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INTRODUCTION

At first, financing the rising costs of a college education seems a daunting task, but funds ARE available. It's just a matter of finding them. This guide to financial resources will help you do just that. For example, you can earn as you learn, working at part-time jobs in the summer, or at work-study or co-op assignments. You can also borrow money through local financial institutions, or through the college you attend. Another option is for you to apply for a grant or a scholarship. Also, another valuable resource is family resources.

In addition to Financial Aid (from federal, state and school specific) available to college students, there are sources specifically for Native American students, who classify as minorities. Some valuable resources include the Bureau of Indian Affairs Higher Education Grants, Tribal scholarships, and other corporate funds designated specifically for minority and/or Native American students.

This booklet lists sources of financial aid for Native American College students and potential college students. It does not list every source, but it can be a beginning point in your search for funds with which to finance your education. We strongly urge you to contact potential sources for further information and requirements, as this is only an informative guide. In addition, this booklet lists potential job opportunities for Native American College students.

College-Based Funding:

Financial aid is available through the college you attend. Ask the college you choose to send you any available financial aid information. Most colleges publish a guide to scholarships and specific types of approved aid-sources and local scholarships.

State of New Mexico Program:

State incentive grants and loans.

Federal Aid Programs:

The five Federal aid programs include Federal Pell Grants, Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grants, Federal Work-Study, Federal Perkins Loans, and Federal Stafford Loans. Eligibility requirements for each of these are listed in this book, but again, contact your preferred school for any specific requirements and forms.

American Indian Financial Aid Sources:

There are several sources of financial aid for minority students. Native Americans may apply as minority students to these financial aid sources. You will be considered among other minority students.

The most common financial aid offered specifically to Native American students is from the BIA through Tribal agencies and Local Area offices. In addition to these Federal funds, some specific Tribes offer grants or scholarships from their funds for students who are registered members of said tribe. Eligibility requirements are tribal specific, though we do list several tribes and contacts with their relevant application procedures.

Financial Aid Package:

Together with the financial aid counselor at your college, you can put together a financial aid package; a combination of loans, grants, scholarships and fellowships, as well as your own or your family's funds that will pay for the cost of your education. Use this book to identify sources and to become familiar with the terms and procedures. We hope we were able to help you in your journey through a college education.

ADMISSIONS AND FINANCIAL AID PROCESS**For the Undergraduate:**

Deciding on attending college is a big decision and the best time to make this decision is during your junior year in high school. At this time, you can start the process of selecting a college, applying for admission and financial aid. Some good sources to go to for information on schools are your high school counselor, teachers, family and the local library.

After selecting the colleges you are interested in, ask each college for the following:

- A College Catalog
- An Admission Application
- A Housing Application
- A Financial Aid Application
- Types of Financial Aid Programs available
- If you need to take the American College Test (ACT) or the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT)
- Deadlines for submitting applications for each program
- Information in your special field of interest

Once you have the information from the colleges:

- Complete all application forms accurately and submit them on time to the correct location
- Provide correct information to avoid delays and to avoid violating any laws
- Return all additional documentation, verification, corrections and/or new information requested promptly
- Be responsible for reading and understanding all forms that you are asked to sign, and for **KEEPING COPIES** of them
- Live up to all agreements that you sign
- Apply for any scholarships and fellowships you might qualify for and **KEEP SEEKING** out new financial aid sources
- Make arrangements to take the ACT or the SAT exams. Sign up with your high school counselor. Either test may be taken in the junior year. At the latest, take the exams in the fall of your senior year if you plan to go to college the following fall.

SOME HELPFUL TIPS

For the Undergraduate Student

1. Take the ACT or SAT in the **SPRING** of your **Junior Year** in high school. It has been found that students usually score highest then. If you do not do well then, there is time to take the test again before applying for college admission. You can retake it several times.
2. Read all instructions and forms carefully and follow directions exactly. If you do not understand a procedure, ask your counselor.
3. Note deadlines and make sure you meet them. Failing to meet a deadline can mean you are not even **considered** for admission or financial assistance.
4. Maintain an emergency fund in case financial aid does not arrive on time. Delays can delay your financial aid monies and you will be required to make at least a down payment in addition to books and supplies.

NOTE: If you have any questions or do not understand an item, don't hesitate to go to your counselor. If you are not in high school, go to the nearest high school or college admissions office to sign up for the ACT or SAT exams. You can also pick up a FAF (financial aid form) and/or an FFS (Federal Financial Statement) form while you are there. If you have a General Educational Development (GED) degree, your scores and certificate may substitute for a transcript, so you will need a copy of those as well.

The college or university will notify you in writing of your acceptance or rejection. You must respond to any acceptance offers within the time specified in the letter. If you are accepted to more than one school, consider the financial aid package, the school's programs and performance to make your final selection. Remember that you are investing time and money into your education.

For the Graduate Student

Obtain an application form from the graduate school of the institutions of your choice. Complete it and send it back to the graduate school, accompanied by the required application fee. Arrange to have necessary transcripts sent to the Dean of the Graduate School. If the Graduate Record Exam (GRE) or a similar exam is required, arrange to take it and have the results sent to the graduate school. These documents should be submitted **no later** than two months prior to your expected enrollment date. The earlier the better, as most are on a "first come - first serve" basis.

Graduate students, who are applying to graduate school in an institution other than their undergraduate university, can fill out a Graduate and Professional School Financial Aid Service (GPSFAS) form, which can be obtained from the graduate school office. This is a cooperative organization, which serves 500 professional and graduate institutions. The organization does not give financial aid, but helps graduate students find financial aid.

WICHE

The Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education (WICHE) maintains a Western Name Exchange Program, which assists undergraduate students in selecting a university for graduate study. This program is a consortium of 27 universities engaged in a process of exchanging names or upper-level minority undergraduate students interested in pursuing graduate study. For further information contact:

Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education
ATTN.: WICHE Program
P.O. Box 9752
Boulder, CO 80301-9752
Phone: (303) 541-0200
www.wiche.edu

Minority Graduate Student Locator Service

This is a computer-based search service to help graduate institutions and fellowship sponsors identify minority students' interest in pursuing graduate studies. Graduate institutions and fellowship sponsors interested in increasing their pool of minority applicants subscribe to the service and request a listing of potential enrollees, based on the following variables:

- Racial or ethnic background
- Intended graduate major
- State or residence
- Eventual graduate degree objectives

For further information contact: Minority Graduate Locator Service
Box 2615
Princeton, NJ 08541

MAJOR SOURCES OF FINANCIAL AID

NOTE: Federally funded and state-funded student aid programs are constantly changing. Consult with your financial aid office for current information.

Federal Aid Programs

To apply for any of the following five funding sources, fill out the free application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form.

- **Federal Pell Grant:** These grants are offered to students who qualify based on need. They may be used at any accredited institution.
- **Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (FSEOG):** These grants are awarded to students who have an exceptional need for financial assistance. Must be eligible for a Federal Pell Grant.
- **Federal Work Study Program (FWSP):** This program is sponsored by the college and Federal government and offers part-time jobs to students who qualify for assistance during the school term.

- **Federal Perkins Direct Student Loan (FDSL):** These are Federal loans administered by the college, which are repaid after graduation or when dropping out of school.
 - **Federal Stafford Student Loan:** These loans are awarded to the student through credit unions, savings and loan associations, and banks.
 - **Federal Unsubsidized Stafford Loan:** Loans available to students with no need, however, student pays interest rate while in school.
- Undergraduates are eligible to apply for any of the five Federal aid programs. Graduate students may apply for only Federal Work Study, Federal Perkins Direct Student Loan and Federal Stafford Student Loan. All students apply on the FAFSA.

State Aid Programs

In addition to the Federal aid programs, state aid programs offer additional funding for students to meet their educational costs. There are grants, scholarships, work -study and loans for which the students might be eligible. The following is a list of some of the aid available in the six southwestern states. Contact the institution on which you plan to attend to apply for these programs.

Arizona

- State Student Incentive Grant (SSIG)

California

- Cal Grant A
- Cal Grant B
- Educational Fee Deferment Loan Program

Colorado

- State Student Incentive Grant (SSIG)
- Supplementary Educational Opportunity Grant
- College Work-Study Program
- Guaranteed Student Loan
- Parent Loan Program (PLUS)
- Merit Work-Study, Non-resident Merit Work-Study
- Dependents of Law Enforcement Officers and Firemen

Nevada

- State Student Incentive Grant
- Bob Davis Scholarship Grant
- Grants-in-aid/Scholarships
- Regents grants-in-aid
- Indian grants-in-aid
- Resident Widows of Veterans and Dependents of POW/MIA
- Scholar Program
- Guaranteed Student Loan Program
- Parent Loan Program (PLUS)

New Mexico

- State Student Incentive Grant (SSIG)
- Scholarship Programs
- Tuition Waivers

- College Work-Study
- Nursing
- Allied Health

Utah

- Education Fund Grant
- State Student Incentive Grant (SSIG)

Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) Higher Education Grant/Loan Program

Keep in mind that money from the BIA is "supplemental". The law indicates that it may not be used to replace other Federal or State education funds. BIA Grants are meant to be used after the rest of your financial aid package is put together and there is still a need. It is to fill in holes, not to build the wall.

As a citizen of the United States and a private citizen in your state, you have the right to the same financial aid opportunities as any other student. As a registered member of your Tribe, you are eligible for BIA and Tribal grants. BIA money is not a gift or a special favor because you are Native American. Rather, these funds are based on contractual rights in treaties with the Federal government in exchange for Native American lands.

Eligibility Requirements

A grant is available to you as a member of a BIA-recognized Native American Tribe. This may include requirements of financial need, at least one-fourth degree Indian blood, and admittance/permission for enrollment in an accredited institution of higher education.

Selection of a University or College

A student must attend an institution of higher education that has been accredited by a nationally recognized accrediting agency or association and which provides an education program culminating in a bachelor's degree or an acceptable two-year program leading to an associate's degree.

Application Procedures

1. Obtain an application form for a grant from the Area or Agency office that has service responsibility for your Tribal affiliation.
2. Contact your BIA Tribal census office to obtain a Certificate of Degree of Indian Blood (CDIB) and Tribal enrollment.
3. Complete and mail documents back to the BIA office well in advance of deadlines. Include these documents:
 - BIA Grant Application
 - Certificate of Degree of Indian blood;
 - High School Transcripts or G.E.D. Score (initial applicants only); or grades and transcripts from previous college semester;
 - Letter of Acceptance from that College or University;
 - Certified Financial Aid Package from Financial Aid Office.

4. Be sure your college receives:

- Needs Analysis Application [i.e., Family Financial Statement (FFS), etc.];
- BIA Financial Aid Package Form to be completed by Financial Aid Office.

Deadlines for BIA Application:

Fall Semester, Academic Year: June 1

Spring Semester, Academic Year: October 15

Summer Session: April 15

Deadlines for Colleges/Universities:

Beginning in January and usually before March 15

Critical: Check deadlines for the colleges of your choice well IN ADVANCE.

Satisfactory Academic Achievement for Continuance of Grant Awards

All students must complete 12 or more quarter/semester hours with a minimum of a 2.0 Grade Point Average per quarter/semester.

**TRIBAL HIGHER
EDUCATION PROGRAMS
NEW MEXICO**

ACOMA PUEBLO HIGHER EDUCATION PROGRAM

Lloyd D. Tortalita, Director

PO Box 307

Acoma Pueblo, NM 87034

Direct Line: (505) 552-5121

Fax: (505) 552-6812

DEADLINE:

Fall: May 1 (Supporting Documents – July 1)

Spring: October (Supporting Documents December 1)

Summer: Funding will be awarded **on availability of funds** in the following priority:

1. Seniors
2. Juniors, Sophomores and finally Freshmen, all must have a grade point average of 3.0 and above.

EIGHT NORTHERN INDIAN PUEBLOS COUNCIL, INC.

Kimberly Othole, Higher-Ed Advisor

Higher Education Program

19 Industrial Park Rd., Suite 3

Santa Fe, NM 87506

Phone: (505) 455-1800

Fax: (505) 455-1805

Email: enipc_he@yahoo.com

DEADLINE:

Fall: June 30th

Spring: December 30th

Summer: April 30th

AMOUNT: Based on Financial Needs Analysis

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be an enrolled member of Tesuque, Pojoaque, San Ildefonso, Picuris, or Nambé Pueblos
2. GPA 2.0 or better

JICARILLA HIGHER EDUCATION PROGRAM

Elizabeth Muniz, Director

P.O. Box 1099

Dulce, NM 87528-1099

Direct Line: (575) 759-3316/4330

Fax: (575) 759-4392

Email: jicarillahep@yahoo.com

DEADLINE:

Fall: March 1 (Supporting documents-June 15)

Spring: October 1 (Supporting documents-November 15)

FAFSA: April 16

MESCALERO APACHE TRIBAL SCHOLARSHIP

John Shendo, Director
Rutalee. Bob, Assistant Director
Mescalero Tribal Education
P.O. Box 227
Mescalero, NM 88340
Direct Line: (575) 464-4500
Fax: (575) 646-4508

DEADLINE:

Academic Year: June 1st
Spring: November 1st
Summer: April 1st

AMOUNT OF AID: Maximum per semester \$4,000

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Applicants must be enrolled members of the Mescalero Apache Tribe.
2. Must have a GPA of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale.

OFFICE OF NAVAJO NATION SCHOLARSHIP AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Rose Graham, Department Manager: rosegraham@navajo.org
Direct Line (928) 871-7424
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DEADLINE:

Fall (Academic Year) - June 25
Spring(Winter/Spring Term only) - Nov. 25
Summer - April 25

*Rules and Regulations subject to change

AREA OFFICES:

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Senior Financial Aid Counselor
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Direct Line: (928) 871-7434
Toll free number: (800) 243-2956

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P.O. Box 1269
Ohkay Owingeh, NM 87566
Direct: (505) 852-3477/3478
Student Line: (866) 566-9636
Fax: (505) 852-3030
Website: www.sanjuaned.org

REQUIREMENTS: Please call for eligibility requirements and deadlines.

PUEBLO OF COCHITI

Education Department
P.O. Box 70
Cochiti, NM 87072
Direct Line: (505) 465-3115
Fax: (505) 465-1135

DEADLINE:

Fall: June 15th-August 1st
Spring: November 15-January 8th
Summer: March 1st-April 30th (Seniors ONLY, if funds are available)

PUEBLO OF ISLETA

Department of Education
Cecilia Jaramillo
Email: poi08004@isletapueblo.com
P.O. Box 1270
Isleta, NM 87022
Phone: (505) 869-2680 ext 433
Fax: (505) 869-7690
Website: www.isletapueblo.com

DEADLINE:

Summer: April 1st
Fall: July 1st
Spring: November 1st

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must apply for other financial assistance through the FAFSA application process and private scholarship sources.
2. Must have a high school diploma or GED certificate.
3. Must be a “first-time” degree-seeking student for a certificate, associate, bachelor, master or doctorate degree.
4. Must be accepted by an accredited institution (definition in application packet)
5. Must complete the entire application process and submit all required documents by the appropriate deadline(s).

ELIGIBILITY:

1. Part-time and/or graduate supplemental scholarship available only to enrolled tribal members of the Pueblo of Isleta.
2. Full-time supplemental scholarship available to either descendent or enrolled tribal members of the Pueblo of Isleta.

PUEBLO OF JEMEZ SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Kevin Shendo, Director

Scholarship Program

P.O. Box 60

Jemez Pueblo, NM 87024

Direct Line: (505) 834-9102

Toll Free: 1-888-834-3936

Fax: (505) 834-7900

Email: higher_ed@jemezpueblo.org

DEADLINE:

Fall Semester: Initial Application by April 30,
(Supporting documents-July 15)

Spring Semester: Initial Application by October 31
(Supporting documents-January 15)

REQUIREMENTS: Must be enrolled member of the Pueblo of Jemez (CIB is required), must be a full time student carrying at least 12 credit hours, must be attending an accredited college/university earning either an Associates or Bachelors degree. GPA of 2.0, requires two letters of recommendation. Official Transcript form the last school attended and must have filled out Federal Application for Student Aid (FAFSA). One page typed personal statement detailing career goals.

Health Scholarship-Same requirements as the Tribal Scholarship but must maintain 2.5 GPA overall

Books and Materials Scholarship-Same requirements except that the student can be part-time and obtaining a Health certificate at the institution attending. This scholarship only covers books and materials. Deadline for this scholarship is Fall Semester August 15, and the Spring Semester is May 15.

PUEBLO OF LAGUNA

Mike Conant, Director

Higher Education Program

Laguna Education Foundation

P.O. Box 645
Laguna, NM 87026-0645
Phone: (505) 552-6377
Cell: (505) 453-7905
Fax: (505) 552-6398
E-mail: m.conant@lagunaed.net
Website: www.lagunaedfoundation.org
DEADLINE: May 23rd, or contact program (subject to change)

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be a “regular-enrolled” member of the Pueblo of Laguna, New Mexico
2. Must have a high school diploma or GED certificate
3. Must be a “first-time” degree-seeking student as an transferable Associate or Bachelor recipient
4. Must be accepted by a regionally accredited post-secondary institution (definition in packet)
5. Must be considered a full-time enrolled student by an regionally accredited institution each term
6. Must apply for other financial assistance by the FAFSA and institutions’ financial aid process

PUEBLO OF NAMBE

Please see Eight Northern Indian Pueblos Council, Inc.

PUEBLO OF PICURIS

Please see Eight Northern Indian Pueblos Council, Inc.

PUEBLO OF POJOAQUE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Cristal Suazo
101 C Lightning Loop
Santa Fe, NM 87506
Phone: (505) 455-9355
Fax: (505) 455-3360
Email: csuazo@puebloofpojaoque.org

COMMENTS: Contact program for scholarship information and deadlines.

PUEBLO OF SAN FELIPE HIGHER EDUCATION PROGRAM

Heather Townsend, Director
P.O. Box 4339
San Felipe, NM 87001
Phone: (505) 867-5234/5944
Fax: (505) 867-8867
Email: sanfelipeed@hotmail.com
DEADLINE: Contact Program (subject to change)

PUEBLO OF SANTA ANA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Higher Education Scholarship Program

02 Dove Rd

Bernalillo, NM 87004

Phone: (505) 867-1623

Fax: (505) 771-6782

DEADLINE:

Fall/Spring/Summer: March 15th of each year

Required Documents: April 27th of each year

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be an enrolled member of the Pueblo of Santa Ana Tribe or a traditionally accepted member of the Pueblo of Santa Ana, NOT receiving benefits from another tribe.
2. Must submit a Certificate of Indian Blood (CIB) to the Higher Education Scholarship Program for Pueblo of Santa Ana enrollment verification.
3. Must submit documentation verifying traditional acceptance. (Contact the Pueblo of Santa Ana Enrollment Office).
4. Must have been, and must continue to be an active participant in Tribal affairs: i.e. community work, winter/spring hunts, dancing, etc. If an applicant leaves the Pueblo to attend a college/university, students are strongly encouraged to return periodically and actively participate in community affairs, to qualify for continued funding. Participation is based on one's own honor to uphold the traditional and cultural responsibilities and obligations accorded to all residents of the Pueblo of Santa Ana.

HOW TO APPLY: To be considered for funding, applicant must submit all required document, on established due dates, to the Pueblo of Santa Ana Department of Education. Please contact for further information.

PUEBLO OF SANTO DOMINGO SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

P.O. Box 160

Santo Domingo Pueblo, NM 87052

Direct Line: (505) 465-2214 Ext. 227/228

Fax: (505) 465-2688

Email: kewaeduc@yahoo.com

DEADLINE:

Fall: March 1st

Spring: November 1st

PUEBLO OF TAOS EDUCATION & TRAINING DIVISION

Briana Cordova, Administrative Assistant/Intake Coordinator

P.O. Box 1846

Taos, NM 87571

Phone: (575) 758-5990

Fax: (575) 737-5140

Email: bcordova@taospueblo.com or education@taospueblo.com

DEADLINE:

Spring: October 30

Summer: April 30

Fall: June 30

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Complete the Taos Pueblo Scholarship Application;
2. Taos Pueblo enrollment verification;
3. Acceptance to an accredited college/university;
4. Relevant transcripts;
5. Financial Needs Analysis (FNA);
6. Two letters of recommendation;
7. Statement of educational goals that specifically declares a major;
8. Student Aid Report; and
9. Privacy statement form.

PUEBLO OF ZIA EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

M. Sarah Pino, Director

135 Capitol Square Dr.

Zia Pueblo, NM 87053-6013

Direct Line: (505) 867-3304

Fax: (505) 867-3308

DEADLINE:

Fall-March 1 (Supporting documents-June 1)

Spring-September 1 (Supporting documents-December 1)

Summer-No funding available

PUEBLO OF ZUNI SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Mr. Joshua Lucio, Coordinator, Education & Training

P.O. Box 339

Zuni, NM 87327

Direct Line: (505) 782-7186/7178

Fax: (505) 782-7223/7228

Email: jlucio@ashiwi.org

Website: www.ashiwi.org/highered/zecdchome.htm

DEADLINE:

Fall: June 30

Spring: October 30

Summer: April 30

All applicants must schedule Intake with Zuni Education and Career Development Center (ZECDC), and/or update Intake every year. Appointments can be scheduled by calling (505)782-7178.

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO HIGHER EDUCATION
DEPARTMENT**

New Mexico Higher Education Department

1068 Cerrillos Rd

Santa Fe, NM 87505-1650

Phone: (505) 476-6500

Financial Aid Hotline: 1-800-279-9777

LEGISLATIVE LOTTERY SCHOLARSHIP

(Formerly known as the Lottery Success Scholarship)

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

AMOUNT: Tuition only

REQUIREMENTS:

1. New Mexico residents
2. Graduated from a New Mexico public high school, an accredited New Mexico private high school, or have obtained a New Mexico GED
3. Home Schooled students are eligible only if they pass the New Mexico GED
4. Must be enrolled full-time and complete 12 credit hours, and a 2.5 grade point average at an eligible New Mexico public college or university, in the first regular semester immediately following their high school graduation
5. Undergraduate

HOW TO APPLY: Contact the Financial Aid Office at the college or university to inquire about the application process.

DEADLINE: Deadlines are set by each institution

COMMENTS: The Legislative Lottery Scholarship helps pay tuition expenses for New Mexico high school graduates (or GED recipients) who plan to attend an eligible New Mexico public college or university. It is renewable if the student maintains satisfactory progress and full-time status. Students may receive the scholarship for a total of eight (8) consecutive semesters.

NEW MEXICO SCHOLARS

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

AMOUNT: Tuition, fees, and books

REQUIREMENTS:

1. New Mexico residents
2. Graduated from New Mexico high school in the top 5% of their class or score 25 on ACT
3. Attend eligible college or university by the end of their 21st birthday
4. Undergraduate
5. Enroll full-time
6. Combined family income may not exceed \$30,000 per year
7. If 2 or more family members are in college, combined family income may not exceed \$40,000 per year.

HOW TO APPLY: Contact the Financial Aid Office at the college or university to inquire about the application process.

DEADLINE: Deadlines are set by each institution

COMMENTS: The New Mexico Scholars Program was created to encourage New Mexico high school students to attend public post-secondary institutions or the following private colleges in New Mexico:

College of Santa Fe

St. John's College

College of the Southwest

Scholarship is renewable if student meets eligibility requirements. Student may receive scholarship no more than 4 years.

LEGISLATIVE ENDOWMENT SCHOLARSHIP

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

AMOUNT: Four-year schools up to \$2500 per academic year
Two-year schools up to \$1000 per academic year

ELIGIBILITY:

1. New Mexico resident
2. Attend a public, post-secondary institution in New Mexico
3. Undergraduate
4. Enroll at least half-time
5. Demonstrate financial need

HOW TO APPLY: Contact the Financial Aid Office at the college or university to inquire about the application process.

DEADLINE: Deadlines are set by each institution

COMMENTS: The Legislative Endowment Scholarship provides aid for undergraduate students with substantial financial need who are attending public post-secondary institutions in New Mexico. Scholarship is renewable if student maintains satisfactory progress.

COMPETITIVE SCHOLARSHIP

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

AMOUNT: Recipients of at least \$100 in Competitive Scholarship funds per semester are eligible for resident tuition and fees.

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Non-resident or non-citizen of the United States
2. Attend a public 4-year university in New Mexico
3. Undergraduate
4. Enroll full-time
5. High school GPA and ACT/SAT score criteria apply

HOW TO APPLY: Contact the Financial Aid Office at the college or university to inquire about the application process.

DEADLINE: Deadlines are set by each institution

COMMENTS: Competitive Scholarships were created to encourage out-of-state students, who have demonstrated high academic achievement in high school, to enroll in public 4-year universities in New Mexico. Scholarship is renewable for up to 4 years.

VIETNAM VETERANS' SCHOLARSHIP

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

AMOUNT: Tuition, required fees, and required books

ELIGIBILITY:

1. Honorably discharged from the armed forces of the United States
2. Resident of New Mexico at original time of entry into the armed forces or who has lived in New Mexico for ten years or more
3. Has been awarded a Vietnam campaign medal for service in Vietnam during the period of August 5, 1964 to the official termination of the Vietnam conflict
4. Undergraduate or graduate student

DEADLINE: Deadline set by each institution

HOW TO APPLY: Contact the New Mexico Veterans' Service Commission at 1-505-827-6300 or the Financial Aid Office at any New Mexico public or eligible private institution.

COMMENTS: The Vietnam Veterans' Scholarship Program was created to provide aid for Vietnam veterans who are undergraduate and graduate students attending public post-secondary or select private colleges in New Mexico. Scholarship is renewable if student maintains satisfactory progress.

COLLEGE AFFORDABILITY GRANT

TYPE OF AID: Grant

AMOUNT: max of \$1000 per semester

ELIGIBILITY:

1. New Mexico residents
2. Undergraduate
3. Attend a public New Mexico college or university
4. Must demonstrate financial need as determined by the Free Application for Federal Aid (FAFSA)
5. May not be receiving any other state grants and scholarships
6. Enroll at least half-time

HOW TO APPLY: Each applicant is required to submit the FAFSA. Contact the Financial Aid Office at the college or university to inquire about the application process.

DEADLINE: Deadline set by each institution

COMMENTS: The purpose of the College Affordability Grant is to encourage New Mexico students with financial need, who do not qualify for other state grants or scholarships, to attend and complete educational programs at a public New Mexico college or university. Grant is renewable if student maintains satisfactory progress. Student may receive scholarship for a total of eight (8) consecutive semesters.

NEW MEXICO STUDENT INCENTIVE GRANT

TYPE OF AID: Grant

AMOUNT: From \$200 to \$2500 per year
Pro-rated awards available for part-time students

ELIGIBILITY:

1. US Citizen

2. New Mexico resident
3. Undergraduate
4. Enroll at least half-time
5. Demonstrate financial need

HOW TO APPLY: Contact the Financial Aid Office at the college or university to inquire about the application process.

DEADLINE: Deadline set by each institution

COMMENTS: The New Mexico Student Incentive Grant was created to provide aid for undergraduate students with substantial financial need who are attending public colleges or universities or the following eligible colleges in New Mexico:

College of Santa Fe

St. John's College

College of the Southwest

Institute of American Indian Art

Crownpoint Institute of Technology

Dine College

Southwestern Indian Polytechnic Institute

STUDENT CHOICE GRANT

TYPE OF AID: Grant

AMOUNT: Determined by the institution
Pro-rated awards for part-time students

ELIGIBILITY:

1. New Mexico residents
2. Undergraduate
3. Enroll at least half-time
4. Demonstrate substantial financial need

HOW TO APPLY: Contact the Financial Aid Office at the college or university

DEADLINE: Set by each institution

COMMENTS: Student Choice Grants were created to provide aid for undergraduate students with substantial financial need who are attending the following private institutions in New Mexico.

College of Santa Fe

St. John's College

College of the Southwest

NEW MEXICO WORK STUDY PROGRAM

TYPE OF AID: Work Study

AMOUNT: Varies

ELIGIBILITY:

1. U.S. Citizen
2. New Mexico resident
3. Undergraduate or graduate
4. Enroll at least half-time during regular session
5. Enroll at least 3 credit hours during summer session

6. Demonstrate financial need

HOW TO APPLY: Contact the Financial Aid Office at the college or university to inquire about the application process

DEADLINE: Set by each institution

COMMENTS: The New Mexico Work Study Program was created to provide funding for employment opportunities for qualified resident students attending public colleges or universities and other eligible colleges in New Mexico.

TEACHER LOAN-FOR-SERVICE

TYPE OF AID: Loan-For-Service

AMOUNT: Varies, not to exceed \$4000 a year

ELIGIBILITY:

1. New Mexico resident
2. Be accepted into Teaching program or an alternative licensure teacher preparation program at a public college or university
3. Enroll at least half-time
4. Undergraduate or graduate
5. Demonstrate financial need

HOW TO APPLY:

1. Complete the FAFSA
2. Complete the Teacher Loan-for-Service Application
3. Request school certification
4. Send complete application to New Mexico Higher Education Department

DEADLINE: Must be postmarked by July 1st

COMMENTS: The purpose of the Teacher Loan-for-Service is to proactively address New Mexico's teacher shortage by providing students with the financial resources to complete or enhance their post-secondary teacher preparation education. As a condition of each loan, the student shall declare his/her intent to practice as a teacher in the New Mexico public school system. For every year of service, a portion of the loan will be forgiven. If the entire service agreement is fulfilled, 100% of the loan is eligible for forgiveness. Penalties may be assessed if the service agreement is not satisfied. The award may be renewed for up to five years if application is submitted each year.

NURSING LOAN-FOR-SERVICE

TYPE OF AID: Loan-For-Service

AMOUNT: Varies, not to exceed \$12,000 a year

ELIGIBILITY:

1. New Mexico resident
2. Be accepted into a Nursing program at a New Mexico public college or university
3. Enroll at least half-time
4. Demonstrate financial need

HOW TO APPLY:

1. Complete the FAFSA
2. Complete the Loan-for-Service Application
3. Request school certification

4. Send complete application to New Mexico Higher Education Department

DEADLINE: Must be postmarked by July 1st

COMMENTS: The purpose of the Nursing Loan-for-Service is to increase the number of nurses in areas of the state which have experienced shortages by making educational loans to students entering nursing programs. As a condition of each loan, the student shall declare his/her intent to practice as a health professional in a designated shortage area. For every year of service, a portion of the loan will be forgiven. If the entire service agreement is fulfilled, 100% of the loan is eligible for forgiveness. Penalties may be assessed if the service agreement is not satisfied. The award may be renewable for up to four years if application is submitted each year.

MEDICAL LOAN-FOR-SERVICE

TYPE OF AID: Loan-For-Service

AMOUNT: Varies, not to exceed \$25000 a year

ELIGIBILITY:

1. New Mexico resident
2. Be accepted into the UNM School of Medicine
3. Enroll at least half-time
4. Demonstrate financial need

HOW TO APPLY:

1. Complete the FAFSA
2. Complete the Loan-for-Service Application
3. Request school certification
4. Send complete application to New Mexico Higher Education Department

DEADLINE: Must be postmarked by July 1st

COMMENTS: The purpose of the Medical Loan-for-Service is to increase the number of physicians in areas of the state which have experienced shortages by making educational loans to students entering medical school. As a condition of each loan, the student shall declare his/her intent to practice as a health professional in a designated shortage area. For every year of service, a portion of the loan will be forgiven. If the entire service agreement is fulfilled, 100% of the loan is eligible for forgiveness. Penalties may be assessed if the service agreement is not satisfied. The award may be renewable for up to four years if application is submitted each year.

ALLIED HEALTH LOAN-FOR-SERVICE

TYPE OF AID: Loan-For-Service

AMOUNT: Varies, not to exceed \$12000 a year

ELIGIBILITY:

1. New Mexico resident
2. Attending a public, post-secondary institution in New Mexico
3. Enroll at least half-time
4. Demonstrate financial need

HOW TO APPLY:

1. Complete the FAFSA
2. Complete the Loan-for-Service Application

3. Request school certification
4. Send complete application to New Mexico Higher Education Department

DEADLINE: Must be postmarked by July 1st

COMMENTS: The purpose of the Allied Health Loan-for-Service is to increase the number of physician assistants in areas of the state which have experienced shortages of health practitioners, by making educational loans to students seeking certification/licensers in an eligible health field, including: Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy, Speech-language pathology, Audiology, Pharmacy, Respiratory Care, Laboratory Technology, Mental Health Services, Emergency Medical Services, and Nutrition.

As a condition of each loan, the student shall declare his/her intent to practice as a health professional in a designated shortage area. For every year of service, a portion of the loan will be forgiven. If the entire service agreement is fulfilled, 100% of the loan is eligible for forgiveness. Penalties may be assessed if the service agreement is not satisfied. The award may be renewable for up to four years if application is submitted each year.

MINORITY DOCTORAL ASSISTANCE LOAN-FOR-SERVICE PROGRAM

TYPE OF AID: Loan-For-Service

AMOUNT: Average of \$15000 per year

ELIGIBILITY:

1. Must have completed a baccalaureate degree at a New Mexico four-year public post-secondary institution in engineering, physical or life sciences, mathematics or any other academic discipline in which ethnic minorities and women are demonstrably underrepresented at a New Mexico four-year public post-secondary institution;
2. Must have met the admission requirements and can demonstrate acceptance for enrollment as a full-time doctoral student from an eligible institution;
3. Must have been interviewed and recommended by an academic committee appointed by the president of the institution and consisting of two faculty members, two academic administrators and one central administrator from the sponsoring institution;
4. Must have the final approval of the sponsoring institution's chief academic officer and the president;
5. Must have a commitment from the sponsoring institution that a tenure-track faculty position will be available in the individual's discipline when they complete their doctoral degree and are ready to return to the institution as faculty;
6. Must have complied with all the rules and regulations adopted by the New Mexico Higher Education Department pursuant to the Minority Doctoral Assistance Loan for Service Program; and
7. Must be a citizen of the United States.

HOW TO APPLY:

1. Complete the Minority Doctoral Assistance Loan for Service Application and return all required documents to the sponsoring institution by their deadline.
2. Each sponsoring institution will send the New Mexico Higher Education Department a list of finalists in rand order by March 15
3. The New Mexico Higher Education Department will make final decision on the selection of participants and will send notification.

4. The selected participants will be required to return all contracts and forms to the New Mexico Higher Education Department to receive funding.

DEADLINE: March 15

COMMENTS: The Minority Doctoral Assistance Loan for Service Program was enacted to increase the number of ethnic minorities and women available to teach engineering, physical or life sciences, mathematics and other academic disciplines in which ethnic minorities or women are demonstrably underrepresented in New Mexico Colleges and Universities. The state encourages partnerships between the New Mexico Higher Education Department, institutions of higher education and students interested in entering a doctoral program to cultivate greater participation by underrepresented groups in doctoral programs leading to careers as university faculty. As a conditional of each loan, the student shall declare his/her intent to secure a faculty position at a New Mexico public university to teach their field of study. For every year of service, a portion of the loan will be forgiven. If the entire service agreement is fulfilled, 100% of the loan is eligible for forgiveness. Penalties may be assessed if the service agreement is not satisfied.

NURSE EDUCATOR LOAN-FOR-SERVICE

TYPE OF AID: Loan for Service

AMOUNT: May not exceed \$5,000 per year

ELIGIBILITY:

1. U.S citizen or eligible non-citizen
2. New Mexico resident
3. Be accepted into a Nursing program at a New Mexico public college or university
4. Enroll in at least three (3) credit hours
5. Currently employed or declare intent to be employed as a nurse educator

HOW TO APPLY:

1. Complete the Loan-for-Service Application
2. Request school certification
3. Send complete application to New Mexico Higher Education Department

DEADLINE: Must be postmarked by July 1st

COMMENTS: The purpose of the New Mexico Nurse Educator Loan-for-Service program is to enhance the ability of college- and university-employed nursing educators to obtain Bachelor of Science, Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy degrees. As a condition of each loan, the student shall declare his/her intent to serve in a nurse faculty position in a New Mexico public, post-secondary institution. For every academic year of service, a portion of the loan will be forgiven. If the entire service agreement is fulfilled, 100% of the loan is eligible for forgiveness. Penalties may be assessed if the service agreement is not satisfied. Award may be renewable.

WICHE LOAN-FOR-SERVICE (PROFESSIONAL STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAM)

TYPE OF AID: Loan for Service

AMOUNT: Determined by WICHE

REQUIREMENTS:

1. A resident who graduated from a New Mexico high school or resided in New Mexico for three consecutive years prior to application to the program.
2. Attend an eligible public or private school listed at www.wiche.edu/sep/PSEP/

HOW TO APPLY:

1. Complete the WICHE Loan-for-Service Application and return all required documents to the New Mexico Higher Education Department
2. Submit letter of acceptance from each school
3. WICHE will rank each candidate and provide list to New Mexico to consider for funding

DEADLINE: Must be postmarked by October 15th

COMMENTS: The purpose of the Western Interstate Commission on Higher Education (WICHE) Loan-for-Service Program is to allow New Mexico students to enroll at selected out-of-state graduate or professional programs which are not offered at New Mexico public universities. Exchange students receive preference in admission. They pay reduced levels of tuition: for most students, resident tuition in public institutions or reduced standard at private schools. New Mexico pays a support fee to the admitting school to help cover the cost of students' education. Fields supported include: **Dentistry, Graduate Library Studies, Optometry, Veterinary Medicine, Osteopathic Medicine.** As a condition of each loan, the student shall declare his/her intent to return to New Mexico to practice as a professional in their field of study. *WICHE considers the entire state of New Mexico a shortage area.* For every year of service, a portion of the loan will be forgiven. If the entire service agreement is fulfilled, 100% of the loan is eligible for forgiveness. Penalties may be assessed if the service agreement is not satisfied. Award may be renewable for up to four years.

**TRIBAL HIGHER EDUCATION PROGRAMS
OUT OF STATE**

ANCHORAGE REGION

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CHICKASAW NATION EDUCATION SERVICES

124 E. 14th St.
Ada, OK 74820
Phone: (580) 421-7711
Fax: (580) 436-3733
Website: www.chickasaweducationservices.com

TYPE OF AID: Scholarships:

- Chickasaw Nation General Scholarship
- Laptop Scholarship
- Graduation Fee Reimbursement
- Graduation Watch Program
- Graduation Stole Program
- Classification Change Incentive
- Degree Completion Incentive
- License & Certification Assistance
- Clothing Scholarship
- Chickasaw Nation Millennium Scholarship
- Governor's, Lt. Governor's, Legislator's Scholarship
- Higher Education Grant
- Textbook Grant
- JOM Scholarship

DEADLINE: Fall: September 1st
Spring: February 1st
Summer: June 15th

DURATION: Current Undergraduate, Graduate, and Post-Graduate.

AMOUNT: see student handbook at website www.chickasaweducationservices.com

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Proof of Chickasaw citizenship (photo)
2. High school diploma, GED, or official college transcript
3. Students must be enrolled in 3 hours or more.
4. Letter of recommendation (high school seniors only applying for the Chickasaw Nation Millennium Scholarship)
5. Typewritten essay (high school seniors only applying for the Chickasaw Nation Millennium Scholarship)
6. Proof of enrollment

COMMENTS: This is supplemental aid. Students may attend any accredited college/university in the US. Funding for vocational and tech programs available through our career technology program.

CHOCTAW NATION OF OKLAHOMA

Higher Education Program

Larry Wade, Director

P.O. Box 1210

Durant, OK 74702-1210

Phone: (580) 924-8280

Toll Free: (800) 522-6170

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship Program

DURATION: 1 year, renewable

AMOUNT: Maximum is \$2,000 per year

DEADLINE: FALL: October 1, SPRING: March 15

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Proof of Choctaw ancestry (CDIB and Tribal Membership Card).
2. High school transcript for first time freshmen only, all others must provide college transcript.
3. GPA 2.5 or above.
4. Full-time students must carry 12 hours or better, part-time students, at least 6 hours, but less than 12.
5. Must be attending an accredited college/university earning at least an Associate's Degree.
6. Awards based on academics.

INTERIOR/INDIAN AFFAIRS

Midwest Region

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MAE LASSLEY SCHOLARSHIP FUND

c/o Sarah Jameson

PO Box 690240

Tulsa, OK 74169-0240

Phone: (918) 294-1904 x4928/ direct line 918/307-4928

Email: sarah.jameson@dioceseoftulsa.org

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

DEADLINE: April 15

DURATION: One year, renewable

AMOUNT: \$250.00 - \$1,000 a year, based on need

REQUIREMENT:

1. Proof of Osage Indian descent.
2. Must show financial need.
3. 1st priority goes to Catholics applying.

COMMENTS: Scholarships are awarded for college/university training. This aid is meant to be supplemental. Apply to the above address for a new application.

NORTH DAKOTA INDIAN SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Rhonda Schauer

919 S.7th St., Suite 300

Bismarck, ND 58504-5881

Phone: (701) 328-9661

DEADLINE: July 15th of each year

DURATION: No limitations, must maintain full student status

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be of one-fourth degree Indian blood or an enrolled member of a federally recognized tribe and a resident of North Dakota.
2. Must be accepted for admission at an institution of higher education or state vocational education program within North Dakota.
3. Must be enrolled full-time.
4. May not have a GPA below 2.0

COMMENTS: A completed application must include an application form, certification of Indian blood or tribal enrollment, latest transcript, and budget form completed by the financial aid officer at the school the student plans to attend.

OKLAHOMA AREA EDUCATION OFFICE

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Oklahoma City, OK 73102

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OSAGE NATION HIGHER EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Jennifer Holding

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Hominy, OK 74035

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Toll Free: (800) 390-6724

Fax: (918) 287-5567

Email: jholding@osagetribe.org

Website: www.osagetribe.com/education

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship, Grant

DEADLINE: Fall: July 1

Spring: December 31

REQUIREMENTS: Summer: May 1
Application
Osage Nation Membership Card
Verification of Enrollment
Transcripts
Financial Aid Package Form

COMMENTS: The Osage Nation Higher Education Scholarship consists of the Osage Higher Education Grant, the Mary Tinker Scholarship Fund, the Morris E. & Ethyl Carlton Wheeler Scholarship and Osage Nation Revenue. Scholarships are available to Osage Indians attending a college or university for undergraduate and graduate level degrees. Part-time students may be awarded for at least 6 credit hours; the awards will be pro-rated for the number of hours enrolled.

OSAGE TRIBAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE SCHOLARSHIP

c/o Oklahoma Area Education Office
Cheryl Lewis, Business Tech Officer
200 NW 4th Street, Suite 4049
Oklahoma City, OK 73102
Phone: (405) 605-6051
Fax: (405) 605-6057

TYPE OF AID: Award

DEADLINE: July 1-Fall, December 31-Spring, May 1-Summer

DURATION: (10 semester limit) Must apply every semester

AMOUNT: \$200.00 - \$490.00 per semester

REQUIREMENT:

1. Proof of Osage Indian descent.
2. Verification of school enrollment

COMMENTS: Scholarships are awarded for Vocational, Technical & college/university training. This aid is meant to be supplemental. Must maintain a 2.00 GPA.

PACIFIC REGION

Bureau of Indian Education
2800 Cottage Way
Sacramento, CA 95825
Phone: (916) 978-6057

ROCKY MOUNTAIN REGION

Barbara Parisian, Acting Education Line Officer
BIA, Office of Indian Education Programs
316 North 26th Street
Billings, MT 59101
Phone: (406) 247-7953
Fax: (406) 247-7965

USET SCHOLARSHIP FUND

United South & Eastern Tribes Scholarship Fund

711 Stewarts Ferry Pike, Suite 100

Nashville, TN 37214

Phone: (615) 872-7900

Fax: (615) 872-7417

E-mail: tembry@usetinc.org

DEADLINE: April 30th every year

DURATION: One year

AMOUNT: \$500

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be a member of one of the USET Tribes (listed on application)
2. Must demonstrate financial need

AGRICULTURE

COLLEGE AND VOCATIONAL/TECHNICAL SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

National FFA Organization
Scholarship Office
National FFA Center
6060 FFA Drive
P.O. Box 68960
Indianapolis, IN 48268-0960
Website: <http://www.ffa.org>
Email: scholarships@ffa.org

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

DEADLINE: February 15

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be FFA members
2. Can either be a high school senior or enrolled full time in college at the time of applying

COMMENTS: The National FFA Organization offers several scholarships for students in their senior year of high school or first year of college. Scholarship recipients are determined by the Scholarship Committee based on detailed qualifications as listed in the agreements between the sponsors and the National FFA.

INTERTRIBAL AGRICULTURE COUNCIL (IAC) SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Intertribal Agriculture Council
100 North 27th Street, Suite 500
Billings, MT 59101-2054
Phone: (406) 259-3525
Fax: (406) 256-9980

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

AMOUNT: \$300 per semester

DEADLINE: Open

FIELD OF STUDY: Agriculture, Agriculture Business, Agriculture Education, Agriculture Engineering, Animal Science, Environmental Management, Horticulture, Natural Resource Management, Range Management, Soil Science, Veterinary Medicine, or related fields of study

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Enrolled member of a federally recognized tribe or Alaska Native. All applicants are expected to provide documentation that they meet eligibility criteria.
2. Must be enrolled in a nationally or regionally accredited institution of higher education and attend on a full-time basis.
3. Must maintain a 2.0 minimum GPA
4. All IAC scholars must sign a Scholarship Agreement prior to IAC payment of scholarship funds.

COMMENTS: Please contact the IAC for further information and application details.

NAPI SCHOLARS PROGRAM

Beulah John, Human Resources Manager
Navajo Agricultural Products Industry (NAPI)
P.O. Drawer 1318
Farmington, NM 87499
Phone: (505) 566-2696
Email: bjohn@navajopride.com

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship at New Mexico State University
AMOUNT: \$2,500 plus tuition, fees, books/semester
FIELD OF STUDY: Two scholarships in Agriculture, Business, & Engineering
REQUIREMENTS:

1. Maintain appropriate academic progress
2. Follow NAPI Scholars Program stated requirements
3. Will intern with NAPI
4. Will accept employment with NAPI upon completion of program

COMMENTS: This program is a capacity building arrangement agreed upon by NAPI and NMSU. NAPI and NMSU provide the resources to develop professionals needed at the NAPI facility on the Navajo Reservation in San Juan County, New Mexico. Students accept assistance to earn degrees then accept offer of professional employment for a minimum of one-half the time they received aid. Contact Beulah John for NAPI scholarship requirements.

SOUTHWEST INDIAN AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION (SWIAA)

P.O. Box 93524
Phoenix, AZ 85070-3524
Fax: (520) 562-2840
Email: swiaa@att.net

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship
DEADLINE: Late November
AMOUNT: \$1,000 (2 undergrad/1 graduate)
REQUIREMENTS: Please contact for further information

BUSINESS

AICPA SCHOLARSHIPS FOR MINORITIES IN ACCOUNTING

American Institute of Certified Public Accountants

1211 Avenue of the Americas

New York, NY 10036-8775

Phone: (212) 596-6270

Email: MIC_Programs@aicpa.org

Website: <http://www.aicpa.org>

DEADLINE: June 1

DURATION: 1 year or semester renewable

AMOUNT: Competitive merit-and need-based awards of up to \$5,000 for outstanding accounting students.

UNDERGRADUATE ELIGIBILITY:

1. A declared accounting major with an overall and accounting GPA of at least 3.3 on a 4 point scale
2. A minority student who has satisfactorily completed at least 30 semester hours, or 45 quarter hours, or equivalent college work, including at least (6) semester hours or equivalent in accounting.
3. Enrolled as a full time undergraduate student (12) semester hours or equivalent at a four-year or upper division institution.
4. Must be a US citizen.

COMMENTS: Application can be obtained at: www.aicpa.org/diversity

BHP-BILLITON SCHOLARSHIP

Attn: Human Resources

PO Box 561

Waterflow, NM 87421

Phone: (505) 598-2169

Fax: (505) 598-2102

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

DEADLINE: June 30th of each year.

DURATION: One year, renewable contingent upon eligibility.

AMOUNT: Minimum awards of \$500-\$1,000

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Enrolled member of Navajo or Ute Mountain Ute Indian. Certification of Tribal membership is required.
2. High School senior admitted to college, students currently attending or admitted to a four-year college.
3. Minimum cumulative B average or 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale. GPA must have been attained as a high school senior or from current college performance.
4. ACT score of 22 or better
5. Must be registered as a full-time student and show proof of full-time student status prior to award payment.

REQUIRED FIELD OF STUDY: Preference is provided. Mining Engineering, Civil Engineering, Environmental Engineering/Science, Mechanical Engineering, Electrical Engineering, and other engineering disciplines related to mining. Non-engineering mining

related disciplines include; Accounting, Information Systems, Occupational Safety, Labor/Industrial Relations and Human Resources. But open to students pursuing any 4yr degree.

BURLINGTON NORTHERN SANTA FE FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

American Indian Sciences and Engineering Society

Scholarship Coordinator

P.O. Box 9828

Albuquerque, NM 87119-9828

Phone: 505-765-1052

Fax: 505-765-5608

Website: www.aises.org

Email: scholarship@aises.org

AMOUNT: \$2,500 per year

DURATION: Four years (8 semesters) or until BS degree is granted

DEADLINE: April 15

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must show proof of enrollment in a federally recognized tribe.
2. Must reside in AZ, CO, KS, MN, MT, ND, NM, OK, SD, WA, or CA, OR.
3. Must be majoring in the following disciplines: math, science, engineering, technology, natural/physical science, medicine/health administration, natural resources or business.
4. Must be a graduating high school senior.
5. Minimum 2.0 GPA
6. Must be a current member of AISES.

COMMENTS: Please contact AISES directly or visit their website for further information and application processes.

IBM SCHOLARSHIP-AISES

Scholarship Coordinator

American Indian Science and Engineering Society

P.O. Box 9828

Albuquerque, NM 87119-9828

Phone: (505) 765-1052 ext.106

Website: www.aises.org

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

AMOUNT: \$1,000 for undergraduates with 3.2 GPA, higher awards for higher GPAs

FIELD OF STUDY: Math, electrical engineering, computer science, computer engineering, computer information systems, industrial engineering, material science, chemical engineering, mechanical engineering, management information systems

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be a current AISES member
2. Must be a US citizen

3. Must be American Indian or an Alaskan Native
4. Must be enrolled as a full-time undergraduate or graduate student at an accredited college or university
5. Must have a 3.2 or higher cumulative grade point average

DEADLINE: June 15th

COMMENTS: Please contact AISES directly or visit their website for further information and application processes.

INTERTRIBAL AGRICULTURE COUNCIL (IAC) SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

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 100 North 27th Street, Suite 500
 Billings, MT 59101-2054
 Phone: (406) 259-3525
 Fax: (406) 256-9980

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship
AMOUNT: \$300 per semester
DEADLINE: Open
FIELD OF STUDY: Agriculture, Agriculture Business, Agriculture Education, Agriculture Engineering, Animal Science, Environmental Management, Horticulture, Natural Resource Management, Range Management, Soil Science, Veterinary Medicine, or related fields of study

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Enrolled member of a federally recognized tribe or Alaska Native. All applicants are expected to provide documentation that they meet eligibility criteria.
2. Must be enrolled in a nationally or regionally accredited institution of higher education and attend on a full-time basis.
3. Must maintain a 2.0 minimum GPA
4. All IAC scholars must sign a Scholarship Agreement prior to IAC payment of scholarship funds.

COMMENTS: Please contact the IAC for further information and application details.

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 Navajo Agricultural Products Industry (NAPI)
 P.O. Drawer 1318
 Farmington, NM 87499
 Phone: (505) 566-2696
 Email: bjohn@navajopride.com

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship at New Mexico State University
AMOUNT: \$2,500 plus tuition, fees, books/semester
FIELD OF STUDY: Two scholarships in Agriculture, Business, & Engineering

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Maintain appropriate academic progress
2. Follow NAPI Scholars Program stated requirements

3. Will intern with NAPI
4. Will accept employment with NAPI upon completion of program

COMMENTS: This program is a capacity building arrangement agreed upon by NAPI and NMSU. NAPI and NMSU provide the resources to develop professionals needed at the NAPI facility on the Navajo Reservation in San Juan County, New Mexico. Students accept assistance to earn degrees then accept offer of professional employment for a minimum of one-half the time they received aid. Contact Beulah John for NAPI scholarship requirements.

WILLIAM C. AND WILHELM A. WUNSCH ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP

Celina Talamantes

New Mexico State University

College of Business Administration and Economics

P.O. Box 30001, MSC 3ADV

Las Cruces, NM 88003

Phone: (505) 646-6028

DEADLINE: March 1st of each year

AMOUNT: Depends on amount in the Endowment

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must attend New Mexico State University.
2. Eligible candidates must demonstrate financial need and have high school academic achievements indicative of the ability to earn a degree from the College of Business.
3. Preferred but not required that candidates reside on or near a reservation and given to candidates on the roll of the Yurok Tribe or the Karuk Tribe of California or on the roll of a NM reservation or pueblo, and to those who intend to apply their education to the management of reservations including the business and asset management of reservations.
4. Eligible candidates must be undergraduates, preferably Freshman.
5. Once selected, recipients may continue to receive the award for more than one year, if the student has maintained a grade point average of 2.5 during their first year and 3.0 thereafter, including graduate school.

ENGINEERING

A.T. ANDERSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Scholarship Coordinator

American Indian Science and Engineering Society

P.O. Box 9828

Albuquerque, NM 87119-9828

Phone: (505) 765-1052 ext.106

Website: www.aises.org

DEADLINE: June 15

DURATION: 1 year

AMOUNT: Undergraduate - \$1,000 /yr; Graduate - \$2,000/yr.

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be an undergraduate or graduate student enrolled full-time.
2. Major in the areas of math, physical science, engineering, medicine, science, or natural resources.
3. Proof of Tribal enrollment is required.
4. Current member of AISES.

COMMENTS: AISES scholarships are for leadership and academic excellence. They are intended to offset unmet need, loans, and/or student work. The student is responsible to assure that reporting requirements to the university are met. Note also that awards will be given within the major degree guidelines of the donor.

BHP-BILLITON SCHOLARSHIP

Attn: Human Resources

PO Box 561

Waterflow, NM 87421

Phone: (505) 598-2169

Fax: (505) 598-2102

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

DEADLINE: June 30th of each year.

DURATION: One year, renewable contingent upon eligibility.

AMOUNT: Minimum awards of \$500-\$1,000

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Enrolled member of Navajo or Ute Mountain Ute Indian. Certification of Tribal membership is required.
2. High School senior admitted to college, students currently attending or admitted to a four-year college.
3. Minimum cumulative B average or 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale. GPA must have been attained as a high school senior or from current college performance.
4. ACT score of 22 or better
5. Must be registered as a full-time student and show proof of full-time student status prior to award payment.

REQUIRED FIELD OF STUDY: Preference is provided. Mining Engineering, Civil Engineering, Environmental Engineering/Science, Mechanical Engineering, Electrical Engineering, and other engineering disciplines related to mining. Non-engineering mining related disciplines include; Accounting, Information Systems, Occupational Safety,

Labor/Industrial Relations and Human Resources. But open to students pursuing any 4yr degree.

BURLINGTON NORTHERN SANTA FE FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

American Indian Sciences and Engineering Society

Scholarship Coordinator

P.O. Box 9828

Albuquerque, NM 87119-9828

Phone: 505-765-1052

Fax: 505-765-5608

Website: www.aises.org

Email: scholarship@aises.org

AMOUNT: \$2,500 per year

DURATION: Four years (8 semesters) or until BS degree is granted

DEADLINE: April 15

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must show proof of enrollment in a federally recognized tribe.
2. Must reside in AZ, CO, KS, MN, MT, ND, NM, OK, SD, WA, or CA, OR.
3. Must be majoring in the following disciplines: math, science, engineering, technology, natural/physical science, medicine/health administration, natural resources or business.
4. Must be a graduating High school Senior.
5. Must be a current member of AISES.

COMMENTS: Please contact AISES directly or visit their website for further information on the application process.

GENERAL MOTORS ENGINEERING SCHOLARSHIP-AISES

Scholarship Coordinator

American Indian Science and Engineering Society

P.O. Box 9828

Albuquerque, NM 87119-9828

Phone: (505) 765-1052 ext.106

Website: www.aises.org

AMOUNT: \$3,000

DEADLINE: June 15

FIELD OF STUDY: Undergraduate or graduate students in engineering. Preference to electrical, industrial or mechanical engineering majors

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must provide proof of tribal enrollment.
2. Must be a member of an American Indian tribe or otherwise considered to be an American Indian by the tribe with which affiliation is claimed or is at least ¼ American Indian blood or is at least ¼ Alaskan Native or considered Alaskan Native by an Alaskan Native group by which affiliation is claimed.
3. Must have a minimum GPA of 3.0
4. Must be a current AISES member

COMMENTS: Please contact AISES directly or visit their website for further information on the application process.

IBM SCHOLARSHIP-AISES

Scholarship Coordinator
American Indian Science and Engineering Society
P.O. Box 9828
Albuquerque, NM 87119-9828
Phone: (505) 765-1052 ext.106
Website: www.aises.org

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship
AMOUNT: \$1,000 for undergraduates with 3.2 GPA, higher awards for higher GPAs
FIELD OF STUDY: Math, electrical engineering, computer science, computer engineering, computer information systems, industrial engineering, material science, chemical engineering, mechanical engineering, management information systems

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be a current AISES member
2. Must be a US citizen
3. Must be American Indian or an Alaskan Native
4. Must be enrolled as a full-time undergraduate or graduate student at an accredited college or university
5. Must have a 3.2 or higher cumulative grade point average

DEADLINE: June 15th

COMMENTS: Please contact AISES directly or visit their website for further information and application processes.

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Billings, MT 59101-2054
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Fax: (406) 256-9980

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship
AMOUNT: \$300 per semester
DEADLINE: Open
FIELD OF STUDY: Agriculture, Agriculture Business, Agriculture Education, Agriculture Engineering, Animal Science, Environmental Management, Horticulture, Natural Resource Management, Range Management, Soil Science, Veterinary Medicine, or related fields of study

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Enrolled member of a federally recognized tribe or Alaska Native. All applicants are expected to provide documentation that they meet eligibility criteria.

2. Must be enrolled in a nationally or regionally accredited institution of higher education and attend on a full-time basis.
3. Must maintain a 2.0 minimum GPA
4. All IAC scholars must sign a Scholarship Agreement prior to IAC payment of scholarship funds.

COMMENTS: Please contact the IAC for further information and application details.

JOHN AND MURIEL LANDIS SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

Scholarship Coordinator
 American Nuclear Society
 555 North Kensington Avenue
 La Grange Park, IL 60526
 Phone: (708) 352-6611
 Fax: (708) 352-0499
 Toll free: (800) 323-3044
 Email: outreach@ans.org
 Website: www.ans.org

AMOUNT: \$4,000

DEADLINE: February 1

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Application with school transcript. Separate application required. See website to download.
2. Must be a US citizen or possess a permanent resident visa.
3. Must be enrolled in a U.S. college or university.
4. Must be sponsored by an ANS local section, division, student branch, committee, member, or organization member.
5. Candidates must have greater than average financial need.
6. Include a letter with the following: name of the university you will be attending, letter of commitment from the school attending, year you will be in the fall (Freshman, Sophomore, Junior), and major course of study.

REQUIRED FIELD OR STUDY: Nuclear science, nuclear engineering or a nuclear related field.

COMMENTS: A maximum of eight scholarships are awarded to undergraduate and graduate students. Consideration is given to conditions or experiences that render the student disadvantaged (e.g. poor high school or undergraduate preparation). Qualified high school seniors are eligible to apply for this scholarship.

NAPI SCHOLARS PROGRAM

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 Navajo Agricultural Products Industry (NAPI)
 P.O. Drawer 1318
 Farmington, NM 87499
 Phone: (505) 566-2696
 Email: bjohn@navajopride.com

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship at New Mexico State University

AMOUNT: \$2,500 plus tuition, fees, books/semester
FIELD OF STUDY: Two scholarships in Agriculture, Business, & Engineering
REQUIREMENTS:

1. Maintain appropriate academic progress
2. Follow NAPI Scholars Program stated requirements
3. Will intern with NAPI
4. Will accept employment with NAPI upon completion of program

COMMENTS: This program is a capacity building arrangement agreed upon by NAPI and NMSU. NAPI and NMSU provide the resources to develop professionals needed at the NAPI facility on the Navajo Reservation in San Juan County, New Mexico. Students accept assistance to earn degrees then accept offer of professional employment for a minimum of one-half the time they received aid. Contact Beulah John for NAPI scholarship requirements.

SOCIETY OF WOMEN ENGINEERS SCHOLARSHIP

230 E. Ohio Street, Suite 400
Chicago, IL 60611-3265
Phone: (312) 596-5223
Toll Free: (877) SWE-INFO
Website: www.swe.org

A. Freshman and Re-Entry Scholarships

DEADLINE: May 15th (applications available from March through May only)

COMMENTS: Freshman Scholarships: Westinghouse Bertha Lamme, General Electric Foundation, TRW Scholarships, Admiral Grace Murray Hopper, Anne Maureen Whitney Barrow Memorial. Re-entry Scholarships: Olive Lynn Salem bier.

B. Sophomore, Junior and Senior Scholarships

DEADLINE: February 1st (applications available from October through January only)

COMMENTS: Northrop Corporation Founders, Dorothy Lemke Howarth, Lillian Moller Gilbreth, Ivy Parker Memorial, David Sarnoff Research Center, MASWE Memorial, Judith Resnik Memorial, Hewlett-Packard, Texaco Foundation Scholarship, Chevron, General Motors Foundation, Microsoft Corporation Scholarships.

C. Graduate Scholarship: General Motors Foundation Scholarship

DEADLINE: February 1st (applications available from October through January only)

REQUIREMENTS: Applicants must have a GPA of 3.5/4.0 or above.

NOTE: These scholarships are open only to women who are majoring in engineering or computer science in a college or university with an ABET-accredited program or in a SWE-approved school, and who will be in a specified year of study during the academic year the grant payment is made. Scholarship information and applications can be obtained from the Dean of Engineering schools or from SWE Headquarters in New York. Requests to SWE headquarters must be accompanied by a self-addressed stamped envelope.

STOKES EDUCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

National Security Agency, Attn: Stokes
9800 Savage Rd., Suite 6779

Ft. George G. Meade, MD 20755-6779

Phone (410) 854-4725 or

Toll Free: 1-866-NSA-HIRE

Website: <http://www.nsa.gov/careers>

TYPE OF AID: Tuition Assistance/Employment

DEADLINE: November 30

DURATION: Up to four years

AMOUNT: All tuition and mandatory fees, year round salary, work experience during the summer breaks (including travel & housing), full time employment after graduation with professional salaries.

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be a high school senior with a GPA of 3.0 or above and score a minimum 1600 on the SAT or 25 on ACT.
2. Intend to pursue a bachelor's degree in the fields below
3. All employees of NSA must be eligible for high level security clearances
4. All applicants must satisfy Agency medical requirements and are subject to a full field background investigation. This requires that you be a U.S. citizen.
5. Must maintain full-time college status, major in the fields listed and maintain 2.75 per semester GPA as a freshman and 3.0 every semester thereafter.

REQUIRED FIELD OF STUDY: Electrical/Computer Engineer, Computer Science. 2yr program for college students with a 3.0 GPA in the fields of language (Farsi, Russian only), international relations, regional studies, or mathematics.

COMMENTS: Participants must agree to continue in the Agency's employment after completion of the training program for a period of one and a half times the length of training. This will normally equal 54 months. All assignments are with the National Security Agency facilities located between Baltimore and Washington, DC. Please see website for further information.

**THE NATIONAL CONSORTIUM FOR GRADUATE DEGREES FOR
MINORITIES IN ENGINEERING AND SCIENCE, INC. (GEM)**

The National GEM Consortium

1800 K Street NW, Suite 900

Washington, DC 20006

Phone: (202) 457-8672

Fax: (202) 457-8690

Website: www.gemfellowship.org

TYPE OF AID: Fellowship and Internship for MS and Ph.D.

DEADLINE: November 1, Annually

DURATION: MS-two semesters or one quarter

AMOUNT: MS-tuition and fees plus minimum \$10,000 stipend (9 months);
Ph.D. tuition and fees plus minimum \$14,000 stipend (12 months)

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be a US citizen or permanent residence at time of application and a member of one of the following: American Indian, African-American, Puerto Rican, Mexican-American, and other Hispanic-American.

2. If an undergraduate: must be a senior or junior in an accredited engineering discipline
3. Must pursue MS or PhD in Engineering or PhD in Science.

COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY: Must attend one of the member GEM universities

REQUIRED FIELD OF STUDY: MS Engineering all disciplines; Ph.D. Natural Sciences (Physical / Biological) or Engineering.

COMMENTS: A summer internship with a member employer required of the fellowship.

HEALTH SCIENCES

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Scholarship Coordinator

P.O. Box 9828

Albuquerque, NM 87119-9828

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Fax: 505-765-5608

Website: www.aises.org

Email: scholarship@aises.org

AMOUNT: \$2,500 per year

DURATION: Four years (8 semesters) or until BS degree is granted

DEADLINE: April 15

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must show proof of enrollment in a federally recognized tribe.
2. Must reside in AZ, CO, KS, MN, MT, ND, NM, OK, SD, WA, or CA, OR.
3. Must be majoring in the following disciplines: math, science, engineering, technology, natural/physical science, medicine/health administration, natural resources or business.
4. Must be a graduating high school Senior.
5. Must be a current member of AISES.

COMMENTS: Please contact AISES directly or visit their website for further information on the application process.

CONTINENTAL SOCIETY, DAUGHTERS OF INDIAN WARS

Mrs. Donald Cecil Trolinger

Ottawa Hill

61300 East 110 Road

Miami, OK 74354-4720

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

DEADLINE: June 15

(Applications will be accepted from April 1 – June 15)

AMOUNT: \$5,000

DURATION: One year, renewable

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Be a certified tribal member.
2. Plan to work on a reservation in the field of Education or Social Service. Career goals should involve working with Native Americans.
3. Be accepted in, or already attend, an accredited college or university, enrolled in an undergraduate degree program, and preferably entering or in his/her junior year.
4. Maintain a 3.0 average and carry at least 10-quarter hours or 8 semester hours. This allows for a work-study program and is required for consideration for renewal.

COMMENTS: To qualify for renewal of the scholarship award, the recipient must submit:

1. A written statement of financial need and verification of current address.

2. An official transcript of grades for the last 2 semesters or last 3 quarters of academic work.

Requests for renewal will be accepted between April 1 and June 15 and must be on file by June 15.

ELIZABETH & SHERMAN ASCHE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND-AAIA SCHOLARSHIP

Lisa Wyzlic, Director of Scholarship Programs
Association on American Indian Affairs (AAIA)
966 Hungerford Drive, Suite 12-B
Rockville, MD 20850
Phone: (240) 314-7155
Fax: (240) 314-7159
Email: lw.aaia@verizon.net

Website: www.indian-affairs.org

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

AMOUNT: \$1,500

QUALIFICATIONS: American Indian undergraduate and graduate students pursuing a degree in public health or science.

COMMENTS: Please visit the website or contact AAIA for further information on the application process and for deadlines.

INDIAN HEALTH SERVICE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM (IHSSP)

IHSSP-HQE

801 Thompson Ave., Suite 450
Rockville, MD 20852
Phone: (301) 443-6197
Fax: (301) 443-6048

Students may call **(301) 443-6197** to find their Area IHS Scholarship Coordinator.

ALBUQUERQUE AREA

Cora Boone, Albuquerque Area Coordinator
5300 Homestead Road NE
Albuquerque, NM 87110
Phone: (505) 248-4418

HEALTH PROFESSIONS REQUIREMENTS:

1. Be federally recognized as an American Indian or Alaska Native.
2. Be a high school graduate or equivalent.
3. Must be enrolled or accepted for enrollment in a full-time study program leading to a degree in a health related professions school within the United States.
4. Minimum 2.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale
5. Intend to serve Indian people at an IHS/Tribal or Urban Program.
6. Must be a Jr. or Sr. level college student

HEALTH PROFESSIONS PREPARATORY REQUIREMENTS:

1. Be federally recognized as an American Indian or Alaska Native.
2. Be a high school graduate or equivalent.

3. Have the capacity to complete a health professions course of study
4. Be enrolled, or accepted for enrollment, in a compensatory/pre-professional general education course or curriculum.
5. Have a cumulative grade point average of 2.0 on a 4.0 or better scale as stated on submitted transcript.
6. Intend to serve Indian People upon completion of professional health care education as a health care provider in the discipline for which the student is taking preparatory courses.

HEALTH PROFESSIONS PRE-GRADUATE REQUIREMENTS:

1. Be federally recognized as an American Indian or Alaska Native.
2. Be a high school graduate or equivalent.
3. Have the capacity to complete a health profession's course of study.
4. Be enrolled, or accepted for enrollment, in a baccalaureate degree program.
5. Have a cumulative grade point average of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale.
6. Intend to serve Indian People upon completion of professional health care education as a health care provider in the discipline for which the student is enrolled at the pre-graduate level. Available for: Pre-Med; Pre-Dental; Pre-Podiatry; Pre-Optometry

COMMENTS: Please call the area coordinator for application packets and deadline dates. Full-time, as well as part-time, scholarships are available. Part-time is a minimum of 6 hours per semester quarter trimester, for undergraduate programs of study.

NATURAL RESOURCES

A.T. ANDERSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Scholarship Coordinator

American Indian Science and Engineering Society

P.O. Box 9828

Albuquerque, NM 87119-9828

Phone: (505) 765-1052 ext.106

Website: www.aises.org

DEADLINE: June 15

DURATION: 1 year

AMOUNT: Undergraduate - \$1,000 /yr; Graduate - \$2,000/yr.

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be an undergraduate or graduate student enrolled full-time.
2. Major in the areas of math, physical science, engineering, medicine, science, or natural resources.
3. Proof of Tribal enrollment is required.
4. Current member of AISES.

COMMENTS: AISES scholarships are for leadership and academic excellence. They are intended to offset unmet need, loans, and/or student work. The student is responsible to assure that reporting requirements to the university are met. Note also that awards will be given within the major degree guidelines of the donor.

BURLINGTON NORTHERN SANTA FE FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

American Indian Sciences and Engineering Society

Scholarship Coordinator

P.O. Box 9828

Albuquerque, NM 87119-9828

Phone: 505-765-1052

Fax: 505-765-5608

Website: www.aises.org

Email: scholarship@aises.org

AMOUNT: \$2,500 per year

DURATION: Four years (8 semesters) or until BS degree is granted

DEADLINE: April 15

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must show proof of enrollment in a federally recognized tribe.
2. Must reside in AZ, CO, KS, MN, MT, ND, NM, OK, SD, WA, or CA, OR.
3. Must be majoring in the following disciplines: math, science, engineering, technology, natural/physical science, medicine/health administration, natural resources or business.
4. Must be a graduating high school Senior.
5. Must be a current member of AISES.

COMMENTS: Please contact AISES directly or visit their website for further information on the application process.

INTERTRIBAL AGRICULTURE COUNCIL (IAC) SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Intertribal Agriculture Council
100 North 27th Street, Suite 500
Billings, MT 59101-2054
Phone: (406) 259-3525
Fax: (406) 256-9980

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship
AMOUNT: \$300 per semester
DEADLINE: Open
FIELD OF STUDY: Agriculture, Agriculture Business, Agriculture Education, Agriculture Engineering, Animal Science, Environmental Management, Horticulture, Natural Resource Management, Range Management, Soil Science, Veterinary Medicine, or related fields of study

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Enrolled member of a federally recognized tribe or Alaska Native. All applicants are expected to provide documentation that they meet eligibility criteria.
2. Must be enrolled in a nationally or regionally accredited institution of higher education and attend on a full-time basis.
3. Must maintain a 2.0 minimum GPA
4. All IAC scholars must sign a Scholarship Agreement prior to IAC payment of scholarship funds.

COMMENTS: Please contact the IAC for further information and application details.

TRUMAN D. PICARD SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Intertribal Timber Council
Attn: Education Committee
1112 N.E. 21st Avenue, Suite 4
Portland, OR 97232
Phone: (503) 282-4296
Fax: (503) 282-1274

Website: www.itcnet.org
Email: itc1@teleport.com

DEADLINE: varies
AMOUNT: \$1,500-\$2,000

The Intertribal Timber Council is pleased to invite all interested Native American/Alaskan students to apply to our Truman D. Picard Scholarship Program. We are dedicated to supporting students in pursuing a higher education in Natural Resources.

We will award scholarships in the following categories: graduating senior high school students seeking an education in Natural Resources and students currently attending an institution of higher education and studying Natural Resources.

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Letter of Application demonstrating (1) interest in Natural Resources, (2) commitment to education, community/culture, (3) academic merit and (4) financial need (FAFSA

if completed). The Education Committee reviews and ranks the application. All four points should be addressed in the letter. The letter may be up to two pages in length.

2. Resume.
3. Three letters of reference, preferably on letterhead.
4. Validated enrollment in a federally recognized Tribe or Native Alaska Corporation, as established by the U.S. Government.

ADDITIONALLY FOR GRADUATING HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS:

Please provide documented proof of application , or acceptance, to an institution of higher education to study in the area of National Resources along with school grades.

ADDITIONALLY FOR COLLEGE STUDENTS:

If you are currently enrolled in a higher education program provide documented proof of studying in the area of Natural Resources along with school grades.

SCIENCES

AGI MINORITY PARTICIPATION PROGRAM GEOSCIENCE STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS

American Geological Institute

4220 King Street

Alexandria, VA 22302-1507

Phone: (703) 379-2480

Fax: (703) 379-7563

Website: www.agiweb.org

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

DEADLINE: March 1st, each year

AMOUNT: \$4,000/year

REQUIREMENTS:

1. U.S. Citizens only. Permanent residents (green card) or applicants for U.S. citizenship are **not** eligible.
2. Verifiable ethnic minority status as Black, Hispanic, or Native American (American Indian, Eskimo, Hawaiian, or Samoan).
3. Financial support is for FULL TIME students only, with demonstrable financial need, and enrolled in an accredited institution as an undergraduate or graduate student majoring (e.g., degree candidate) in geoscience, including the geoscience sub disciplines of geology, geophysics, geochemistry, hydrology, meteorology, physical oceanography, planetary geology, or earth-science education. This program does **not** support students in other natural sciences, mathematics, or engineering.

Please visit the website for further information.

APS SCHOLARSHIP FOR MINORITY UNDERGRADUATE PHYSICS MAJORS

Arlene F. Modeste Knowles

APS Minority Scholarship Program

One Physics Ellipse

College Park, MD 20740-3844

Phone: (301) 209-3232

Fax: (301) 209-0865

Email: Knowles@aps.org

Website: www.aps.org/programs/minorities/honors/scholarship/index.cfm

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

DEADLINE: First Friday in February

DURATION: Renewable for 1 year

AMOUNT: \$2,000 year for new students, \$3,000 for renewal students

REQUIREMENTS: Open to any African American, Hispanic American, or Native American US citizen or permanent legal resident who plans to major in, or is majoring in Physics and who is a high school senior or college freshman or sophomore. The student's institution must have a Physics dept.

A.T. ANDERSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Scholarship Coordinator

American Indian Science and Engineering Society

P.O. Box 9828
Albuquerque, NM 87119-9828
Phone: (505) 765-1052 ext.106
Website: www.aises.org

DEADLINE: June 15

DURATION: 1 year

AMOUNT: Undergraduate - \$1,000 /yr; Graduate - \$2,000/yr.

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be an undergraduate or graduate student enrolled full-time.
2. Major in the areas of math, physical science, engineering, medicine, science, or natural resources.
3. Proof of Tribal enrollment is required.
4. Current member of AISES.

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BURLINGTON NORTHERN SANTA FE FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

American Indian Sciences and Engineering Society

Scholarship Coordinator

P.O. Box 9828

Albuquerque, NM 87119-9828

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Fax: 505-765-5608

Website: www.aises.org

Email: scholarship@aises.org

AMOUNT: \$2,500 per year

DURATION: Four years (8 semesters) or until BS degree is granted

DEADLINE: April 15

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must show proof of enrollment in a federally recognized tribe.
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3. Must be majoring in the following disciplines: math, science, engineering, technology, natural/physical science, medicine/health administration, natural resources or business.
4. Must be a graduating high school senior.
5. Must be a current member of AISES.

COMMENTS: Please contact AISES directly or visit their website for further information on the application process.

ELIZABETH & SHERMAN ASCHE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND-AAIA SCHOLARSHIP

Lisa Wyzlic, Director of Scholarship Programs

Association on American Indian Affairs (AAIA)

966 Hungerford Drive, Suite 12-B
Rockville, MD 20850
Phone: (240) 314-7155
Fax: (240) 314-7159
Email: lw.aaia@verizon.net
Website: www.indian-affairs.org

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

AMOUNT: \$1,500

QUALIFICATIONS: American Indian undergraduate and graduate students pursuing a degree in public health or science.

COMMENTS: Please visit the website or contact AAIA for further information on the application process and for deadlines.

IBM SCHOLARSHIP-AISES

Scholarship Coordinator
American Indian Science and Engineering Society
P.O. Box 9828
Albuquerque, NM 87119-9828
Phone: (505) 765-1052 ext.106
Website: www.aises.org

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

AMOUNT: \$1,000 for undergraduates with 3.2 GPA, higher awards for higher GPAs

FIELD OF STUDY: Math, electrical engineering, computer science, computer engineering, computer information systems, industrial engineering, material science, chemical engineering, mechanical engineering, management information systems

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be a current AISES member
2. Must be a US citizen
3. Must be American Indian or an Alaskan Native
4. Must be enrolled as a full-time undergraduate or graduate student at an accredited college or university
5. Must have a 3.2 or higher cumulative grade point average

DEADLINE: June 15th

COMMENTS: Please contact AISES directly or visit their website for further information on the application process.

SAA-ADMINISTERED SCHOLARSHIPS

SAA Arthur C. Parker Scholarship & NSF Scholarships for Archaeological Training for Native Americans and Native Hawaiians

Society for American Archaeology
900 Second Street NE #12
Washington, DC 20002-3560
Phone: (202) 789-8200

Fax: (202) 789-0284

Email: info@saa.org

DEADLINE: December 15

AMOUNT: 4 awards of \$4,000 each

The SAA Arthur C. Parker Scholarship is named in honor of the first president of the SAA, who served from 1935-1936. Parker was of Seneca ancestry through his father's family, and he spent his youth on the Cattaraugus Reservation in New York. The NSF Scholarships for Archeological Training for Native Americans and Native Hawaiians are made possible by a grant from the National Science Foundation to SAA. Together, these scholarships support training in archeological methods, including fieldwork, analytical techniques, and curation. These scholarships are intended for current students-high school seniors, college undergraduates, and graduate students-and personnel of Tribal or other Native cultural preservation programs. Native Americans and Pacific Islanders from the US, including US Trust Territories, and Indigenous peoples from Canada are eligible for these scholarships.

MULTIPLE DISCIPLINE

ADOLPH VAN PELT SPECIAL FUND FOR INDIANS SCHOLARSHIPS-AAIA SCHOLARSHIP

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Rockville, MD 20850
Phone: (240) 314-7155
Fax: (240) 314-7159
Email: lw.aaia@verizon.net
Website: www.indian-affairs.org

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

AMOUNT: \$1,500

COMMENTS: This scholarship is available to American Indian students in any curriculum. Please visit the website or contact AAIA for further information on application process and deadlines.

ALLOGAN SLAGLE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP-AAIA SCHOLARSHIP

Lisa Wyzlic, Director of Scholarship Programs
Association on American Indian Affairs (AAIA)
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Rockville, MD 20850
Phone: (240) 314-7155
Fax: (240) 314-7159
Email: lw.aaia@verizon.net
Website: www.indian-affairs.org

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

AMOUNT: \$1,500

QUALIFICATIONS: Scholarship is available for students who are members of tribes that are not recognized by the federal government. Due to tribal status a CIB is requested if available, but not required. Documents showing lineal descent are otherwise required.

DEADLINE: Please contact AAIA for further information; including application processes and deadlines.

AMERICAN INDIAN EDUCATION FOUNDATION

2401 Eglin Street
Rapid City, SD 57703
Phone: (866) 866-8642
Email: info@aiefprograms.org
Website: www.aiefprograms.org

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

AMOUNT: Up to \$2,000 per year

HOW TO APPLY:

1. Submit a completed AIEF Scholarship Application
2. Provide documentation of tribal enrollment for yourself or a parent.
3. Provide transcripts with ACT and GPA scores.

4. Enroll in an accredited school, college, or university as a full-time undergraduate.

DEADLINE: April 4th, 2009

COMMENTS: The AIEF Scholarships program supports educational opportunities for American Indian and Alaska Native students by awarding more than 100 scholarships annually. All students who meet the above criteria are encouraged to apply for an AIEF Scholarship. For more information on scholarships in general, call 1-866-8642 or email scholarships@nrc1.org.

BHP BILLITON – COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Gerilyn Tsosie

P.O. Box 561

Waterflow, NM 87421

Phone: (505) 598-2169

Email: bhpnmscholarship@bhpbilliton.com

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

QUALIFICATIONS:

1. High school graduate with a minimum GPA of 3.0 and a minimum ACT score of 22,
or
2. Continuing undergraduate college student with a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0
3. Preference to Native American students who are Navajo or Ute Mountain Tribal members. All applicants must be pursuing a four year degree in any discipline/field.

COMMENTS: BHP is committed to helping develop natural resources to meet growing energy needs in the 20th Century in a safe and environmentally responsible manner.

DANIELS FUND SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Kristin Donovan, Senior Vice President

101 Monroe St.

Denver, CO 80206

Phone: (303) 393-7220

Toll Free: (877) 791-4726

Fax: (303) 393-7339

Email: info@danielsfund.org

Website: www.danielsfund.org

COMMENTS: The Daniels Fund Scholarship Program consists of the Daniels Scholarship and the Daniels Opportunity Scholarship, both of which are awarded in Colorado, New Mexico, Utah, and Wyoming. Daniels Scholarships are awarded in the spring to graduating high school seniors and are supplemental after other federal, state, institutional, and private financial aid and scholarships. Students may use their scholarships at any two-or four-year accredited college or university in the United States with the intention to complete a bachelor's degree. Daniels Opportunity Scholarships are distributed to two and four-year colleges and universities in Colorado, New Mexico, Utah, and Wyoming to provide scholarships for non-traditional students.

DISPLACED HOMEMAKER SCHOLARSHIPS-AAIA SCHOLARSHIP

Lisa Wyzlic, Director of Scholarship Programs

Association on American Indian Affairs (AAIA)

966 Hungerford Drive, Suite 12-B

Rockville, MD 20850

Phone: (240) 314-7155

Fax: (240) 314-7159

Email: lw.aaia@verizon.net

Website: www.indian-affairs.org

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

AMOUNT: \$1,500

QUALIFICATIONS: The Displaced Homemaker Scholarships are awarded to those men and women who would not otherwise be able to complete their educational goals due to family responsibilities. This scholarship is for older students who have put off college to raise their children, students who are entering or are returning to college when their children enter school, men or women who have been divorced and had to leave college to singlehandedly care for their children and are now returning, etc. Please contact Lisa Wyzlic to see if you qualify.

COMMENTS: Funds may be used to assist with childcare, transportation and basic living expenses in addition to educational costs. This scholarship does not automatically renew. Students are eligible to apply on a yearly basis. Please contact their office or visit their website for further information on the application process and deadlines.

GATES MILLENNIUM SCHOLARS

Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation

8260 Willow Oaks Corporate Dr.

Fairfax, VA 22031

Toll Free: (877) 690-GMSP (4677)

Website: www.gmsp.org

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

DEADLINE: All paper applications must be postmarked by January 12, 2009
All online applications must be submitted by January 12, 2009,
11:59 p.m. EST

DURATION: 1 year renewable

AMOUNT: Varies

AWARDS: Individuals selected as Gates Millennium Scholars will receive funds in an amount to be determined by GMS on the basis of financial need. The award will be based on the cost of tuition, fees, books, and living expenses for the academic year, as well as the availability of grants and other scholarships reported on the submitted financial aid award letter.

The scholarship, for the undergraduate award, may be renewed annually based on satisfactory academic progress, full-time status, and the timely submission of required documents. Support for the graduate degrees may be pursued for the following fields: computer science, education, engineering, library science, mathematics, public health or science.

REQUIREMENTS: Students are eligible to be considered for a GMS scholarship if they:

- Are African American, American Indian/Alaska Native, Asian Pacific Islander American, or Hispanic American
- Are a citizen/legal permanent resident or national of the United States
- Have attained a cumulative GPA of 3.3 on a 4.0 scale (un-weighted) or have earned a GED
- Will be entering a U.S. accredited college or university as full-time, degree-seeking freshman in the fall of 2008
- Have demonstrated leadership abilities through participation in community service, extracurricular or other activities
- Meet the federal Pell Grant eligibility criteria
- Have completed and submitted all three required forms by the deadline

Nominees who meet all of the eligibility requirements and who are selected as GMS candidates must have a federal Pell Grant as part of their financial aid package for the 2008-2009 academic year in order to be confirmed as a Scholar. **Eligibility for federal Pell Grant can only be determined through the submission of a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) to the U.S. Department of Education, Federal Student Aid Programs.** Nominees are urged to file a 2008-2009 FAFSA at the earliest opportunity.

NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM/MINORITY LEADERSHIP PROGRAMS

The Washington Center for Internships and Academic Seminars

Arleen R. Borysiewicz

1333 16th Street, NW

Washington, DC 20036

Phone: (202) 336-7562

Fax: (202) 336-7609

TYPE OF AID:

Scholarships and Fellowships

DEADLINE:

Scholarship applications are available year round.

Please call for deadlines.

DURATION:

One semester for scholarships.

AMOUNT:

Scholarship based on financial need and on merit, maximum \$2,000. Fellowship valued at \$5,000 to cover programs and housing fees.

- **Women as Leaders Seminar Scholarships**

These scholarships are awarded to Women as Leaders, seminar participants from all states, disciplines and ethnic groups.

COMMENTS: Minority Scholarships - Scholarships are available to members of the following ethnic or racial groups: Afro-American, Hispanic, Native American, Asian-American, and Pacific Islander. Ford Motor Company Scholarships - Minority students interested in congressional internships are eligible for these scholarships. For more information call: 1-800-486-8921.

NATIONAL SOCIETY DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

Office of the Reporter General

American Indian Scholarship
1776 D Street NW
Washington, D.C. 20006-5303
Website: www.dar.org

DEADLINE: Fall: April 1st
Spring: October 1st

DURATION: 1 TIME AWARD

AMOUNT: Varies

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must show financial need.
2. Must be a Native American undergraduate student.
3. Must provide proof of Indian descent.
4. Application must be sent with letter giving family history, financial status and aims; an official transcript from previous semester; three letters of recommendation. No ACT or SAT scores are required.
5. GPA: 2.75

COMMENTS: Please send a self-addressed stamped envelope when requesting an application.

NATIVE AMERICAN EDUCATION GRANT

Presbyterian Church (USA)

Financial Aid for Studies

Jessica Johnson

100 Witherspoon Street

Louisville, KY 40202-1396

Toll Free: 1-888-728-7228 Ext: 5224

Email: jessica.johnson@pcusa.org

Website: <http://www.pcusa.org/financialaid>

DEADLINE: September 1st

DURATION: Annual award, may be renewable

AMOUNT: \$200-\$3,000

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Preference given to active members of the Presbyterian Church (USA)
2. Must be an Indian, Aleut or Eskimo pursuing a post-secondary education.
3. Recommended by church pastor
4. Must be in good academic standing (GPA of 2.5 or greater).
5. Enrolled full-time at a fully accredited college or university in the US.
6. Demonstrate financial need.

COMMENTS: Proof of tribal membership.

NORTH AMERICAN INDIAN SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The International Order of the King's, Daughters and Sons Inc.

North American Indian Dept.

P.O. Box 1017

Chautauqua, NY 14722

Phone: (912) 728-3131

DEADLINE: Applications must be postmarked no later than April 15

DURATION: One year, renewable

AMOUNT: \$500-\$650, based on need and available funds

TYPE OF AID: Grant

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be a Native American undergraduate student
2. Must have proof of Indian blood
3. Must apply in writing and *include a self-addressed stamped business size envelope*

COMMENTS: Scholarships are awarded for vocational, technical and college training. This aid is meant to be supplemental. For undergraduate degrees only.

NOTAH BEGAY III SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Albuquerque Community Foundation

P.O. Box 36960, Albuquerque, NM 87176-6960

Phone: (505) 883-6240

Email: foundation@albuquerquefoundation.org

Website: www.albuquerquefoundation.org

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

AMOUNT: \$2,000

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Applicants must be Native American scholar-athletes
2. Minimum 3.0 GPA
3. Attend a community college, 4 year college or university full time
4. Must include a personal statement on how you plan to give back to your community after college
5. Proof of tribal enrollment or CIB (minimum 25%)
6. Must complete the FAFSA and submit copy
7. One reference from a current academic teacher or counselor
8. One reference from an athletic coach

COMMENTS: Professional golfer Notah Begay III established this scholarship fund in 1999 to benefit Native American athletes attending college. Awards are made to high school graduates demonstrating strong academic achievement and participation in any varsity level sport.

THE MORRIS K. UDALL FOUNDATION SCHOLARHIP PROGRAM

Colin R. Ben, MA

Program Manager

Morris K. Udall Foundation

130 South Scott Ave.

Tucson, AZ 85701-1922

Phone: (520) 901-8568

Fax: (520) 901-8570

Email: ben@udall.gov

Website: www.udall.gov

DEADLINE: March 4, 2009

COMMENTS: The scholarship program awards eighty \$5,000 merit-based scholarships for college sophomores and juniors seeking a career in tribal health, tribal policy or the environment. Scholarship recipients participate in a five-day orientation in Tucson, AZ, to learn more about tribal and environmental issues. **Applications must be submitted through a Udall Faculty Representative at the student's college or university.** More information about Faculty Representatives can be found on the Udall website.

THOMAS R. PICKERING FOREIGN AFFAIRS FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

The Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation

P.O. Box 2437

Princeton, NJ 08543-2437

Website: www.woodrow.org

TYPE OF AID: Fellowship

DEADLINE: February 8

REQUIREMENTS:

1. United States citizen.
2. Applicant must be in the sophomore year of undergraduate study with a cumulative grade point average of 3.2 or higher on a 4.0 scale at the time of application.
3. A cumulative grade point average of 3.2 or higher must be maintained throughout participation in the program.

COMMENTS: The Thomas R. Pickering Foreign Affairs Fellowship Program provides undergraduate funding to participants as they are prepared academically and professionally to enter the United States Department of State Foreign Service. Women and members of minority groups historically underrepresented in the Foreign Service, and students with financial need are encouraged to apply.

OTHER SCHOLARSHIPS

AIA/AAF MINORITY DISADVANTAGED

Mary Felber
The American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Ave. NW
Washington, DC 20006
Phone: (202) 626-7511
Fax: (202) 626-7527
Email: mfelber@aia.org
Website: www.archfoundation.org/scholarships

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship
DEADLINE: Nomination December: Application January
DURATION: 1 year, renewable for 2 additional years.
AMOUNT: Varies: \$500-\$2500
REQUIREMENTS: NAAB - Accredited school of architecture
REQUIRED FIELD OF STUDY: Architecture

BURLINGTON NORTHERN SANTA FE FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

American Indian Sciences and Engineering Society
Scholarship Coordinator
P.O. Box 9828
Albuquerque, NM 87119-9828
Phone: 505-765-1052
Fax: 505-765-5608
Website: www.aises.org
Email: scholarship@aises.org

AMOUNT: \$2,500 per year
DURATION: Four years (8 semesters) or until BS degree is granted
DEADLINE: April 15
REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must show proof of enrollment in a federally recognized tribe.
2. Must reside in AZ, CO, KS, MN, MT, ND, NM, OK, SD, WA, or CA, OR.
3. Must be majoring in the following disciplines: math, science, engineering, technology, natural/physical science, medicine/health administration, natural resources or business.
4. Must be a graduating high school senior.
5. Must be a current member of AISES.

COMMENTS: Please contact AISES directly or visit their website for further information and application processes.

CONTINENTAL SOCIETY, DAUGHTERS OF INDIAN WARS

Mrs. Donald Cecil Trolinger
Ottawa Hill
61300 East 110 Road
Miami, OK 74354-4720
TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

DEADLINE: June 15
(Applications will be accepted from April 1 – June 15)

AMOUNT: \$5,000

DURATION: One year, renewable

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Be a certified tribal member.
2. Plan to work on a reservation in the field of Education or Social Service. Career goals should involve working with Native Americans.
3. Be accepted in, or already attend, an accredited college or university, enrolled in an undergraduate degree program, and preferably entering or in his/her junior year.
4. Maintain a 3.0 average and carry at least 10-quarter hours or 8 semester hours. This allows for a work-study program and is required for consideration for renewal.

COMMENTS: To qualify for renewal of the scholarship award, the recipient must submit:

1. A written statement of financial need and verification of current address.
2. An official transcript of grades for the last 2 semesters or last 3 quarters of academic work.

Requests for renewal will be accepted between April 1 and June 15 and must be on file by June 15.

EMILIE HESEMEYER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP-AAIA SCHOLARSHIP

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Fax: (240) 314-7159
Email: lw.aaia@verizon.net

Website: www.indian-affairs.org

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

AMOUNT: \$1,500

QUALIFICATIONS: American Indian students pursuing a major in education.

COMMENTS: Please visit the website or contact AAIA for further information on the application process and for deadlines.

INTERTRIBAL AGRICULTURE COUNCIL (IAC) SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Intertribal Agriculture Council
100 North 27th Street, Suite 500
Billings, MT 59101-2054
Phone: (406) 259-3525
Fax: (406) 256-9980

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

AMOUNT: \$300 per semester

DEADLINE: Open

FIELD OF STUDY: Agriculture, Agriculture Business, Agriculture Education, Agriculture Engineering, Animal Science, Environmental Management, Horticulture, Natural Resource Management, Range Management, Soil Science, Veterinary Medicine, or related fields of study

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Enrolled member of a federally recognized tribe or Alaska Native. All applicants are expected to provide documentation that they meet eligibility criteria.
2. Must be enrolled in a nationally or regionally accredited institution of higher education and attend on a full-time basis.
3. Must maintain a 2.0 minimum GPA
4. All IAC scholars must sign a Scholarship Agreement prior to IAC payment of scholarship funds.

COMMENTS: Please contact the IAC for further information and application details.

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Website: www.udall.gov

DEADLINE: March 4, 2009

COMMENTS: The scholarship program awards eighty \$5,000 merit-based scholarships for college sophomores and juniors seeking a career in tribal health, tribal policy or the environment. Scholarship recipients participate in a five-day orientation in Tucson, AZ, to learn more about tribal and environmental issues. **Applications must be submitted through a Udall Faculty Representative at the student's college or university.** More information about Faculty Representatives can be found on the Udall website.

GRADUATE STUDENTS

**AMERICAN DENTAL ASSOCIATION ENDOWMENT & ASSISTANCE FUND
INC. OFFICE**

211 E. Chicago Ave.

Chicago, IL 60611-2678

Phone: (312) 440-2500

Website: www.ada.org

Minority Dental Student Scholarship

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

DEADLINE: October 16th

AMOUNT OF AID: \$2,500

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be Native American, Hispanic, and Black/African-American.
2. Must be a US citizen and entering second year of dental school.
3. Must be a full-time student with a minimum of 12 credit hours per semester.
4. Must demonstrate a financial need of minimum \$2,500.
5. Must have GPA of 3.0 or above on a 4.0 scale.

REQUIRED FIELD OF STUDY: Dentistry

COMMENTS: The educational institution's financial aid office will distribute application forms and assist the applicant in estimating the financial expenses of the attending institution for the completion of the application form.

**AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS
SCHOLARSHIPS FOR MINORITIES IN ACCOUNTING**

American Institute of Certified Public Accountants

1211 Avenue of the Americas

New York, NY 10036-8775

Phone: (212) 596-6270

Email: MIC_Programs@aicpa.org

Website: <http://www.aicpa.org>

DEADLINE: June 1

DURATION: 1 year or semester renewable

AMOUNT: Competitive merit-and need-based awards of up to \$5,000 for outstanding accounting students.

GRADUATE ELIGIBILITY:

1. A minority graduate student who was an undergraduate accounting major and is presently accepted in a masters-based level accounting, business administration, finance or taxation program, OR who had any undergraduate major and is presently accepted in a masters-based accounting program; and
2. Enrolled as a full-time graduate student (9) semester hours or equivalent.
3. Must be a US citizen.

COMMENTS: Application can be obtained at: www.aicpa.org/diversity

A.T. ANDERSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Scholarship Coordinator

American Indian Science and Engineering Society

P.O. Box 9828
Albuquerque, NM 87119-9828
Phone: (505) 765-1052 ext.106
Website: www.aises.org

DEADLINE: June 15

DURATION: 1 year

AMOUNT: Undergraduate - \$1,000 /yr; Graduate - \$2,000/yr.

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be an undergraduate or graduate student enrolled full-time.
2. Major in the areas of math, physical science, engineering, medicine, science, or natural resources.
3. Proof of Tribal enrollment is required.
4. Current member of AISES.

COMMENTS: AISES scholarships are for leadership and academic excellence. They are intended to offset unmet need, loans, and/or student work. The student is responsible to assure that reporting requirements to the university are met. Note also that awards will be given within the major degree guidelines of the donor.

AMERICAN INDIAN GRADUATE CENTER (AIGC)

4520 Montgomery Blvd. NE, Suite 1-B

Albuquerque, NM 87109-1291

Phone: (505) 881-4584

Fax: (505) 884-0427

Website: www.aigcs.com

TYPE OF AID: Graduate Fellowships

DEADLINE: The original application form must be received no later than June 2, 2009.

DURATION: Two years for master's, four years for doctoral, three years for law.

AMOUNT: Awards are based on applicant's financial need.

REQUIREMENTS: Must be an enrolled member of a federally recognized American Indian tribe or Alaska Native group and must apply for financial aid at campus financial aid office.

REQUIRED FIELD OF STUDY: All fields, no priority.

COMMENTS: Currently most of AIGC'S graduate funds are from a contract with the Bureau of Indian Education. Limited private fellowship funds are also available. Applicants must apply for financial aid at their college financial aid offices.

AMERICAN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIPS

American Library Association

Scholarship Clearinghouse

50 E. Huron Street

Chicago, IL 60611

Phone: (312) 280-4277

Fax: (312) 280-3256

E-mail: scholarships@ala.org

Website: www.ala.org/hrdr/scholarship.html

A. LITA/LSSI Minority Scholarship

AMOUNT: \$2,500

DEADLINE: March 1

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be U.S. or Canadian citizens. Member of principal minority group (African-American, American Indian or Alaskan Native, Asian or Pacific Islander, or Hispanic).
2. Recipient must enter ALA-accredited master's degree program, with an emphasis on library automation.

Factors considered: Academic excellence, leadership, and evidence of a commitment to a career in library automation and information technology, and prior activity and experience in those fields.

B. Spectrum Initiative Scholarship Program

Website: www.ala.org/spectrum

AMOUNT: \$6,500

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be U.S. or Canadian citizens. Member of principal minority group (African-American, American Indian or Alaskan Native, Asian or Pacific Islander, or Hispanic).
2. Applicants for this scholarship cannot have completed more than 12 semester hours (or its equivalent) towards and **ALA recognized* master's degree program in library and information studies prior to June 1 of award year.

Factors considered: Academic leadership; outstanding service; commitment to a career in librarianship; statements indicating the nature of the applicant's library and other work experience; letters or reference; and personal presentation. Individuals need not have been accepted into a program at the time of application, but the winners must enter an *ALA recognized* master's degree program

C. LITA/OCLC Minority Scholarship

AMOUNT: \$3,000

DEADLINE: March 1

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be U.S. or Canadian citizens. Member of principal minority group (African-American, American Indian or Alaskan Native, Asian or Pacific Islander, or Hispanic).
2. Recipient must enter ALA-accredited master's degree program, with an emphasis on library automation.

Factors considered: Academic excellence, leadership, and evidence of a commitment to a career in library automation and information technology, and prior activity and experience in those fields.

BUDER SCHOLARSHIP FOR AMERICAN INDIAN LAW STUDENTS

Associate Dean of Admissions

Janet Bolin

Washington University School of Law

Campus Box 1120

St. Louis, MO 63130

Phone: (314) 935-4525

Fax: (314) 935-8778

Email: admiss@wulaw.wustl.edu

Website: <http://law.wustl.edu>

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

DEADLINE: March 1

DURATION: 3 years

AMOUNT: Full tuition or partial tuition

REQUIRED FIELD OF STUDY: Law

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Applicant must be enrolled in a federally recognized Indian tribe or possessing one-eighth degree of Indian blood.
2. Applicant must be accepted to Washington University's School of Law.
3. Applicants must register with the Law School Data Admissions Service and request that a copy of the applicant's LSDA report be sent to the School of Law

COMMENTS: The Buder Scholarship will be awarded on the basis of the demonstrated potential for success in law school as evidenced by undergraduate academic performance, performance on the Law School Aptitude Test and other relevant factors. If admitted, candidates will be asked to sign a release form allowing Washington University to give a copy of the candidate's completed application file to the Buder Foundation, for the purpose of scholarship candidacy. The Buder Foundation makes all scholarship selections. Students who are Buder Scholarship recipients are required to provide some service in support of the Native American community at Washington University.

CHRYSALIS SCHOLARSHIP

AW6, Attn: Chrysalis Scholarship Chair

P.O. Box 30645

Lincoln, NE 68503

Email: chrysalis@awg.org

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

DEADLINE: March 15

DURATION: Two checks awarded May 31st and others at discretion of scholarship committee

AMOUNT: \$2,000

REQUIREMENTS:

1. A woman whose education has been interrupted for at least one year
2. A candidate who will complete an advanced degree in a geoscience field during the calendar year in which she applies

3. A person who contributes to the geosciences and the larger world community through her academic and personal strengths.
4. A letter from the applicant in which she describes her background, studies, expected graduation date, career objectives, community services, how the scholarship will be used, and the nature and length of the interruption to her education.
5. Two letters of reference, one from the applicant's thesis/dissertation advisor and one from the second geoscientist of her choice. Both letters should address the topics above and describe the applicant's potential contributions to the geosciences and her community.

COMMENTS:

All application materials should be sent as a complete package, labeled with the applicant's name, street address, e-mail address, phone number, school affiliation, and should be sent to the address above. E-mail submissions are welcome and may be sent as three separate documents, with the email subject "The Chrysalis Scholarship-applicant's name". Email submissions must include the applicant mailing address and phone number.

COMMUNITY FORESTRY & ENVIRONMENTAL RESEARCH PARTNERSHIPS

Dr. Carl Wimsen

College of Natural Resources

101 Giannini Hall #3100

University of California, Berkeley

Berkeley, CA 94720-3100

Phone: (510) 642-3431

Fax: (510) 642-4612

Email: cffellow@nature.berkeley.edu

Website: www.cnr.berkeley.edu/community_forestry

TYPE OF AID: Fellowships

DEADLINE: Beginning of February (contact for exact date)

TYPES OF FELLOWSHIPS:

- **Masters Fellowships**
Provides stipends of up to \$7,000
Fellows must live in the study community for 3-6 months
Students should apply after selecting a research site and should begin research the same year they are awarded the fellowship
- **Predissertation Fellowships**
Provides stipends of up to \$2,000
Students should apply the year before they anticipate writing their dissertation proposal.
- **Dissertation Fellowships**
Provides stipends of up to \$15,000
Fellows must live in the study community for 9-12 months
Students should apply after they have advanced to candidacy and are ready to begin field research

ELIGIBILITY:

1. Applications accepted from students at any US college or university

2. Enrolled in a degree-granting program at your home institution
3. Engaging in graduate research that deals directly or is explicitly relevant to US communities engaged in natural resource management
4. Need to be planning to conduct participatory research that actively engages community members in the research process
5. Minority students are encouraged to apply.

HOW TO APPLY: For an application form and full details on how to apply, please visit the CFERP website.

FIELD OF STUDY: Environmental Studies, Social Sciences, Native American Studies, Geography, Ecology, Anthropology, Sociology/Rural Sociology, Forestry, Environmental Science and Policy, Natural Resources, Resource Conservation

COMMENTS: This program funds participatory research in the following broad thematic areas. They also consider research proposals that fall outside these areas but are directly concerned with communities and their environments as well as research proposals that cross themes. **Promoting place-based conservation, Promoting social and economic justice in environmental management, and Strengthening connections between cultures and the land.** Please see website or contact for further information.

CONSORTIUM FOR GRADUATE STUDY IN MANAGEMENT

Fellowships for Talented Minorities

5585 Pershing Ave., Suite 240

St. Louis, MO 63112

Contact: Jackie Olden

Phone: (314) 877-5500

Toll-free: (888) 658-6814

Fax: (314) 877-5505

Website: www.cgsm.org

TYPE OF AID: Fellowship
DEADLINE: December 1 and January 5
AMOUNT: Full tuition and required fees

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must hold a bachelor's degree in any academic discipline from an accredited institution recognized by member schools.
2. Must be US citizen and a member of one of the following minority groups: African-American, Hispanic American, and Native American. Applicants will be asked to submit proof of US citizenship and eligible minority group membership.
3. Must enroll at one of the 13 member universities.

COMMENTS: The mission of the Consortium for Graduate Study in Management, an alliance of leading American business schools and some of our country's top corporations, is to enhance diversity in business education and leadership by helping to reduce the serious under representation of African Americans, Hispanic Americans and Native Americans in both our member schools' enrollments and the ranks of management. We will achieve this mission by recruiting for graduate business education qualified US citizens and US permanent residents from these underrepresented groups, as well as other

persons who can demonstrate a commitment to the Consortium's mission and can best assist the Consortium in pursuing this mission. For more information, visit our website.

ELIZABETH & SHERMAN ASCHE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND-AAIA SCHOLARSHIP

Lisa Wyzlic, Director of Scholarship Programs
Association on American Indian Affairs (AAIA)
966 Hungerford Drive, Suite 12-B
Rockville, MD 20850
Phone: (240) 314-7155
Fax: (240) 314-7159
Email: lw.aaia@verizon.net
Website: www.indian-affairs.org

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

AMOUNT: \$1,500

QUALIFICATIONS: American Indian undergraduate and graduate students pursuing a degree in public health or science.

COMMENTS: Please visit the website or contact AAIA for further information on the application process and for deadlines.

ELLIS & ELLIS PUEBLO INDIAN SCHOLARSHIP

Kimberly Othole
Higher Education Program
19 Industrial Park Rd., Suite 3
Santa Fe, NM 87506
Phone: (505) 455-1800
Fax: (505) 455-1805
Email: enipc_he@yahoo.com

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

DEADLINES: Contact office for date

DURATION: Covers fall and spring semesters

AMOUNT: \$800/year; \$400/semester

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Enrolled member of one of the 19 pueblos of NM, including Hopi
2. Graduate student enrolled in a NM Institute of Higher Education
3. Commitment to Tribal Community Service
4. Fields: Humanities, Culturally Based Economics, Indigenous Language Preservation, Environmental Studies, Education, Community Development, Health, Law & Justice, Leadership, Tribal Governance or related fields.

ERNST & YOUNG AMERICAN INDIAN SCHOLARSHIP

MBA Program
114 Guthrie Hall, MSC 3GSP
New Mexico State University
Las Cruces, NM 88003-8001

American Indian Program
136 Garcia Annex, MSC 4188
New Mexico State University
Las Cruces, NM 88003-8001

(505) 646-8003

Email: mba@nmsu.edu

TYPE OF AID:

Scholarship

DEADLINE:

Open until filled

AMOUNT:

\$2,500 per check for a total annual award of \$5,000 per student

REQUIREMENTS:

The Ernst & Young scholarships will be awarded to two (2) American Indian students pursuing master's degree in either Business Administration or Accountancy **at New Mexico State University**. For purposes of determining eligibility, candidates must provide verification of federally recognized tribal affiliation. Preference will be given to candidates with:

1. Bachelors' degrees in Accounting, Business Computer Systems, Computer Science, or Industrial Engineering
2. Strong technical/analytical backgrounds and future business interests in Consulting Services or Accounting Practices
3. High academic achievement, graduating with a 3.0 GPA or better and/or be within the top 10%-15% of their graduating class
4. Demonstrated leadership potential in the community and/or on campus.

COMMENTS: In the event there are no eligible graduate students, consideration will be given to seniors interested in pursuing Master of Business Administration or Master of Accountancy degrees at New Mexico State University, and who have otherwise satisfied the above requirements.

FLORENCE YOUNG MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP-AAIA SCHOLARSHIP

Lisa Wyzlic, Director of Scholarship Programs
Association on American Indian Affairs (AAIA)
966 Hungerford Drive, Suite 12-B
Rockville, MD 20850
Phone: (240) 314-7155
Fax: (240) 314-7159
Email: lw.aaia@verizon.net

Website: www.indian-affairs.org

TYPE OF AID:

Scholarship

AMOUNT:

\$1,500

QUALIFICATIONS: American Indian students pursuing a Masters in Art, Public Health or Law.

COMMENTS: Please visit the website or contact AAIA for further information on the application process and for deadlines.

FORD FOUNDATION DIVERSITY FELLOWSHIPS

Fellowship Office, Keck 576
National Research Council
500 Fifth Street, NW
Washington, DC 20001
Phone: (202) 334-2872

E-mail: <mailto:infofell@nas.edu>

Website: <http://national-academies.org/fellowships>

TYPE OF AID: Fellowship

DEADLINE: Varies

STIPEND: Predoctoral: \$20,000/yr for up to 3 years.
Dissertation: \$21,000/yr
Postdoctoral: \$40,000/yr

PROGRAM: Approximately 29 Dissertation Fellowships to be awarded in a nationwide competition sponsored by the Ford Foundation and administered by the National Research Council.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

1. All citizens or national of the United States regardless of race, national origin, religion, gender, age, disability, or sexual orientation,
2. Membership in one or more of the following groups whose under representation in the American professoriate has been severe and longstanding: Alaska Natives (Eskimo/Aleut), African Americans, Mexican Americans, Native Americans, Native Pacific Islanders, and Puerto Ricans
3. Individuals with evidence of superior academic achievement,
4. Individuals committed to a career in teaching and research at the college or university level,
5. Individuals enrolled in or planning to enroll in an eligible research-based program leading to a PhD, or ScD degree at a US educational institution, and
6. Individuals who have not earned a doctoral degree at any time, in any field.

GATES MILLENNIUM SCHOLARS

Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation

8260 Willow Oaks Corporate Dr.

Fairfax, VA 22031

Toll Free: (877) 690-GMSP (4677)

Website: www.gmsp.org

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

DEADLINE: All paper applications must be postmarked by January 12, 2009.
All online applications must be submitted by January 12, 2009, 11:59 p.m. EST

DURATION: 1 year renewable

AMOUNT: Varies

AWARDS: Individuals selected as Gates Millennium Scholars will receive funds in an amount to be determined by GMS on the basis of financial need. The award will be based on the cost of tuition, fees, books, and living expenses for the academic year, as well as the availability of grants and other scholarships reported on the submitted financial aid award letter.

The scholarship, for the undergraduate award, may be renewed annually based on satisfactory academic progress, full-time status, and the timely submission of required documents. **Support for the graduate degrees may be pursued for the following fields:**

computer science, education, engineering, library science, mathematics, public health or science.

REQUIREMENTS: Students are eligible to be considered for a GMS scholarship if they:

- Are African American, American Indian/Alaska Native, Asian Pacific Islander American, or Hispanic American
- Are a citizen/legal permanent resident or national of the United States
- Have attained a cumulative GPA of 3.3 on a 4.0 scale (un-weighted) or have earned a GED
- Will be entering a U.S. accredited college or university as full-time, degree-seeking freshman in the fall of 2009
- Have demonstrated leadership abilities through participation in community service, extracurricular or other activities
- Meet the federal Pell Grant eligibility criteria
- Have completed and submitted all three required forms by the deadline

Nominees who meet all of the eligibility requirements and who are selected as GMS candidates must have a federal Pell Grant as part of their financial aid package for the 2008-2009 academic year in order to be confirmed as a Scholar. **Eligibility for federal Pell Grant can only be determined through the submission of a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) to the U.S. Department of Education, Federal Student Aid Programs.** Nominees are urged to file a 2008-2009 FAFSA at the earliest opportunity.

GENERAL MOTORS ENGINEERING SCHOLARSHIP-AISES

Scholarship Coordinator

American Indian Science and Engineering Society

P.O. Box 9828

Albuquerque, NM 87119-9828

Phone: (505) 765-1052 ext.106

Website: www.aises.org

AMOUNT: \$3,000

DEADLINE: June 15

FIELD OF STUDY: Undergraduate or graduate students in engineering. Preference to electrical, industrial or mechanical engineering majors

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must provide proof of tribal enrollment.
2. Must be a member of an American Indian tribe or otherwise considered to be an American Indian by the tribe with which affiliation is claimed or is at least $\frac{1}{4}$ American Indian blood or is at least $\frac{1}{4}$ Alaskan Native or considered Alaskan Native by an Alaskan Native group by which affiliation is claimed.
3. Must have a minimum GPA of 3.0
4. Must be a current AISES member

COMMENTS: Please contact AISES directly or visit their website for further information on the application process.

HARVARD GRADUATE PRIZE FELLOWSHIP

Harvard - GSAS

Stephanie Parsons, Minority Recruitment & Student Programming Officer

Holyoke Center 350

1350 Massachusetts Avenue

Cambridge, MA 02138

Phone: (617) 495-5315

TYPE OF AID: Grant, Fellowship

DEADLINE: Mid-December or early January. Check out our website:
www.gsas.harvard.edu for details.

DURATION: 5 years

AMOUNT: Based on financial need in most cases; maximum tuition plus \$20,000 stipend plus teaching fellowship

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be a minority (Black/African American, Chicano/Mexican American, Native American, Puerto Rican)
2. Must enroll at Harvard GSAS, full-time Ph.D. candidates

COMMENTS: Any Native American who is admitted to the GSAS will be considered for this fellowship. Admissions deadline is stated above. Application fee waiver requests may be sent to the address above to the attention of the Minority Recruitment & Student Programming Officer or e-mailed to: minrec@fas.harvard.edu

HOWARD HUGHES MEDICAL INSTITUTE AWARDS:

HHMI RESEARCH TRAINING FELLOWSHIPS FOR MEDICAL STUDENTS

Office of Grants and Special Programs

4000 Jones Bridge Road

Chevy Chase, MD 20815-6789

Phone: (800) 448-4882, ext. 8889

Website: www.hhmi.org/medstudent

Email: fellows@hhmi.org

TYPE OF AID: Fellowship

AMOUNT: An annual stipend of \$27,000, an annual fellow's allowance of \$5,500, and an annual research allowance of \$5,500

DEADLINE: January 11, 2008

ELIGIBILITY: Applicants must be enrolled in a US medical, dental, or veterinary school and the fellowship research may be conducted at any academic or non-profit institution in the US, except the National Institutes of Health. Research may be conducted abroad if the fellow's mentor is affiliated with a US institution.

HHMI-NIH RESEARCH SCHOLARS PROGRAM

1 Cloister Court, Building 60, Room 253

Bethesda, MD 20814-1460

Phone: (800) 424-9924

Website: www.hhmi.org/cloister

Email: research_scholars@hhmi.org

COMMENTS: In addition to the Research Training Fellowships for Medical Students, HHMI offers a one-year biomedical research training experience at the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda, Maryland to students enrolled in U.S. medical, dental, or veterinary schools. Students receive an annual salary of \$27,000 (beginning in 2008-2009 program year), health insurance, moving expense reimbursement and many other benefits. Students select a project and mentor after acceptance into the program. The application deadline is January 10.

IBM SCHOLARSHIP-AISES

Scholarship Coordinator

American Indian Science and Engineering Society

P.O. Box 9828

Albuquerque, NM 87119-9828

Phone: (505) 765-1052 ext.106

Website: www.aises.org

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

AMOUNT: \$1,000 for undergraduates with 3.2 GPA, higher awards for higher GPAs

FIELD OF STUDY: Math, electrical engineering, computer science, computer engineering, computer information systems, industrial engineering, material science, chemical engineering, mechanical engineering, management information systems

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be a current AISES member
2. Must be a US citizen
3. Must be American Indian or an Alaskan Native
4. Must be enrolled as a full-time undergraduate or graduate student at an accredited college or university
5. Must have a 3.2 or higher cumulative grade point average

DEADLINE: June 15th

COMMENTS: Please contact AISES directly or visit their website for further information and application processes.

NATIONAL DEFENSE SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING GRADUATE (NDSEG) FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

NDSEG Fellowship Program

American Society for Engineering Education

1818 N Street, N.W. #600

Washington, DC 20036

Attn: Ari Klenicki

Phone: (202) 331-3546

Fax: (202) 265-8504

Email: ndseg@asee.org

Website: www.asee.org/ndseg

SPONSOR: Department of Defense
TYPE OF AWARD: 3-Year Fellowship
DEADLINE: January 5th
AWARD AMOUNT: Full tuition and fees (not including room & board), plus a stipend and a \$1000 a year health insurance allowance.
Stipend amounts are: \$30,500 - 1st year
\$31,000 - 2nd year
\$31,500 - 3rd year

NUMBER OF APPLICANTS: Approximately 2,500

NUMBER OF AWARDS: 200

NOTIFICATION DATE: April 1st

ELIGIBILITY: Must be a U.S. citizen at or near the beginning of doctoral studies in the fields of science and engineering. Applications are encouraged from women, persons with disabilities and minorities, including members of ethnic minority groups such as American Indian, Black, Hispanic, Native Alaskan (Eskimo or Aleut) or Pacific Islander (Polynesian or Micronesian).

Additional Information: Fields: aeronautical and astronautical engineering, biosciences, chemical engineering, chemistry, cognitive, neural and behavioral sciences, computer science, electrical engineering, geosciences, materials science and engineering, mathematics, mechanical engineering, naval architecture and ocean engineering, oceanography, and physics (includes optics).

NATIONAL PHYSICAL SCIENCE CONSORTIUM - GRADUATE FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM FOR MINORITIES AND WOMEN

USC-RAN

3716 S. Hope, Suite 348

Los Angeles, CA 90007-4344

Phone: (213) 743-2403

Toll Free: (800) 854-NPSC

Fax: (213) 743-2407

E-mail: npschq@npsc.org

Website: www.npsc.org

TYPE OF AID: Fellowship

DEADLINE: November 5 (Annually)

DURATION: 6 Years (Max.)

AMOUNT: \$156,000 up to \$200,000

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be a citizen of the United States.
2. Entering or returning student, eligibility is further limited to those individuals who will receive their baccalaureate degree; or who have not attended graduate school for at least one year; or who will be granted a master degree by a non-PhD. granting institution.
3. Applications will be accepted only for study and research required for a doctoral degree in a specified discipline, write for more information or <http://www.npsc.org>.

4. GPA: Have an undergraduate academic standing as a senior with at least a 3.0 GPA in a 4.0 system.

COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY: Must enter graduate school at a member NPSC university.

REQUIRED FIELD OF STUDY: Astronomy, Chemistry, Computer Science, Geology, Material Science, Mathematics, Physics, and sub-disciplines.

COMMENTS: Emphasis is on underrepresented minority (Black, Hispanic, Native American and/or female). It is the intent of this fellowship program to expand the pool of minorities and women Ph.D.s in the physical sciences. Evaluation will be based on such factors as transcripts, GREs, concentration of undergraduate course work, and competitiveness (as demonstrated by research, academic and/or other relevant activities), and honors and awards.

NEWBERRY LIBRARY FELLOWSHIPS IN THE HUMANITIES

The Newberry Library
Committee on Awards
Office of Research and Education
60 W. Walton Street
Chicago, IL 60610-7328
Phone: (312) 255-3666
Email: research@newberry.org
Website: www.newberry.org

Francis C. Allen Fellowships

This fellowship is for women of Native American heritage. While candidates for this award may be working in any graduate or pre-professional field, the particular goal of the Allen Fellowship is to encourage Native American women in their studies of the humanities and social sciences. Financial support varies according to need and may include travel expenses. Allen Fellows are expected to spend a significant part of their tenure in residence at the Newberry's D'Arcy McNickle Center for American Indian History. The tenure of the fellowship is from one month to one year. The fellowship provides up to \$8,000 in approved expenses. APPLICATIONS ARE DUE MARCH 1, 2008.

Susan Kelly Power and Helen Hornbeck Tanner Fellowship

This fellowship for Ph.D. candidates and post-doctoral scholars of American Indian heritage supports up to two months of residential research in any fields in the humanities, using the collections of the Newberry Library, and provides a stipend of \$1,600 per month. APPLICATIONS ARE DUE MARCH 1, 2008.

POSTDOCTORAL (UCLA)

American Indian Studies Fellowships
University of California, Los Angeles
American Indian Studies Center
3220 Campbell Hall
Los Angeles, CA 90024-1548
Phone: (310) 825-7315

TYPE OF AID: Fellowship

COMMENTS: UCLA's Institute of American Cultures, in cooperation with the University's four ethnic studies research centers offers fellowships to postdoctoral scholars in support of research of African Americans, Asian Americans, Chicanos/as, or Native Americans. UCLA faculty members are not eligible to apply. Please write to the above address for more information.

SARAH BRADLEY TYSON MEMORIAL FELLOWSHIP

Woman's National Farm and Garden Association, Inc.

P.O. Box 1175

Midland, MI 48641-1175

Please write for more information.

TYPE OF AID: Fellowship

DEADLINE: April 15th of the year to be awarded

DURATION: 1 Semester renewable

AMOUNT: \$1,000

COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY: Must be an accredited educational institution in good standing in the US

REQUIRED FIELD OF STUDY: Advanced study in agriculture, horticulture, and allied subjects.

COMMENTS: The fellowship is open to properly qualified young women who have proven their ability by several years experience. Awards have been made in recognition of leadership in cooperative extension work and initiative in scientific research. There are no application forms. A letter of application should be sent to the above address. For more information send self addressed stamped envelope.

APPLICATION QUALIFICATIONS: There are no application forms. A letter of application should be sent to the chairman of the Committee with a self-addressed, stamped envelope. The letter of application should contain:

1. An account of the applicant's educational training.
2. A statement, in full, of the object in view and the plan of study.
3. A certificate from the registrar of the school, college or university awarding the degree or degrees received by the applicant.
4. Testimonials as to character, ability, personality, and scholarship.
5. Theses, papers, or reports of investigations, published or unpublished if available. These will be returned if postage is sent for that purpose. Confidential letters sent to the committee are retained.
6. A health certificate.
7. A small recent photograph.

SELECTED PROFESSIONS FELLOWSHIPS

American Association of University Women (AAUW) Educational Foundation

Customer Service Center

2201 N. Dodge St., Dept 177

Iowa City, IA 52243-4030

Phone: (319) 337-1716

Fax: (319) 337-1204

Website: www.aauw.org

TYPE OF AID: Fellowship

DURATION: 1 year

AMOUNT: \$5,000-\$12,000

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be a **Female** who is a citizen or permanent resident of the U.S.
2. Must be ready to begin the final year of a master's or first professional degree program in one of the designated fields of study in September of the fellowship year.
3. Applicants entering the **first year of a master's in engineering and 3rd year of the general medicine programs are additionally eligible.**

REQUIRED FIELDS OF STUDY: Graduate Study in the fields of architecture, business administration (2-year or executive MBA programs only), computer/information science, engineering, law, mathematics, medicine, and statistics.

Career Development Grants

TYPE OF AID: Grant

DEADLINE: December 15th

AMOUNT: \$2,000 - \$12,000

Career Development Grants support women who hold a bachelor's degree and are preparing to advance their careers, change careers, or re-enter the work force. Special consideration is given to AAUW members, women of color, and women pursuing their first advanced degree or credentials in nontraditional fields.

Grants provide support for course work beyond a bachelor's degree, including a master's degree, second bachelor's degree, or specialized training in technical or professional fields. Funds are available for distance learning. Course work must be taken at an accredited two- or four-year college or university, or at a technical school that is fully licensed or accredited by an agency recognized by the US Department of Education. Funds are not available for doctoral-level work.

Community Action Grants

TYPE OF AID: Grant

DEADLINE: January 15th

AMOUNT: \$2,000 - \$10,000

One-Year Grants provide seed money for new projects. Topic areas are unrestricted, but should include a clearly defined activity that promotes education and equity for women and girls.

Two-Year Grants provide start-up funds for longer-term programs that address the particular needs of the community and develop girls' sense of efficacy through leadership or advocacy opportunities. Topic areas are unrestricted, but should include a clearly defined activity that promotes education and equity for women and girls.

Please visit our website for further information and to view all of our Fellowships/Grants/Awards available.

SEQUOYAH GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP-AAIA SCHOLARSHIP

Lisa Wyzlic, Director of Scholarship Programs

Association on American Indian Affairs (AAIA)

966 Hungerford Drive, Suite 12-B

Rockville, MD 20850

Phone: (240) 314-7155

Fax: (240) 314-7159

Email: lw.aaia@verizon.net

Website: www.indian-affairs.org

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

AMOUNT: \$1,500

QUALIFICATIONS: American Indian graduate student

COMMENTS: Please visit the website or contact AAIA for further information on the application process and for deadlines.

SOUTHWEST INDIAN AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION (SWIAA)

P.O. Box 93524

Phoenix, AZ 85070-3524

Fax: (520) 562-2840

Email: swiaa@att.net

TYPE OF AID: Scholarship

DEADLINE: Late November

AMOUNT: \$1,000 (2 undergrad/1 graduate)

REQUIREMENTS: Please contact for further information

THE NATIONAL CONSORTIUM FOR GRADUATE DEGREES FOR MINORITIES IN ENGINEERING AND SCIENCE, INC. (GEM)

The National GEM Consortium

1800 K Street NW, Suite 900

Washington, DC 20006

Phone: (202) 457-8672

Fax: (202) 457-8690

Website: www.gemfellowship.org

TYPE OF AID: Fellowship and Internship for MS and Ph.D.

DEADLINE: November 1, Annually

DURATION: MS-two semesters or one quarter

AMOUNT: MS-tuition and fees plus minimum \$10,000 stipend (9 months);
Ph.D. tuition and fees plus minimum \$14,000 stipend (12 months)

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be a US citizen or permanent residence at time of application and a member of one of the following: American Indian, African-American, Puerto Rican, Mexican-American, and other Hispanic-American.
2. If an undergraduate: must be a senior or junior in an accredited engineering discipline
3. Must pursue MS or PhD in Engineering or PhD in Science.

COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY: Must attend one of the member GEM universities

REQUIRED FIELD OF STUDY: MS Engineering all disciplines; Ph.D. Natural Sciences (Physical / Biological) or Engineering.

COMMENTS: A summer internship with a member employer required of the fellowship.

THOMAS R. PICKERING GRADUATE FOREIGN AFFAIRS FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

The Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation

P.O. Box 2437

Princeton, NJ 08543-2437

TYPE OF AWARD: Fellowship

DEADLINE: February 4

REQUIREMENTS:

1. At time of application, candidates must be seeking admission to graduate school for the following academic year.
2. Winners are expected to enroll in two-year full-time master's degree programs (such as public policy, international affairs, public administration, or academic fields such as business, economics, political science, sociology, or foreign languages). U.S. graduate institutions only.
3. Applicants must have a minimum undergraduate grade point of 3.2 or higher on a 4.0 scale.
4. A cumulative grade point average of 3.2 or higher must be maintained throughout participation in the program.

COMMENTS: The Thomas R. Pickering Graduate Foreign Affairs Fellowship Program provides graduate funding to participants as they are prepared academically and professionally to enter the United States Department of State Foreign Service. Women, members of minority groups historically underrepresented in the Foreign Service, and students with financial need are encouraged to apply.

ZONTA INTERNATIONAL AMELIA EARHART FELLOWSHIP AWARD

Zonta International Foundation

557 W. Randolph Street

Chicago, IL 60661-2206

Phone: (312) 930-5848

Fax: (312) 930-0951

Email: Zontafdtn@Zonta.org

Website: www.Zonta.org

DEADLINE: All applications, recommendations, transcripts, and graduate acceptance or letter of current standing must be postmarked by **November 15** to be considered.

GENERAL INFORMATION: The Zonta International Amelia Earhart Fellowships were established in 1938 in honor of Amelia Earhart, famed pilot and Zontian. The awards are granted annually to women pursuing graduate degrees in aerospace-related sciences and aerospace-related engineering. Women of any nationality are eligible, and the US \$10,000 award may be used at any university or college offering accredited graduate courses and degrees. Requests for a second or third award by a fellow must undergo the same application and evaluation procedures as first-time applicants; a third award may be made only in exceptional cases. Acknowledgment of Zonta International as the award donor is appreciated in publication of research done during or as a result of the award.

APPLICATION QUALIFICATIONS: You need to complete a bachelor's degree; demonstrate outstanding academic credentials; clearly identify the relevance of your research to aerospace-related sciences or aerospace-related engineering; and specifically outline your professional and career goals as they relate to advancing knowledge in aerospace-related science or aerospace-related engineering.

REQUIREMENTS:

1. By the application deadline you must have a bachelor's degree in a qualifying area of science or engineering closely related to advanced studies in aerospace-related science or aerospace-related engineering.
2. You must demonstrate a superior academic record and evidence of potential at a recognized university or college as verified by transcripts, recommendations and acceptance or verification by a university or college with accredited courses in aerospace-related studies.
3. You must have a well-defined research program in aerospace-related sciences or aerospace-related engineering as described by your essay and you must clearly demonstrate the relationship of your research to aerospace. Your research program must be verified by at least one letter of recommendation.

**INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES &
SUMMER PROGRAMS**

INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES & SUMMER PROGRAMS

Working while you are in college has three major advantages. First, a paying job can help you meet college expenses. Second, work experience in your field of study will help you understand and appreciate the rest of your studies. Finally, when you are ready to look for a permanent job, having experience will give you an advantage over similarly qualified yet less experienced individuals.

There are several options open to students who want to earn while they learn. An on-campus job at your university is probably your best choice. College work-study may be part of your financial aid package. There are jobs available for the enterprising student. The on-campus Student Employment Office should be able to assist you. Part-time jobs near campus may also be available for the industrious student. Full-time students should plan to work no more than 20 hours per week during the school term and Science and Engineering students, less time than that, as studying requires significant time spans and effort.

Summer jobs can be very lucrative for college students. After you have had some course work in your major, you can look for employment with firms or agencies in that field. A summer job as a receptionist or a data processor with a corporation in your field of specialization may give you a point of entrance towards a better job in your respective field.

Cooperative education and internship positions are job opportunities designed especially for college students. These jobs usually require higher-level qualifications and they offer you the best chance to get substantial "hands-on" experience in your field. Co-ops are usually offered in six-month terms, and you are paid for your work, while internships usually offer college credit and pay only expenses. Since co-op students do not earn college credit while they are on the job, they need to plan to extend their college career for the semesters they are not in school.

Start your job and summer program search early. Where you can look for available jobs and summer programs:

- Campus Placement Office
- Job announcements on bulletin boards
- Classified ads in the newspaper
- Magazines in your career field, for example: *Winds of Change*, Published by AISES and *Careers* published by Business Week.

FERMI NATIONAL ACCELERATOR LABORATORY

Dianne M. Engram

P.O. Box 500-MS. 117

Batavia, IL 60510

Phone: (630) 840-4633

Fax: (630) 840-5207

Email: engram@fnal.gov

Website: <http://sist.fnal.gov>

TYPE OF EMPLOYMENT: summer internship consisting of a work assignment (joining a selected staff member in supportive or developmental research), an academic lecture series, and a final report which given by the intern and submitted to the laboratory.

LENGTH OF EMPLOYMENT: May 19 – August 6

DEADLINE: February 13, 2009

SALARY: Freshmen - \$615/wk.
Sophomore - \$652/wk.
Junior - \$691/wk.
Senior - \$725/wk.

HEALTH MANAGEMENT SUMMER ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

Dr. Richard Lichtenstein

Summer Enrichment Program

Dept. of Health Management and Policy

M3226 School of Public Health II

University of Michigan

Ann Arbor, MI 48109-2029

Phone: (734) 936-3296

Website: www.sph.umich.edu/hmp/sep/

Email: um_sep@umich.edu

UNDERGRADUATE MINORITY STUDENTS

TYPE OF AID: Summer Internship (8-week paid work experience)

DEADLINE: March 5

DESCRIPTION: The intent of the program is to encourage minority undergraduates to identify health management as an attractive career option by familiarizing them with the field through a structured summer work experience.

AMOUNT: \$3,000 stipend and food allowance

Applicant must be: U. S. Citizens. Successful applicants will show good academic excellence (a 2.8 or above Grade Point Average on a 4.0 scale) and demonstrate one or more of the following:

1. Be a member of a population that is adversely affected by Racial, Ethnic or Socioeconomic Disparities in Health.
2. Live in a community or area that is adversely affected by health disparities, such as urban and rural areas whose residents have low health status.
3. Have experience working in programs that address health disparities. Such programs include local health departments, community health centers, inner city/rural hospitals or organizations that conduct research on or develop policy related to health disparities.
4. Have done previous academic work (e.g. taken courses, written papers or participate in research projects) related to health disparities.
5. Show other evidence of serious commitment to a public health career involving the reduction or elimination of health disparities (e.g. through participation in conferences, seminars or previous internships).

COMMENTS: For students accepted into the program who attend non-Michigan universities and whose permanent summer residence is outside Southeast Michigan, the program will provide transportation to and from Ann Arbor and housing. All students are provided with local transportation or are reimbursed for their transportation costs and receive a food allowance.

THE INSTITUTE FOR INTERNATIONAL PUBLIC POLICY

Mark H. Chichester, Director

UNCFSP

2750 Prosperity Ave, Suite 600

Fairfax, VA 22031

Phone: (703) 205-7624

TYPE OF AID: Fellowship program

DEADLINE: March 1

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Sophomore student
2. Enrolled full-time at a four-year institution
3. U.S. Citizen or permanent resident
4. Minimum 3.2 grade point average (on a 4.0 scale)
5. Strong interest in a career in international service
6. Underrepresented minority: African American, Hispanic/Latino American, American Indian, Asian American, Alaskan Native, Native Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander

IIPP Fellowship Program Components

The Sophomore Summer Policy Institute is based at Clark Atlanta University's Department of International Affairs and Development in Atlanta, Georgia. The course of study includes International Politics, Research Methods, U.S. Foreign Policy, International Business, Economics, and selected area studies. Lectures, discussions, and group assignments are complemented by guest speakers, and local site visits to international agencies and organizations in Washington, D.C. and New York.

Fellows who successfully complete the Sophomore Summer Policy Institute participate in the Junior Year Study Abroad component. Fellows may study for one or two semesters at an approved overseas institution. The IIPP provides funding for as much as one-half of the total cost of study abroad, with the unmet half being covered by a combination of government and institutional aid, as well as one reasonable family contribution.

During the summer following the junior year, fellows attend the Junior Summer Policy Institute. The Institute offers two months of intensive, graduate-level work in economics, mathematics, communications and policy analysis. This Institute is designed to prepare fellows for graduate school and to provide graduate school admissions officers with valuable insight into how individual students might perform at their institutions.

Fellows without established foreign language competency are required to participate in the Summer Language Institute during the summer following the senior year. They are also required to enroll in foreign Language courses at their home institutions to lay the

foundation for a productive language training experience. Fellows are strongly encouraged to take up less commonly studied languages.

Fellows with previously established foreign language competency participate in Post-Baccalaureate Internship experiences in lieu of intensive language training during the summer following the senior year. For some, internships may span the fall and spring semesters as well, providing valuable job experience that strengthens graduate school applications and bolsters professional credentials.

The IIPP rounds out its fellowship with partial funding to support a Masters Degree in international affairs. Matching fellowship support from participating graduate schools is also available.

MATHEMATICAL & THEORETICAL BIOLOGY INSTITUTE (MTBI)

MTBI/SUMS

Arizona State University

Department of Mathematics & Statistics

Box 871804

Tempe, AZ 85287-1804

Phone: (480) 965-2115

Fax: (480) 727-7346

Email: mtbi@math.asu.edu

Website: <http://mtbi.asu.edu/SummerProgram.html>

DATES: June 9-August 7, 2009

DEADLINE: March 1

AMOUNT: Airfare, transportation, roam and board, \$3,000 stipend

ELIGIBILITY: Completed sophomore or junior year, majoring in math, biology, or related fields and have had at least one year of calculus; Latinos, Native Americans, and African Americans are strongly encouraged to apply

HOW TO APPLY:

1. Complete the online application form or the hard copy available as PDF.
2. Additional materials (faculty letter of recommendation, official transcripts, and personal statement) to be sent to the contact address above.

COMMENTS: This intensive eight-week summer research experience for undergraduates in Tempe, Arizona prepares promising young scientists interested in working at the interface of mathematics, statistics and the natural and social sciences for the rigors of graduate studies. Participants receive intensive instruction in dynamical systems, stochastic processes, computational methods and modeling delivered by top scientists and special guest lectures and colloquia speakers. This is a collaborative research environment with fellow participants, graduate students, postdoctoral students, visiting scholars; students work in self-selected groups on research problems of their own choosing in collaboration with experienced faculty and graduate student mentors. By the end of the program, students have completed technical report and poster and oral presentation to peers and scientists.

NATIONAL CENTER FOR COOPERATIVE EDUCATION

Haskell Indian Nations University

155 Indian Avenue # 5018

Lawrence, KS 66046

Phone: (785) 749-8414

Fax: (785) 749-8439

Email: daeifler@fs.fed.us

DEADLINE: March 1

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Up to \$5,000 annually for tuition assistance
2. Full-time Summer employment in career field
3. Opportunity to move into professional level (GS-5/7/9) positions after graduation

APPLICANTS MUST PROVIDE:

1. Letter of application stating goals and interests
2. Bureau of Indian Affairs Form 4432 – Indian Preference for Employment
3. Proof of enrollment or acceptance into a college forestry or natural resources program
4. Copy of most recent transcript and current schedule if enrolled
5. OF 612 (federal employment form)
6. Letter of recommendation from academic advisor
7. (Optional but helpful) Letter of support from Tribal NR person or B.I.A. area agency NR staff

NATIONAL SECURITY AGENCY

Attn: MB3

9800 Savage Rd., Suite 6779

Ft. George G. Meade, MD 20755-6779

Phone: (866) NSA-HIRE

(410) 859-4725

DEADLINE: November 30

QUALIFICATIONS:

1. U.S. citizen, and immediate family must be U.S. citizens
2. Apply during senior year of high school
3. Major in electrical engineering, computer engineering, computer science, or math
4. GPA: 3.0; 1600 on SAT with a 500 in writing or 25 on ACT

COMMENTS: This program, developed particularly for minority high school students, provides full tuition to any university or college for outstanding students who plan to major in electrical or computer engineering, mathematics, or foreign language (languages may vary-visit www.nsa.gov). Recipients are guaranteed summer employment during school and permanent employment within the National Security Agency upon graduation.

Program participants are required to work for the National Security Agency after graduation for at least one and a half times their length of study. National Security Agency (NSA) was established to be the national authority for all US Communications Security activities and to produce foreign intelligence information crucial to the nations' defense. NSA is also responsible for establishing computer security standards for use throughout

the government and leads the government's research and development activities in the field of communications.

NATIVE AMERICAN AND PACIFIC ISLANDER RESEARCH EXPERIENCE PROGRAM

Organization for Tropical Studies (OTS)

Duke University

Box 90633

Durham, NC 27708-0633

Phone: (919) 684-5774

Fax: (919) 684-5661

Email: ots@duke.edu

Website: http://www.ots.duke.edu/en/education/reu_napire.shtml

DEADLINE: February

AWARDS: Round-trip travel to Costa Rica. Mentoring from an experienced faculty researcher. Support for eight weeks at the OTS field stations, including research supplies. Research stipend of \$3,000 per program.

DATES: Contact for dates

COMMENTS: The Organization for Tropical Studies (OTS) is pleased to announce a research program designed for Native American and Pacific Islander undergraduate students. This experience is supported by the Louis Stokes Alliances for Minority Participation Program (LSAMP, National Science Foundation). As a leader in the field of tropical ecology since 1963, OTS, a consortium of more than 60 domestic and international colleges and universities, has trained some of the world's most renowned tropical ecologists. As part of the program students will complete a field research project involving experimental design, data collection, analysis and presentation of results. In addition students will participate in lectures, seminars and field activities that focus on tropical ecology and conservation. For application and further information write, call, or visit the website.

NATIVE AMERICAN CONGRESSIONAL INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

The Morris K. Udall Foundation

130 S. Scott Ave

Tucson, AZ 85701-1922

Phone: (520) 901-8568

Fax: (520) 901-8570

E-mail: ben@udall.gov

Website: www.udall.gov

The Udall Foundation's Native American Congressional Internship Program places Native American and Alaska Natives university students in congressional offices during the summer. Twelve candidates are selected for a ten-week, intensive internship in Washington, D.C. Interns will work full-time in congressional offices and gain firsthand knowledge of government processes and decision-making events.

PURPOSE: The internship is designed to give Native American and Alaska Natives students practical experience in the legislative process, congressional matters and

governmental proceedings. The program will provide excellent networking opportunities and will enable students to represent themselves to important constituencies in Washington, D.C.

DEADLINE: January 30, 2009

REQUIREMENTS:

Applicants must:

1. Be a member of a federally and state recognized tribe; see website for details
2. Be a college junior, senior, graduate student or law student, a recent graduate (within the past 12 months)
3. Have a minimum 3.0 GPA or "B" average
4. Have a strong commitment to pursue a career in tribal government or policy.

NATIVE AMERICAN SCHOLARS & COLLABORATORS PROJECT

Department of Counseling and School Psychology

San Diego State University

San Diego, CA 92182-1179

Email: schpsych@mail.sdsu.edu

Website: <http://edweb.sdsu.edu/csp/nacpprojects1/>

COMMENTS: The broad purpose of the Native American Scholars and Collaboration Project (NASCP) is to support the development of Native American Scholars and Collaborators who will serve in schools as school counselors and school psychologists, providing culturally appropriate service to Native American children with disabilities, and those at risk of being misidentified. Native American Seminars, Graduate Coursework, Field Experiences, and Summer Institutes complement and are integrated with the graduate professional preparation programs. Scholars are supported with stipends, book and professional development allowances, travel to conferences, and mentors.

REQUIREMENTS: Native American Scholars are graduate students admitted to and enrolled in the School Counseling Program or School Psychology Program. Students must be fully committed to serving Native American children and communities upon graduation.

HOW TO APPLY: Application to the Native American Scholars and Collaborators Project requires the submission of the application form, resume or vita, a personal statement regarding your potential as a Native Scholar, and an assurance statement regarding your relationship and commitments to Native American communities. Please contact for more information

PATTY IRON CLOUD NATIONAL NATIVE AMERICAN YOUTH INITIATIVE

Lucinda Myers, MSW, NNAYI Program Director

1225 Sovereign Row, Suite 103

Oklahoma City, OK 73108

Phone: (405) 946-7072

Fax: (404) 946-7651

Email: lmyers@aaip.org

Website: www.aaip.org

COMMENTS: The Patty Iron Cloud National Native American Youth Initiative (NNAYI) is an intense enrichment program funded by the Office of Minority Health and the National Institutes of Health. NNAYI is designed to better prepare American Indian/Alaska Native (AI/AN) high school students to remain in the academic pipeline and pursue a career in the health professions and/or biomedical research. NNAYI's curriculum is presented in a series of lectures, interactive workshops, and field trips. Students will learn about various health professions, college and medical school admission processes, financial aid resources, and health care issues affecting AI/AN communities. Students will also get the opportunity to network with AI/AN health professionals and learn about mentoring and shadowing programs with AAIP member physicians. The NNAYI scholarship pays for lodging, most meals, and travel expenses. Additional program information available at www.aaip.org/programs/nnayi/nnayi.htm.

DATES: June 20-28, 2009

WHERE: Washington, DC

ELIGIBILITY FOR STUDENT APPLICANTS:

1. AI/AN high school student, age 16-18
2. Planning to enter health career
3. Must have a minimum 2.5 GPA

DEADLINE: April 17, 2009

ELIGIBILITY FOR COUNSELOR APPLICANTS:

1. Must be 21 or older
2. Role model and chaperone for a group of 5-6 students
3. AI/AN medical and health professional students are encouraged to apply
4. Must arrive in Washington, DC 1-2 days prior to program dates (AAIP will cover travel, lodging, meals, as well as provide a stipend upon completion of the program)
5. Must pass a background check

DEADLINE: March 6, 2009

PLEASE NOTE: The NNAYI Program is NOT a summer camp or sightseeing trip. It is an intense enrichment program that consists of a rigorous schedule of all-day sessions as well as continuous walking and/or walking long distances. You must be prepared to work hard.

SEMESTER IN WASHINGTON-NATIVE AMERICAN POLITICAL LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

The George Washington University

1922 F Street NW, Suite 401A

Washington, DC 20052

Phone: 1-800-367-4776 or (202) 994-8908

Fax: (202) 994-8471

Email: siw@gwu.edu

Website: www.gwu.edu/~siw/politics/napl/index.cfm

COMMENTS: The purpose of the NAPLP is to attract bright, energetic Native American (American Indian, Alaska Native, and Native Hawaiian) college students to Washington's most respected political leadership semester program. Currently, the NAPLP program is offered in the Spring only. Qualified Native American students will receive individual

scholarships to cover tuition, fees, housing, books and other expenses. As a participant in Semester In Washington, students will be immersed in the American political process and will learn how public policy decisions are made, how legislation is created, how our government operates and how democratic policies function in a free society.

HOW TO APPLY:

Interested students who are American Indian, Alaska Native and/or Native Hawaiian may apply on-line or by downloading and mailing the application to SIW Admissions (see above address) or contact them by phone or email.

DEADLINE: Contact for Spring 2010 admission

SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION

Due to the ongoing delays with federal mail delivery in Washington, D.C. area, all individuals requesting information are encouraged to use email. If submitting application materials for Smithsonian Institution academic appointments, individuals are advised to use our P.O. Box until further notice.

Office of Research Training and Services

Smithsonian Institution

470 L'Enfant SW, Suite 7102

MRC 902, P.O. Box 37012

Washington, DC 20013-7012

Phone: (202) 275-0655

Fax: (202) 275-0489

Email: siofg@si.edu

Website: <http://intern.si.edu>

Minority Internship Program

DEADLINE: Summer: February 1st

Fall: February 1st

Spring: October 1st

DURATION: 10 weeks

AMOUNT: \$500 per week stipend

REQUIREMENTS: Internships are available for students to participate in research or museum-related activities. Minority undergraduate and graduate students are invited to apply.

Native American Internship Program

DEADLINE: Summer: February 1st

Fall: February 1st

Spring: October 1st

DURATION: 10 weeks

AMOUNT: \$500 per week stipend

REQUIREMENTS: Internships are available to Native American students to participate in research or museum activities related to Native American studies.

COMMENTS FOR A AND B: The Smithsonian offers fellowships and internships for research and study in fields which are actively pursued by the museums and research organizations of the institution. At present, these fields are animal behavior, ecology, and environmental science, including an emphasis on the topics anthropology, including

archaeology, astrophysics and astronomy, earth sciences, paleontology, evolutionary and systematic biology, history of science and technology, history of art, especially American, contemporary, African, and Asian art, twentieth-century American crafts, and decorative arts, social and cultural history of the United States folk life.

SUMMER RESEARCH OPPORTUNITY PROGRAM IN PSYCHOLOGY

The University of Utah
Department of Psychology
380 S. 1530 E., Rm 502
Salt Lake City, UT 84112
Phone: (801) 581-6124
Fax: (801) 581-5841
Website: www.psych.utah.edu/srop

COMMENTS: The Department of Psychology at the University of Utah invites students to apply for their Summer Research Opportunity Program (SROP-Psychology) for underrepresented students. The goal of SROP-Psychology is to increase the number of underrepresented students who enter Ph.D. programs in psychology, helping to diversify the field and broaden the range of perspectives.

AMOUNT: Travel, stipend (\$3,000 undergrad, \$4,000 graduate), room & board, tuition, and Kaplan GRE preparation expenses

DURATION: May 30 thru August 7, 2009

DEADLINE: February 16, 2009

ELIGIBILITY: Current graduate students (for the pre-masters graduate research training program), current undergraduate students (sophomores or above), and recent graduates from four-year undergraduate institutions. Students must:

- Have a cumulative grade point average of 2.75 or better in the last two years of undergraduate study
- Be a citizen of the United States or a permanent resident
- Be an African American, American Indian, Asian American, Hispanic/Latino, Pacific Islander/Alaskan Native or low income/first generation college student.

TRIBAL ENERGY PROGRAM-SUMMER INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

Sandra K. Begay-Campbell
Sandia National Laboratories
P.O. Box 5800, MS 1110
Albuquerque, NM 87185-5418
Phone: (505) 844-5418
Email: skbegay@sandia.gov

LOCATION: Sandia National Laboratories, Albuquerque, NM

DEADLINE: February 20, 2009

ELIGIBILITY: Current college upper-classmen and graduate students, who are familiar with Native American culture and tribal issues, are needed to support the Tribal Energy Program efforts with technical project tasks. Students are needed to assist a cross-disciplinary team to perform specific tasks. Interactions will be with Sandia's renewable energy staff, Native American tribes interested in renewable systems and Sandia's

American Indian Outreach Committee. Instant immersion in these activities is offered in working directly with experienced and internationally recognized peers. Travel is required, including field visits to renewable energy projects.

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Student applicant must be a US citizen
2. Must be Native American, defined as a member of a Federally recognized tribe, Alaska Village or Alaska Corporation, (not state-recognized, not bands or groups, or first peoples of Guam or Hawaii)
3. Specific interest in renewable energy
4. Applicants must pass a pre-employment background check.

HOW TO APPLY:

1. Apply to contact address listed
2. Apply using a personal resume including GPA and all relevant work experience and outside activities, Include your phone number and email address
3. Include all college transcripts (official copies required)
4. Complete questionnaire (contact Ms. Begay-Campbell for this)

COMMENTS: The Tribal Energy Program promotes tribal energy self-sufficiency, economic development and employment on tribal lands through the use of renewable energy and energy efficiency technologies. Please contact Ms. Begay-Campbell for application information.

US DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Tribal College Equity Program (TCEG)

CSREES/Higher Education Programs

U.S. Departments of Agriculture

USDA-Waterfront Center

800 9th Street, SW

Washington, DC 20024

Phone: (202) 720-1254

Fax: (202) 720-3945

Website: www.csrees.usda.gov

COMMENTS: The TEE program is a non-competitive grants program intended to enhance education opportunities for Native Americans by strengthening instructional programs in the food and agricultural sciences. Eligible institutions may propose projects in any discipline(s) of the food and agricultural sciences as defined in section 1404 of the National Agricultural Research, Extension and Teaching Policy Act of 1977, as amended (NAREPTA) (7 U.S.C. 3103).

US SENATOR JEFF BINGAMAN

Intern Coordinator

703 Hart Senate Office Building

Washington, DC 20510

Phone: (202) 224-5521

Toll Free: 1-800-443-8658

Website: <http://bingaman.senate.gov>

TYPE OF EMPLOYMENT: Internship

QUALIFICATIONS:

1. College undergraduate
2. New Mexico resident or attending school in the state
3. Strong writing skills and GPA
4. Open to all majors

DEADLINES:

Summer Session by March 31st

Fall Session by July 31st

Spring Session by November 30th

Albuquerque Office

Suite 130, 625 Silver, SW
Albuquerque, NM 87102
(505) 346-6601

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Roswell, NM 88201
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Santa Fe, NM 87501
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United States Senate
Washington, DC 20510
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COMMENTS: Senator Bingaman provides intern opportunities during the spring, summer and fall semesters in New Mexico and Washington, DC. Hours are somewhat flexible, based on the student's school schedule. Stipends are available on a competitive basis. If a student is awarded a stipend, payment is provided during the internship itself, not in advance. Please contact an office or visit the website for further information.

US REPRESENTATIVE TOM UDALL

1410 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515
Phone: (202) 225-6190
Fax: (202) 226-1331

Website: <http://www.tomudall.house.gov>

TYPE OF EMPLOYMENT: Internship

QUALIFICATIONS:

1. Excellent writing, analytical and communication skills
2. Ability to work in a fast-paced environment
3. Applicants for Washington internship **MUST** have completed their second year of college

4. Students interested in interning in the district must be at least a junior in high school.

DEADLINES:

Summer Session by March 16th

Fall Session by August 5th

Spring Session by January 10th

HOW TO APPLY:

Please send a cover letter and current resume to the location where you would like to intern to the attention of "Intern Coordinator". If you are interested in a internship after the deadline has passed, you are encouraged to contact the office to see if there are any openings left.

COMMENTS: A variety of legislative and administrative responsibilities are selected to provide a positive learning experience and an understanding of the details and nuances of congressional office operations. Legislative responsibilities may include monitoring committee activities, tracking legislation, and researching, analyzing and responding to constituent inquiries. Administrative duties may include mail processing, filing, materials duplication, collation of media reports and information, responding to telephone, e-mail and written inquiries, and assisting with a variety of other office projects.

WINS-WASHINGTON INTERNSHIPS FOR NATIVE STUDENTS PROGRAM

David C. Brown, Dean of the Washington Semester Program

Phone: (202) 895-4900 OR 1-800-424-2600

Website: www.washingtonsemester.com

DEADLINE: February 2009 - Summer

COMMENTS: WINS is a program designed for American Indian and Alaskan Native Students to intern and study in Washington, DC for the semester or the summer. Students work 35-40 hours a week in a Federal Agency which sponsors American Indian and Alaska Native students from across the country and develops leadership skills. Please contact the dean or visit the website for qualifications and further information.

This book is available online at www.nmsu.edu/~ird

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