege.com/ 63. http://www.tuitionfundingsources.com/ 64. http://www.uncf.org/ 65. http://www.collegenet.com/mach25/app 66. http://www.fatomei.com/ 67. http://www.iefa.org/ 68. http://www.collegeplan.org/ 69. http://www.free-4u.com/ 70. http://www.scholarshipspotlight.com/ 71.https://www.thiswaytocpa.com/educ ation/scholarship-search/ \$2000 "NO ESSAY" COLLEGE **SCHOLARSHIP™** NICHE SCHOLARSHIP DRAWINGS each month for this scholarship. The

NICHE SCHOLARSHIP DRAWINGS
There is a random drawing at the end of each month for this scholarship. The contest is open to all students and those planning to enroll in the next twelve months. Applicants can apply for a new drawing each month. The web site is https://colleges.niche.com/scholarship/apply.aspx.

Additional Drawings at niche:

- \$2,000 "No Essay" Scholarship
- \$1,000 College Survey
 Scholarship

- \$1,000 Student Survey Scholarship
- \$1,000 Parent Survey Scholarship
- \$1,000 Local Survey Sweepstakes
- \$1,000 Pay it Forward Scholarship
- \$500 High School Freshman Scholarship
- \$500 High School Sophomore Scholarship
- \$500 High School Junior Scholarship
- \$500 High School Senior Scholarship
- \$500 Community College Scholarship
- \$500 Graduate Student Scholarship

2016 - 2017 COLLEGE BASED SCHOLARSHIPS

High School seniors should start applying for admission to the colleges or their choice **now** in order to qualify for most university/college based scholarship programs. Go to your institution of choice website for Financial Aid to find a listing of their scholarship deadlines. January-March is the opportune time to apply for the Federal Student Aid "Pell Grant". If a student does not qualify for the Pell Grant, they can

ACCENTURE AMERICAN INDIAN SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Accenture is seeking to award scholarships to the very brightest American Indian and Alaska Natives

incoming freshman and undergraduate students. They are looking for students who demonstrate good character, personal merit and are committed to the American Indian community locally and /or nationally.

Eligibility Requirements:

- Be an enrolled member of a U.S. federally recognized American Indian tribe or Alaska Native group;
- Be seeking a degree and career in fields of study including: various engineering, computer science, operations management;, finance, marketing and other business fields;
- Be entering a U. S. accredited college or university as a fulltime, degree seeking college undergraduate freshmen;
- Demonstrate character, personal merit and commitment to the American Indian Community locally and/or nationally. Merit is demonstrated through leadership in school, civic and extracurricular activities, academic achievement, and motivation to serve and succeed. The application deadline is May 5, 2016 and is found at http://www.aigcs.org.scholarship s/undergraduate-scholarships/.

AIGC FELLOWSHIP

The fellowship is awarded to U. S. Federally-recognized American Indian and Alaska Native students who are pursuing a grade or professional level

education. The applicants must be pursuing a master, doctorate or professional degree as a full-time student at an accredited graduate or professional school in the U.S. and be able to demonstrate financial need. The application date is June 1, 2016. The award amount varies. The application is found at http://www.aigcs.org/scholarships/gradu ate-fellowships/.

AMERICAN INDIAN SERVICES SCHOLARSHIPS

Requirements: Enrolled in a university, college, junior college or technical school (1/4) Northern-Native American Indian Blood. The scholarship is for Undergraduate student with no more than 150 semester credits or 210-quarter credits. The scholarship is for full-time or part-time status - excluding non-credit courses. Applicants must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.25. The application is ongoing.

AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

Requirements: An underrepresented minority in the accounting profession (including but not limited to: Black or African American; Hispanic or Latino; Native American; Pacific Islander; or Asian American). The applicants must be enrolled as a full-time undergraduate or a full-time graduate level student pursuing a degree in an "accounting-related" major. The deadline is April 1, 2016. The award amount is \$1000-\$5000. https://www.thiswaytocpa.com/educatio

n/aicpa-legacy-scholarships/scholarship-minority-accounting-students/

ASC MINORITY FELLOWSHIP

The American Society of Criminology awards \$6,000 annually to three students. Their purpose is to encourage minority students to enter the field of criminology and criminal justice. The application deadline has not been finalized at this time, but it is expected to be the same (March 1, 2016). The award is for minority students who are pursuing a doctoral degree at the time of application. The application should be available soon at http://www.asc41.com/.

BIE STEM LOAN FOR SERVICE

The Science Post Graduate Scholarship Fund is (S.T.E.M. Loan for Service) is awarded to U.S. Federally-recognized American Indian and Alaska Native student who are pursuing graduate or professional level education. Applicants must have a minimum 3.0 GPA and be pursuing a master, doctorate or professional degree in the STEM fields, be a full-time student at an accredited graduate or professional school in the United States. The recipients must be willing to relocate, if necessary, to obtain acceptable employment for the service payback agreement. Additional details and the application are found at https://aigc.academicworks.com/oppiort unties/2968. The award amount is \$20,000. The application deadline is June 1, 2016.

EGGHART CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTS SCHOLARSHIP FOR NATIVE AMERICANS

The Egghart Certified Public Accountants Scholarship for Native American Accounting Students provides three (3) awards, of up to \$5,000 each, for the 2016 academic year. As a competitive, merit-based scholarship, the Egghart Certified Public Accountants Scholarship for Native American Accounting Students was established to assist Native American students in pursuing their goals of higher education and accounting and, ultimately, to enter the accounting profession. February 15, 2016 is the deadline for applications. The application site is http://www.egghart.com/index.php/scho larship.

GEICO \$5000 IT SCHOLARSHIP

GEICO is one of the largest IT employers in the Washington, DC area and they are interested in inspiring and supporting rising sophomore students and juniors who are pursuing degrees in the field of technology. GEICO will award six scholarships for \$5,000 to selected students who meet their eligibility requirements. The scholarships are not renewable; the applicants must reapply each year.

Eligibility Requirements are:

- Remain enrolled in a fullOtime course of study at an accredited university.
- Be actively pursuing a degree in Computer Science, Computer Engineering, Information

- systems, Mathematics, Human Computer Interaction and/or a related technical degree program.
- Have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.5.
- Have demonstrated leadership experience
- Be a United States citizen or a permanent resident The application is found at https://www.scholarsapply.org/g eico_tech/

The applications must be submitted by January 25, 2016 by 11:59 p.m. (Central Standard Time). You are asked to review your application before clicking the "Lock and submit" button. All applicants will be notified of their status by May 2016.

GEICO \$2,500 ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS TO EXCEPTIONAL COLLEGE STUDENTS

Eligibility Requirements:

- Must be currently enrolled at an accredited four-year school Must be a college sophomore or junior
- Must have at least a 3.0 overall GPA
- Must be majoring in Business, IT, Math or a related field
- Must be a leader on campus and in the community

Applications must be submitted by February 15, 2016. The applications are found at

https://www.scholarsapply.org/geico_t ech/.

LEGAL OPPORTUNITY SCHOLARSHIP

The American Bar Association grants 20 incoming diverse law students with \$15,000 of financial assistance over the course of their three years in law school. A student must be an entering, first-year law student (fall semester) to be eligible. They are taking applications now until March 2, 2016. The website with additional information and the application (located lower right side) is http://www.americanbar.org/groups/diversity/diversity_pipeline/projects_initiatives/legal_opportunity_scholarship.html.

MICHAEL YASICK ADHD SCHOLARSHIP

Shire sponsors the scholarship program. The deadline for applications is March 9, 2016. The scholarship program is for legal residents of the United States diagnosed with Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) and are accepted to or enrolled in a 2- or 4-year undergraduate program at an accredited college, university, trade school, technical school, or vocational school located in the US for the academic year 2016-2017. Scholarship details are found at http://www.shireadhdscholarship.com/U S/default.aspx.

THE BUICK ACHIEVERS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The Buick Achievers Scholarship program sponsors up to \$25,000 per year to 100 first-time freshmen or existing college students, and is renewable up to four years and one additional year for those entering a qualified five-year engineering

program. The deadline is February 29, 2016. http://www.buickachievers.com/

TOSHIBA MACHINE, AMERICAN SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The Toshiba Machine Co., America Scholarship Program—The scholarship was established to assist students pursuing an industrial maintenance or plastics processing program of study. Recipients will earn \$2,500 scholarship awards for full-time study at an accredited institution of their choice. High school seniors, high school graduates and college undergraduates may apply, as long as they plan to enroll in full-time undergraduate study at an accredited school for the upcoming academic year. Applicants must be enrolled or planning to enroll in an industrial maintenance or plastics processing program of study, and must have a minimum GPA of 3.0 (for high school students) or 2.5 (for college students) on a 4.0 scale. The application is located at https://www.toshibamachine.com/ViewDetailCompanyNews. aspx?dept=1&catid=2&newsid=166. February 29, 2016 is the deadline.

UDALL UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

The scholarships is for undergraduate sophomores and juniors pursuing careers related to Tribal Public Policy or Native Health Care. Selected applicants are required to attend a four-day Scholar Orientation in Tucson, Arizona. Scholars should plan to be at Scholars Orientation during the second week of August. The deadline for the application is March 2,

2016. The website for additional information is www.udall.gov/ . The program expects to award 60 scholarships for \$7000.00 each.

WELLS FARGO AMERICAN INDIAN SCHOLARSHIP

The American Indian Graduate Center (www.aigcs.org) is now taking application for its various scholarship programs. The deadlines are usually May 5, 2016. The Wells Fargo American Indian scholarship is for students planning a career and degree in fields relating to banking, resort management, gaming operations, management and administration, accounting, finance, information technology and human resources. Undergraduate applicants must be college juniors or seniors and meet the Federal Pell Grant eligibility criteria. Graduate applicants must be full time graduate students and have financial need. All applicants must submit an AIGC Tribal Eligibility Certificate (TEC) and Financial Needs Form (FNF). The forms are found at www.aigcs.org.

THE WELLS FARGO VETERANS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Applications will be accepted through February 29, 2016. Awards will be made to honorably discharged veterans or spouses of disabled veterans who are high school or GED graduates. Renewable scholarships for up to \$10,000 per year will be granted, determined by financial need and consideration of academic performance, work experience, leadership and community service and challenges to completing a postsecondary

program. Each renewal will increase by \$1000 over the previous year to encourage program completion for each recipient. The web site for additional information and the application https://www.scholarsapply.org/wellsfarg oveterans/.

WELLS FARGO VETERANS EMERGENCY GRANT PROGRAM

The grants are to help veterans meet their household expenses and ensure they are able to stay in school without creating undue financial hardship for themselves or their families. Grants are available for a one-time distribution with a suggested maximum of up to \$750, but not to exceed \$1,000 each based on the cost of the emergency need. The application is found at https://www.scholarsapply.org/wellsfarg oveteransemergency/. Eligibility Requirements: Be honorably discharged veterans or spouses of disabled veterans who have served in the United States military, including the Reserves and National Guard, and have received a Certificate of Eligibility from the Department of Veterans Affairs or another document of

② Be students who are already enrolled in full-time undergraduate or graduate (first Master's degree) study at an accredited tow-year or four-year college, university, or vocational-technical school. The college must not be on warning or probationary status with the

service.

federal government, or must not be in litigation with the federal government or a state.

② Be Pell-eligible and have applied for title IV and completed FAFSA to ensure full discovery of actual unmet need.

② Use any military education benefits for which they are eligible.

Have a minimum grade point average of5 on a 4.0 scale, or its equivalent.

WILSON-HOOPER VETERINARY MEDICINE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

The program provides scholarships to students pursuing veterinary medicine and veterinary technician degrees at an accredited college or university. Applicants must be enrolled full-time at a nationally accredited college or university in the U. S. The applicant can be an enrolled member or a descendant of a federally recognized American Indian tribe and be able to maintain a B average. The application deadline is May 13, 2016. Got to

https://aigc.academicworks.com/opportu
nities/397 to find the application and
additional requirements for applying.
http://www.mynextmove.org/ O-Net™
has a Career Search, you can Browse
Careers, and you complete an Interest
Matching survey. O-Net™ provides you
with information on career areas that
have the greatest hiring potential, salary
information and the training
requirements for each career. The
program also has a center for Veterans to
help them find careers similar to their

training in the military or in another area of interest.

We provide additional listings of scholarship, summer programs, and internships at http://www.pci-nsn.gov/westminster/education_external_html

Internship and Fellowship Opportunities

Poarch Creek Tribal Members and Tribal Descendants who participate in minority scholarship and internship programs can use their Tribal ID Card or a notarized letter of Tribal Descent from Tribal Benefits stating the person is a descendant of the Poarch Creek Indians. You may be requested to complete a DNA test with your Tribal parent if you do not have a letter on file with Tribal Benefits.

Internships are available to Poarch Creek Tribal Members and First Generation Descendants at Poarch Creek Gaming facilities, CIE, and the Tribal Reservation at the Poarch Creek Legal Department. For the past two summers, we have offered Internship opportunities to students ages 16-19 through the Education Department. Students are placed in Tribal Departments and work 6-9 weeks.

AMERICAN BAR FOUNDATION

Applicants are invited from students of African, Mexican, Native American, or Puerto Rican heritage. The applicant must be U.S. citizen or legal resident. Scholarships for sophomore and junior academic majors in social sciences or humanities. The applications (including transcript and letter of recommendation) are due no later than **February 15**, 2015. The awards will be announced by **April 15**, 2015.

http://www.americanbarfoundation.org/ research/Fellowshipopportunities/Summ erResearchDiversityFellowshipsinLawand SocialScience.html.

INTERNSHIP SEARCH PROGRAMS

Not all students can afford to participate in unpaid internship programs. We are providing you with websites that will aid you in your search for paid internships. Participating in an Internship program can help you become more competitive for graduate school funding or become a stepping-stone to full time employment.

- www.fastweb.com
- www.dol.gov (This program is currently being developed and to provide opportunities for students to participate in internships in government offices and to recruit future staff to run the Department of Labor's business offices.

NASCAR DIVERSITY INTERNSHIP

The program is an effort to expose and recruit minority students to the

opportunities within the careers available with NASCAR. It is a paid internship. The internship areas are Broadcasting, Communications, Competition, Design, Diversity, Engineering, Even Management, Licensing, Marketing, Media Services, Public Relations, Sales, Sports Marketing, and Technology. The deadline is January 15, 2015. The website is http://hometracks.nascar.com/diversity/

http://hometracks.nascar.com/diversity/diversity_internships/.

AMERICAN OPTOMETRIC FOUNDATION

6110 Executive Blvd. Ste 506 Rockville, MD 20852 (301)984-4734

The program offers scholarships, grants, and research opportunities. http://www.aaopt.org/AOF/Programs

AT&T LABS FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

The fellowships are for African-American or Native American and women U.S. citizens or Permanent Residents who are pursuing PhD degrees in computer and communication related fields. The students must be studying computer science, math, statistics, electrical engineering, operations research, systems engineering, industrial engineering, or related fields. The Fellowship provides all educational expenses, tuition, including tuition, books, and fees, and approved travel. The expenses for summer study expenses or research are covered. A stipend is provided for living expenses. A mentor is an AT&T staff person. Intern applications submitted by January 15 will receive full

consideration. You can find additional information at http://www.research.att.com/evergreen/working-with-us/internships.html

CO-OP & INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES FOR 2015 IN BIOMEDICAL AND PRE-MEDICAL STUDIES STUDENTS

High School, undergraduate and graduate opportunities are available. You gain valuable work experience and good pay. Travel reimbursement, housing, and meals may be furnished during the internship. You should start your internship search in the fall. Many of the internship programs have a January deadline. Start your search in the fall, but deadlines do vary and you may be able to find internships with deadlines ending in the months of February and March. http://people.rit.edu/gtfsbi/Symp/preme d.htm.

This program provides academic year and summer fellowships to institutions of higher education to assist graduate students in foreign language and either area/international studies. The goals of the fellowship program include: (1) to assist in the development of knowledge, resources, and area/international studies; (2) to stimulate the attainment of foreign language acquisition and fluency; and (3) to develop a pool of international experts to meet national needs.

Eligibility: A student is eligible to receive a

• Is a graduate student;

fellowship if she or he:

- Is a citizen, national, or permanent resident of the United States;
- Is enrolled in a program of modern foreign language training in a language for which the institution has developed or is developing performance-based instruction;
- Shows potential for high academic achievement based on such indices as GPA, class ranking, or similar measures that the institution may determine.

FOUR DIRECTIONS SUMMER RESEARCH PROGRAM-HARVARD

It is a summer program for Native American college students who are interested in a medical career as a physical or biomedical research. No research experience is necessary to qualify for the program. The Harvard Native American Medical Health Organization at Harvard leads the program. There are no fees for the program. The deadline for applications is February 9, 2015. Stipend, Travel, and housing are provided.
http://www.fdsrp.org/.

MBA PROGRAMS

The Poarch Creek Tribal Tuition Payment program funds can be used to pay for the GMAT exam fee. A free software program GMAT Prep® can be downloaded at http://landing.mba.com/gmatprep_US?source=bing&c3apimn={copy:mkwid}&c3=3893069312. The software includes two

full-length, timed computer- adaptive GMAT tests.
Additional resources for the GMAT are: MBA.COM http://www.mba.com/us

MITSUBISHI ELECTRIC AMERICA FOUNDATION – AAPD CONGRESSIONAL Internship Program

The Mitsubishi Electric America Foundation and the American Association of People with Disabilities (AAPD) Congressional Internship Program was created to provide an opportunity for students with disabilities to work on Capitol Hill and acquire valuable work experience that will enrich their academic studies. As congressional interns, participants gain insight into congressional office operations, public policy development, and constituents' roles in the legislative/political processes. In, eight students with disabilities will be selected for this 8-week internship. Airfare, summer housing, and stipends will be provided. You can download an application at http://aapd.com/AAPDRedesign/DMD/In ternship09Mitsubishi.html. February 6, 2015 is the deadline for applications.

NATIVE AMERICAN JOURNALISM'S NATIVE VOICE

Native college students can compete for a scholarship to attend the Native American Journalism Association Convention in St. Paul, Minnesota. The program description states, "Over 25 students will be selected to participate in the weeklong journalism and mass communication workshop." Additional information is available at http://www.naja.com/index.php/2012-convention/student-projects. Check in April for the new applications for 2015.

NATIVE AMERICAN POLITICAL LEADERSHIP & INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

It is a full paid scholarship program

created to give Native American undergraduates an opportunity to work and study in the nation's capital. The selected applicants take classes at George Washington University, participate in hands-on internships, and interact with political leaders and policymakers. Additional inform and an application can be found at http://www.gwu.edu/apply/nondegree/semesterinwashington/nativeamericanpoliticalleadershipprogramation. Priority

deadlines are March 1, 2015 and October

NATIONAL SECURITY EDUCATION PROGRAM SCHOLARSHIPS (NSEP)

David L. Boren Graduate Fellowship Academy for Educational Development 1875 Connecticut Avenue, N.W., Ste. 900 Washington, DC 20009-1202 (202) 884-8285

Toll Free: (800) 498-9630 Fax: (202) 884-8408

Email: nsep@aed.org

1, 2015.

Applicants must be U.S. students enrolled in or admitted to programs in U.S. higher education institutions and enrolled in

internationally oriented programs of language and culture.

The Fellowships provide support for overseas or domestic study, or a combination of both. The maximum award for overseas study is \$10,000 per semester for up to two semesters. A maximum of \$12,000 is available for a program of domestic study only. The maximum level of support for a combined overseas and domestic program is \$28,000

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Application: May be obtained by downloading from the website or telephoning in a request for an application.

Deadline: Must be received by February 1.

PHILLIPS FUND GRANTS FOR RESEARCH IN AMERICAN INDIAN LINGUISTICS AND ETHNO HISTORY

American Philosophical Society
Attn: Library
104 South Fifth Street
Philadelphia, PA 19106-3387
(215) 440-3429
The fellowship was created to provide financial support for research in American Indian anthropological linguistics and ethno history.

Eligibility: Applicants should be scholars, preferably young scholars, working in the fields of linguistics and ethno history of Indians in the United States, the northwest coast, and Alaska. Graduate students may apply.

The grants range from \$1,000 to \$1,500. Funds are intended for such extra costs as travel, tapes or films, and informants' fees.

Duration: One year

Limitations: Grants are not made for projects in ethnography, archeology, or psycholinguistics. Funds are not available for the preparation of pedagogical materials. Deadline: March 2, 2015. http://www.amphilsoc.org/grants/phillips

PROFESSIONAL SCIENCE MASTER'S DEGREE IN NATURAL RESOURCES & ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

The new fellowship prepares graduates for science careers in business, government, or nonprofit sectors. The degree specializes in natural resources, environmental science, and water resources. Additional information about the program is available at http://www.uidaho.edu/cogs/psm.aspx or you can contact their department at Professional Science Master's Program Graduate Admissions Morrill Hall, Room 205 820 Idaho Avenue PO Box 443019 Moscow, ID 83844-3019 Phone: 208-885-GRAD (4723)

SUMMER RESEARCH INTERNSHIP PROGRAM AT THE UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA

http://www.healthsystem.virginia.edu/in ternet/gpo/srip/program.cfm

Purpose: The goals of the program are to expose undergraduate students to laboratory research, to familiarize them with the opportunities that exist for

careers in biomedical research. The program runs for ten weeks each summer and includes three major components. Interns receive \$4,683 toward summer expenses. In addition, housing and travel to and from Charlottesville are provided Eligibility: The program targets, but is not limited to, under-represented American students in their sophomore, junior and senior college years.

Applications: Online, must be submitted online Deadline: February 13, 2015.

SUMMER MEDICAL AND DENTAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS (SMDEP)

http://www.smdep.org/This program provides free (tuition, housing and meals) six-week summer medical and dental school preparatory offers intensive and personalized medical and dental school preparation. Applications are available in November 2012 and they encourage you to apply as soon as possible.

AICPA FELLOWSHIP FOR MINORITY DOCTORAL STUDENTS

The program's goal is to increase the number of minority CPAs who serve as role models and mentors to young people in the academic environment.

Annual fellowships of \$12,000 are awarded to full-time minority accounting scholars who demonstrate significant potential to become accounting educators.

The 2013-2014 Doctoral Fellowship application will be available in January 2013. The deadline for the application is April 1, 2013. The eligibility requirements

and the application can be found at http:www.aicpa.org.career/diversityinitia tives/.

SMITHSONIAN NATIVE AMERICAN AWARDS PROGRAM

Smithsonian Native American scholarships are available to students interested in furthering Native American archives and studies. Deadlines for the awards are February 1 for summer and fall and October 1 for spring.

There are three types of awards available: Native American Community Scholar Awards, Native American Visiting Student Awards, and Native American Internship Awards. The Community Scholar Awards provide appointments in residence at the Smithsonian. Visiting Student Awards allow students to pursue independent research in conjunction with Smithsonian staff and provide a stipend of \$150 a day for 21 days as well as \$550 a week for between three and ten weeks. In addition, recipients receive a small research allowance and a travel allowance. Recipients of the Internship Awards intern at the Smithsonian for 10 weeks and receive a stipend of \$550 per week plus a travel allowance. Interested students may apply online at Sl.edu.

These and other Native American scholarships can help you overcome your financial obstacles and get the education you need to meet your life's goals.

SOUTHERN REGIONAL EDUCATIONAL BOARD STATE DOCTORAL SCHOLARS PROGRAM

The purpose of the program is to provide assistance and guidance to minority students who want to become college professors. Funding is provided to help the student through their PhD Program of study. The Doctoral Award is a three-to five years package annual stipend of \$20,000. Each recipient also is awarded up to five years of university-covered tuition and fees (unless the institution prohibits a fee waiver). The 2013 application will be available on their website

http://www.sreb.org/page/1115/how_to_apply.html January 2013.

THOMAS PICKERING FOREIGN AFFAIRS FELLOWSHIPS

The program is seeking outstanding undergraduate and graduate students for careers in the Foreign Service. The fellowship offers tuition, room, board and fees during your junior and senior year of college, and while you are in your master's studies related to international affairs. How to Apply Eligibility requirements and application processes vary for each Student Program, Internship and Fellowship opportunity. U.S. citizenship is required for entry into all programs. For detailed information, visit careers.state.gov/student.

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY FEDERAL CAREER INTERN PROGRAM

The U.S. Department of Energy Career Intern Program provides a 2-year career-

entry level employment. The program assists Interns prepare an individual development plan. The program places the interns as entry-level employees into scientific, technical and business occupations at GS5-9 levels, also provides certifications, classroom and online training, mentors, rotating job assignments, and travel.

The purpose of the Career Intern Program is to prepare U.S. citizens to fill positions as future U.S. Department of Energy administrators and leaders. As in the other Federal Career Intern Programs, they are seeking college graduates, graduate students, and students with PhDs. Additional information are available at http://humancapital.doe.gov/jobs/entry-level.htm.

Undergraduate Research Opportunities and Internships with the American Psychological Society

http://www.apa.org/science/undergradopps.html

United States Department of Justice Summer Law Intern Program (SLIP)

Applicants must have completed at least one semester of legal study. The application deadline is September. The compensated summer internship is competitive. The selection is based on the candidate's background: academic achievement, law review or moot court experience, legal aid and clinical experience, and summer or part-time legal employment. Additional information

and the link to the application are found at www.usdoj.gov/oarm/arm/sp/sp.htm. Applications for Summer 2016 closed on September 8, 2015. Applications for Summer 2017 will open on July 31, 2016.

Washington Internships for Students of Engineering

The Wise Summer Program will take during the summer. The applicants must be juniors, seniors, or entering their final year of undergraduate studies in engineering (or computer science). Engineering graduates who are beginning their Masters level study in a technology policy-related degree may apply for the Internship. The applicants learn how government officials make technological issue decisions and how engineers are able to contribute to legislative and regulatory public policy.

The students interact with leaders in Congress, Administration, industry, and non-governmental organizations. WISE applicants should apply directly with their sponsoring organizations (ANS, ASCE, ASME, IEEE and SAE using the contact information provided. The applicant must be a member of the sponsoring organization. A stipend to assist with the Intern's living expenses, travel expenses and room and board is provided. The students are provided housing on the campus of George Washington University. The application information is found at http://www.wiseintern.org/application/index.htm. The application will be available after September 1. Deadline for the 2017

program 31 December 2016

Washington for Native Students (WINS)

American Indian and Alaska native students who are enrolled in a college or university as a sophomore, junior, senior, or graduate student and in good academic standing are eligible to participate in WINS. The students do receive a stipend to cover most incidental expenses. The scholarship funds cover the cost of tuition, travel to and from Washington, D.C., local transportation on the Metro, lodging, and the cost of scheduled social and cultural activities.

Internships for fall, spring and summer are available. Applications are accepted on a rolling basis. Students must complete college course work on topics related to Native American communities such as tribal sovereignty, trust responsibilities, health, and social welfare issues, and gaming and economic development concerns. The deadline is the first Friday in February.

Tribal Members have participated in this program in the past and were very impressed with the program. They enjoyed meeting Native Americans from other tribes and working in a Federal Government office, learning about issues that affect Native Americans. Students can earn 6 hours college credit. Additional information and an application is available at http://www.american.edu/wins

Nursing Scholarship Programs

All Nurse

http://www.allnurse.com
 Listing of online nursing degree programs.
 Discussion groups, resume service and more.

Nursing Society

http://www.nursingsociety.orgAmerican

Organization of Nurse Executives

http://www.aone.org

American Association of Colleges of Nursing

http://www.aacn.nche.edu/

Minority Nursing

Programs http://www.minoritynurse.com/financial/scholarships.html

Bureau of Health Professions

http://bhpr.hrsa.gov/nursing/scholarship/default.htm

Daughters of the American Revolution http://www.dar.org

Discover Nursing

<u>http://www.discovernursing.com</u>
This site has information for scholarships and job opportunities.

Nurse Web Search

http://www.nursewebsearch.com/nursing_scholarships.htm

Morris K Udall Undergraduate scholarship

The scholarship covers health careers, Tribal public policy, as well as business and environmental fields. A campus representative must nominate the student. To find your campus representative go to http://www.udall.gov/udall.asp?link=202 enter your state name and you will be provided a list of the colleges in your state. You should find your college listed and the representative's name. If your college does not have a representative, a telephone number is listed for you to call to find a representative. The award amount is \$5000. Please read the "FAQ" link, the "Insight from a Reader" link, and "Frequent Problems with Applications" link before starting on your application. http://www.udall.gov/udall.asp?link=200

Psychology/Psychiatry Scholarship Programs

The American Psychological Association The association has an 83-page directory of selected scholarships, fellowships and other financial aid opportunities for women and ethnic minorities in Psychology and Related Fields listed in a PDF file.

http://www.apa.org/pi/wpo/financialaiddirectory.pdf

Fellowships

American Indian Graduate Fellowship

To be eligible for an American Indian Graduate Fellowship you must be pursuing a post baccalaureate graduate or professional degree as a full time student at an accredited institution in the U.S. The applicants must be able to demonstrate financial need and an enrolled member of a federally recognized American Indian tribe or Alaska Native group, or provide documentation of heritage (possess one fourth degree federally-recognized Indian blood). The - Fellowship Applications are available in November. Deadline (June 1, 2016). http://www.aigc.com

AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR MICROBIOLOGY (ASM) FACULTY FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

This program is for a minority full-time undergraduate faculty studying microbiological sciences. It has a May 1, deadline.

http://www.asm.org/index.php/fellowships-2/25-education/students/164-asm-robert-d-watkins-graduate-research-fellowship

Contact: American Society for Microbiology (ASM) Faculty Fellowship Program Office of Education & Training 1325 Massachusetts Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20005

AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS MINORITY FELLOWSHIPS

Minority undergraduate, graduate, and doctoral accounting students may apply for the scholarships listed on this site. https://www.thiswaytocpa.com/education/scholarship-search/.

CHAVEZ/EASTMAN/MARSHALL DISSERTATION FELLOWSHIPS

Arts and Sciences Graduate Programs Dartmouth College 6062 Wentworth Hall, rm. 304 Hanover, NH 03755-3526 Phone: (603) 646-6578 Web site:

http://graduate.dartmouth.edu/funding/f ellowships/cem.htmlAmount: Three fellowships each provide a stipend of \$25,000, office space, library privileges, and a \$2,500 research assistance fund. Criteria: Applicants will be selected on the basis of academic achievement and promise; membership in a racial or ethnic group that is currently underrepresented among faculty in the applicant's academic field; demonstrate commitment to increasing opportunities for underrepresented minorities and increasing cross-racial understanding; and potential for serving as an advocate and mentor for minority undergraduate and graduate students. Fellows are expected to complete the dissertation during the tenure of the fellowship.

CORNELL UNIVERSITY GRADUATE FELLOWSHIP

Listings for Their Summer Programs
http://www.gradschool.cornell.edu/fellowships/

CONSUELO W. GOSNELL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The scholarship program supports
Masters of Social Work degree
candidates committed to working in their
American Indian populations or in a
public and voluntary nonprofit agency.
Eligibility requirements are:

National Association of Social Workers Foundations membership Enrollment in an accredited MSW program Potential for completing an MSW 3.0 GPA

The applications are available at www.naswfoundation.org/gosnell.asp. The 2015-2016 applications deadline is March 4, 2015. Ten scholarships will be awarded.

CONSORTIUM FOR GRADUATE STUDY IN MANAGEMENT

The Consortium is a group of 14 university schools of business offering full-tuition merit-based fellowships to African American, Hispanic American and Native American US citizens for graduate study leading to a Master's degree in Business. More than 300 fellowships are awarded annually. http://www.cgsm.org/

CORRIS BOYD SCHOLARS PROGRAM

The \$40,000 scholarship graduate scholarship was created to help minority students (African American, American Indian/Alaska Native, Asian American, Hawaiian/Pacific Islander, Latino/Hispanic, Multiracial) with cost for tuition and other expenses at the AUPHA full-member graduate school program of his or her choice. The scholarship is for those pursuing a degree in Health Care Management or Leadership. The program will start taking applications for 2016-2018 in early 2016. The web site for information is http://www.aupha.org/ResourceCenter/

<u>CurrentStudents/scholarships/corrisboydscholarsprogram/.</u>

Contact information: Lacey Meckley via email, phone (703) 894-0940 x122, fax (703) 894-0941 or mail to:

CORRIS BOYD SCHOLARSHIP AUPHA

2000 14th Street N, Suite 780 Arlington, VA 22201 Fax: 703.894.0941

D'ARCY MCNICKLE CENTER DOCUMENTARY FELLOWSHIPS

D'Arcy McNickle Center for the History of the American Indian Newberry Library 60 West Walton Street Chicago, IL 60610-3380

The program provide short-term fellowships for Native Americans interested in writing their histories or in conducting research related to their graduate studies.

Academic students, adults who can only spare short periods from community commitments, tribal historians, and librarians and archivists of tribal cultural centers, design the fellowships for use. All recipients must be Native American. See the webpage http://www.newberry.org/short-term-fellowships for details. The short term application period for 2015-2016 has passed the next application period should

be available in the fall of 2015.

FORD FOUNDATION DIVERSITY FELLOWSHIPS

Ford Foundation Diversity Fellowships are designed to increase the diversity of the nation's college and university faculties by increasing

their ethnic and racial diversity, to maximize the educational benefits of diversity as a resource for enriching the education of all students. The eligibility requirements are planning a career in teaching and research at the college or university level or US Citizen. :

http://sites.nationalacademies.org/PGA/FordFellowships/PGA 048001

The deadline for 2025-2016 applications has passed. Check back in the fall of 2017 for the 2016-2017 application.

HEARST MINORITY FELLOWSHIP

This \$15,000 fellowship is open to minority individuals pursuing a Master of Public Affairs in nonprofit management or a Master of Arts in philanthropic studies at Indiana University. The 2017 application will be posted late January 2015.

http://www.aspeninstitute.org/policywork/nonprofit-philanthropy/leadershipinitiatives/hearst

IBM PH.D. FELLOWSHIPS

IBM is pleased to announce the Ph.D. fellowship Faculty members may make IBM Ph.D. Fellowship nominations from The application deadline for 205 has closed. The next application perios starts in September 20 to November 1. Fellowships are awarded worldwide. IBM Ph.D. Fellows are awarded tuition, fees,

and a stipend for the nine-month academic year. All IBM Ph.D. Fellows are matched with an IBM Mentor according to their technical interests, and they are encouraged to participate in a summer internship. Interns are awarded an IBM ThinkPad gift during the internship. Please see the program announcement, description, and link to the web nomination form at www.ibm.com/university/phdfellowship

INTEGRATIVE GRADUATE EDUCATION AND RESEARCH TRAINEESHIP

Summer Academy in Sustainable Bioenergy
Students will receive a stipend of \$4,500 paid in three installments. - Room and board will be provided. - Travel to and from Manhattan, Kansas will be provided (up to \$400.00).

- Eligibility: Students will be accepted from all science, socioeconomic, agricultural, and engineering majors.
- Applicants must be American citizens or permanent residents.
- Preference is given to students who have completed their sophomore or junior year.
 Outstanding first-year students may be considered. Graduating seniors are not eligible.
- First-generation college students, members of ethnic minority groups, females in STEM disciplines, and other underrepresented groups are especially encouraged to apply.

 No previous laboratory or research experience is required.
 Applications should be available now. http://www.igert.org/announcements/39

JOHN HOPKINS BLOOMBERG SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH AMERICAN INDIAN SCHOLARS PROGRAM

The scholarships program assists Native American Tribal members and Indian descendants with funding and mentoring support for American Indian Master's and Doctoral Public Health degrees. The scholarship awards will vary from full to partial tuition and include a small stipend for living expenses. Additional information can be found at http://www.jhsph.edu/caih/Training/aischolars.html

MORRIS K. UDALL FOUNDATION NATIVE AMERICAN CONGRESSIONAL INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

The purpose of the internship program is to give Native American students an opportunity to learn about the federal

government from the inside. It is a tenweek program in Washington, D.C. Interns work full time in congressional or federal offices. Students are provided an opportunity to network, meet key decision-makers; and attend lectures, special lunches and receptions. Interns are provided with roundtrip airfare to Washington, D.C., dormitory lodging at a local university, a daily allowance sufficient for meals, transportation, and incidentals, and a

\$1,200 educational stipend to be paid at the conclusion of the internship. For more information, please visit http://www.udall.gov/. January 31, 2015 is the deadline for summer 2015. The Summer 2017 internship application will be available in October 1, and due February 1, 2017.

Law School Programs

Law School Admissions Council

If you are thinking about attending law school, the Law School Admissions Council has information on their website that may help you make that decision. The website is http://www.lsac.org. The Law School Guide is available at http://officialguide.lsac.org/.

ABA Legal Opportunity Scholarship Fund

This scholarship has a March 2, deadline. The scholarship program for first year law students awards \$5,000 of financial assistance annually to each recipient attending an ABA accredited law school. An award made to an entering first-year student, it may be renewable for two additional years. For details visit http://www.americanbar.org/content/dam/aba/administrative/diversity_pipeline/2015_aba_los_application_instructions1.authcheckdam.pdf.

ALABAMA LAW SCHOLARSHIP

Program Cabaniss, Johnston Scholarship \$5000 scholarship is awarded to an Alabama resident attending an ABA accredited law school and is applying for the funds to be used in their second year of law study. There is a runner-up scholarship for \$1000 that can be awarded. The deadline for applying is the first Friday of June. The application is online at

http://www.alabamalawfoundation.org/what-we-do/law-school-scholarships/cabaniss-johnston-apply/

INDIAN LAW SUMMER PROGRAM

The program session takes place on takes place at the Lewis & Clark Law School in Portland, Oregon. Scholarships are available. The institute is a four-week residential program available at no cost to the participants. The Classes will cover environmental and natural resources law. family law, business law, and criminal law, and other types of law that affect Native Americans. The courses are available to law students in good standing at all ABA-accredited law schools and for audit by non-law students. Additional information is available at their website http://law.lclark.edu/programs/summer session/courses/indian law/.

LAW SCHOOL ADMISSIONS APPLICATION GUIDE

Anthony Solana, Jr., Attorney at Law, has created a guide to help students of color to understand the law school admissions process and has written another guide for the bar exam. Both guides are available in PDF file form for downloading. If you are thinking about applying for law school or you are in the process of preparing for the bar exam you may find his guide useful.

The guides are available at www.forpeopleofcolor.org. You will be asked to supply your email address; they will confirm your email address, and then send you the link to the site to download the guides.

NATIVE AMERICAN COUNCIL ON LEGAL EDUCATION OPPORTUNITY (CLEO)

The program assists college students and graduates who are interested in attending law school. The web site is www.cleoscholars.com. If you click on "Request More Information", you will be mailed a copy of *CLEO Edge* a magazine for pre-law students.

The program sponsors a four-week residential pre-law summer program for college sophomores that are designed to prepare students who plan to apply for law school. The four-week program is free. The program also has a six-week Summer Institute for graduating seniors and graduates. The cost of the program is \$2000.

The University Of North Dakota School Of Law

The program offers tuition waivers for American Indian students. Contact information is available at www.law.und.edu or (800) CALL UND or (800) 225-5863, ext. 2104.

NATIONAL CONSORTIUM FOR GRADUATE DEGREES FOR MINORITIES IN ENGINEERING AND SCIENCE, INCORPORATED

The application opens July 1, 2016 and closes November 15, 2016. deadline. The GEM Fellowship programs are designed to offer opportunities for underrepresented minority students to obtain MS degrees in engineering and Ph.D. degrees in engineering and the natural and physical sciences through a program of paid summer internships and graduate financial assistance. A travel allowance is included. Apply at www.gemfellowship.org. Call GEM at (574) 631-7771.

NIHEWAN SCHOLARSHIPS

The scholarship focus is to help Native American students participate in learning. The eligibility requirements are that the student be an enrolled Tribal member; accepted at an accredited institution, and show proof of need; must show proof of applications to other funding programs. The application is available at http://www.gemfellowship.org/students/gem-fellowship-program/ or by phone: (808)-822-3111.

ROCHESTER INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY CO-OP INTERNSHIP LISTING OF PAID INTERNSHIPS AND CO-OP PROGRAMS

The organization provides and updated list of co-op opportunities and internships. The opportunities that are available to selected minority applicants are travel reimbursement, housing and meals, and living expenses.

http://people.rit.edu/gtfsbi/Symp/mcoop
.htm.

SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION INTERNSHIP AND FELLOWSHIP PROGRAMS FOR RESEARCH AND STUDY

A number of internships and fellowships are available in various fields of study. See their web page for more information: The new applications are available at the end of September at http://www.smithsonianofi.com/

SOUTHERN REGIONAL EDUCATION BOARD, MINORITY DOCTORAL SCHOLARS PROGRAM AWARD

The Doctoral Scholars Program Award offers doctoral scholars a five-year package of support. Native Americans and other minority U.S. citizens or legal residents who hold (or will receive) a bachelor's or master's degree from a regionally accredited college or university are eligible to apply.

Applicants must plan to become full-time faculty members upon completion of their doctoral program. Each student must be admitted into at least one approved Ph.D. program to be eligible. The program encourages applicants who seek a Ph.D. in a field with low minority representation (science, Mathematics, engineering, and science or math education).

It does not support students pursuing professional degrees. You can find

additional information at http://www.sreb.org/.

TEACH FOR AMERICA

The program has a January 30, 2015 deadline. Check their web site in late fall for the application or If you will graduate between July 2016 and June 2017 and meet our other prerequisites, you are eligible to apply early for the 2016 corps through our **Error! Hyperlink reference not valid.** Sign up now to begin your application.

https://www.teachforamerica.org/online /info/signUp.wbfl?_flowId=signUpflow&_flowExecutionKey=e1s1

The Teach for American program is seeking college graduating college seniors, and recent graduates. A student must have at least a 2.5 GPA to qualify for the program. They are seeking applicants who have demonstrated determination and persistence when confronted with obstacles in the past. The program needs people with specific skills – from critical thinking to organizational ability – that are characteristics of successful teachers.

Selected students will receive "rigorous summer training institute designed to help you understand the overarching approach utilized by successful teachers in low-income communities and to provide the training needed to become highly effective teachers."

Students will receive financial aid, transitional expenses, and they are paid by the county in which they work just as other county teachers are paid. A loan is available if it is needed until the student receives their first paycheck. http://www.teachforamerica.org/admissions/index.htm

US FISH AND WILD LIFE SERVICE AND USDA FOREST SERVICE INTERNSHIPS

The applications for the internships are now closed You will find information at their web page at http://www.fws.gov/humancapital/Pathways.cfm. April 27, 2016 is the deadline for 2016. Other job opportunities are available throughout the year.

Summer Programs for High School and College Freshman

The summer programs usually accept both Tribal enrolled and Tribal Descent students into their programs. The goal of the summer programs is to prepare students for college, introduce the students to careers and to provide cultural related activities and presentations.

The programs also provide various recreational activities for the students to enjoy. We find that students who attend the Summer Programs listed below return home with more confidence in themselves and with a goal to acquire a higher education.

The programs listed below are usually free. The program covers the travel and room & board costs. A few programs do

not provide travel funding, but they do offer scholarships to cover the cost.

COLLEGE HORIZONS PROGRAM

www.whitneylaughlin.com. The Whitney Laughlin and the American Graduate Center foundation offers summer program for current high school sophomores and juniors. \$100 fee and you can apply for a scholarship for your transportation cost. This is a five-day program. The Colleges that help host the "College Horizons" program are usually private colleges and universities. The schools are actively recruiting Native American students to meet their minority quotas and they are willing to help with financial aid needs.

ASIAN AMERICAN JOURNALISTS ASSOCIATION (AAJA)

AAJA sponsors J Camp, a multicultural journalism program for talented high school students. The application deadline is March 13, 2016. The program is not limited to Asian American students and is open to all young journalists. The applicants must be high school sophomores or juniors for this current school year. The students will participate in interactive workshops, hands-on training, and field trips. The association invites well-known news editors and correspondents to speak to the students. The association covers all costs for the student to attend. Students will stay in university housing. Approximately forty students from across the nation will be selected to attend the camp.

Applicants should have a keen interest in broadcasting, newspapers, magazines, photojournalism, or news media. Check their web site in early spring for an application at http://www.aaja.org/.

INMED SUMMER INSTITUTE

INMED stands for Indians into Medicine. This is a Free Summer for high school program sponsored by the University of North Dakota. Travel and room and board are provided to the students. The program has a March 1, 2016 deadline. The application is available at http://www.med.und.edu/indians-into-medicine/summer-programs.cfm.

(MS)² MATHEMATICS SUMMER PROGRAM

(MS) ² Mathematics and science program for minority students is accepting applications from 9th grade students. The program is a three-summer, five-week opportunity to study math and science at Phillips Academy in Andover, Massachusetts.

Though the program is demanding, it provides extensive support services for its students so that they may continue to realize their potential. The program, for qualified students, is cost-free because of the financial support that it receives from foundations, corporations, and individuals. Check in the fall for the 2017 application. Deadline may be in January. The website is

http://www.andover.edu/SummerSessionOutreach/MathScience/HowtoApply/Pages/default.aspx.

The Association of American Indian Physicians (AAIP) National Native American Youth Initiative

The Association of American Indian Physicians (AAIP) is now accepting applications for the ninth annual National Native American Youth Initiative (NNAYI), which will be held, in Washington, D.C. More than 60 Native American high school students age 16 - 18 will be awarded full scholarships to attend this weeklong intensive academic enrichment program held each summer in the nation's capital.

"NNAYI is a tremendous opportunity for Native American high school students interested in pursuing a career in health," says Margaret Knight, AAIP's Executive Director. "NNAYI's curriculum is strategically designed to prepare students for admission to college and professional schools, as well as for careers in health and biomedical research."

During interactive workshops, students increase their skills in leadership, communication, studying and testing, assertiveness, networking, professional behavior, interactive learning, and time management. AAIP member physicians and health professionals serve as role models for the students and offer insights into their respective health fields, including medicine, pharmacy, dentistry, public and allied health, veterinary medicine, biomedical research, and more. Students also learn about opportunities for mentoring and shadowing with AAIP member physicians.

Native American high school students age 16 - 18 that have an interest in pursuing a health profession are eligible to apply. Students must have a minimum cumulative 2.5 grade point average (A = 4.0). Lodging, meals, and travel expenses are provided for each student accepted for the weeklong program.

To accompany the students during the program, NNAYI is currently accepting application for 12 counselors to serve as chaperones during the visit to Washington, D.C. Native American college students age 21 and older that currently are enrolled in health programs are encouraged to apply. Counselors receive all expenses paid, as well as a stipend at the end of the program. The application should be available in November 2012.

For more information, contact Russ Tall Chief at the Association of American Indian Physicians at (405) 946-7072, or e-mail aaip@aaip.com.

Web Site:

http://www.aaip.org/programs/nnayi/student_info.htm

The Student Conservation Association (SCA)

The Association Has Summer Programs for ages 16 and above. Travel expenses and stipends are includes with some of the summer jobs. Internships are available nationwide and year-round in a variety of fields: Archaeology, American History, Backcountry & Wilderness Management, Cave Management, Environmental Education, Engineering &

Surveying, Forestry, Geology & Paleontology, Horseback Patrol, Hydrology & Water Resources, Land Interpretation & Visitor Services, Photography, Range Management & Plant Taxonomy, Recreation Management, Trail Construction & Maintenance, Wildlife & Fisheries, and there are several more. http://sca-inc.org

QuestBridge College Prep Scholarship for High School Juniors

Explore opportunities at leading colleges. The QuestBridge College Prep Scholarship is designed to level the playing field of college admissions by equipping high-achieving low-income students to apply successfully to leading schools. If you are a high school junior who has achieved excellent academic results in the face of economic challenges, we encourage you to apply for the College Prep Scholarship.

Each award will include one or more of the following:

Full scholarships to selective college summer programs: QuestBridge will provide counseling to 10 students to support their applications to summer school programs at Harvard University, Stanford University, the University of Notre Dame, or Yale University. If accepted, students will receive a scholarship covering tuition, room and board.

College admissions counseling: QuestBridge will offer individualized assistance with college admissions and the financial aid process to 50 students. College preparatory conferences:
Approximately 800 applicants will be selected to attend one of Quest Bridge's four college preparatory conferences at top-ranked colleges nationwide in the summer of 2007. Conferences will feature workshops on selecting colleges, application strategies, and financial aid. The application will be available on the QuestBridge website (www.questbridge.org) starting on February 2017.

The application and awards are free of charge. For more information, please visit their website at www.questbridge.org.

Documentation for Tribal Members and Tribal Descendants

You are welcome to call the Poarch Creek Education Department at any time. If you want to come by and talk while you are visiting the Reservation, we would be happy to see you. If you have a problem with financial aid, let us know and we may be able to recommend something for you.

If you need Tribal documentation please contact Mrs. Candace Fayard, Enrollment Census/Analyst, at (251) 368-9136, ext. 2281

CONTACT: If you need additional information or assistance, you may contact Mrs. Billie McGhee at (251) 368-9136, ext. 2243 or

bmcghee@poarchcreekindiansnsn.gov

The Education Department has a web page that you can access through the Quick Link located on the left side of the opening page at www.poarchcreekindians.org. We post scholarship, summer program, and internship programs on the External page.