



DFW International

Community Alliance

# Guide to Scholarships for New Americans and Minorities

The Meadows Foundation

citigroup

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



# DFW International

## Community Alliance



ANNE MARIE  
WEISS ARMUSH  
PRESIDENT AND  
FOUNDER



LYNNE  
RICHARDSON  
CHAIRMAN

"Education is the most powerful weapon which we can use to change the world."

Nelson Mandela

We at DFW International community Alliance recognize the significant role education has played in our nation's growth and success as well as in the ability of its inhabitants to pursue their right to happiness. For several years we have offered this Scholarship Guide as a downloadable database for minority students and for children of "New Americans" who may not be aware of the many opportunities for scholarships available to them.

Over 44% of North Texas residents are immigrants and their children. Their impact in our cultural, economic and political well-being must be recognized and supported. As they continue to assimilate, their hopes and dreams become the story of our country to the rest of the world.

This Guide is a small symbol of our gratitude to them and to the dedicated educators who wish to assist them to reach their personal and economic goals.

*Anne Marie Weiss-Armush*

President  
DFW International Community Alliance



DFW International Community Alliance is the portal to international DFW, a region in which 40% of the residents are 'New Americans'. We are a network of more than 1,600 internationally-themed organizations across North Texas.

Our MISSION is to build mutual understanding and respect by linking diverse international cultural communities.

# **Guide to Scholarships for New Americans and Minorities**



## **DFW International Community Alliance**

12830 Hillcrest Rd., Suite D218

Dallas, TX 75230

972-661-2764

[president@dfwinternational.org](mailto:president@dfwinternational.org)

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

This Guide may also be downloaded from our website.

*Copyright® 2010 all rights reserved*



### INDEX

Part 1: Preparing for College	
College prep timeline for high school students .....	5
College prep curriculum .....	6
Tests for College Admission .....	7
Part 2: How to Enroll in College	
Selecting a school .....	9
Types of colleges .....	9
College applications .....	10
Part 3: Financial Aid	
FAFSA .....	11
Scholarships .....	11
Loans .....	12
Other Informational Resources .....	12
Part 4: Directory of Scholarships .....	13
Scholarships for International Study .....	40
Part 5: Para los padres	
Alistandose para la universidad .....	41
Como matricularse en la universidad .....	42
La ayuda financiera .....	43

*We are grateful for the continued support of Citi, the corporate partner that has made this guide possible. Also, to the many local colleges, organizations and individuals that provided essential materials.*

*The 2010 Scholarship Guide was updated and produced by DFW International Community Alliance's Director of Educational Programs Yamilec Calvario and interns Rocío Gordillo and Ruden García. Photographs were provided by the University of North Texas Dallas Campus, Berenice Rodriguez, Rosa-Maria Crocker, and Ronald Scott of Beholding Eyes Photography.*



## **COLLEGE PREP TIMELINE for HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS**

Excerpted from: **The Sallie Mae Fund Mission: Possible!**

[www.thesalliemafund.org/smfnew/sections/download.html](http://www.thesalliemafund.org/smfnew/sections/download.html)

### **Freshman Year**

- Meet with the guidance counselor and select courses that meet college admissions requirements
- Take challenging classes that build skills
- Get involved in extracurricular activities
- Research career possibilities
- During the summer read books, take courses or volunteer

### **Sophomore Year**

- Some schools offer an optional PSAT and/or PLAN test to discover your strengths and weaknesses
- Talk to your counselor about your PSAT and/or PLAN scores and next steps
- Continue to research college and career options
- During the summer read books, take courses, or volunteer

### **Junior year**

- Take the PSAT. A good score may qualify you for scholarship programs.
- Talk to your counselor about your PSAT scores, learn how to improve them
- Start researching your options for grants, scholarships, and work-study



- Research, and visit colleges that you are interested in (and discuss them with your counselor).
- Register for the ACT, SAT, and/or SAT Subject Tests as required by your selected colleges. Or if you haven't selected colleges, discuss with your counselor which test(s) you should take. If you can not cover the cost of the exams, speak to your counselor.

### Senior Year

- Obtain and complete admissions and financial aid applications
- Ask your teachers for recommendations, if the colleges require them
- Visit colleges and attend college fairs
- Send your transcript and test scores to your selected colleges
- Complete the FAFSA as soon as possible after January 1st
- Review your Student Aid Report (SAR), acceptances, and financial aid offers.
- By May 1st, make final decisions and notify schools

### COLLEGE PREP CURRICULUM

Excerpted from: **ACE American Council of Education**

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

College admission officers see your course schedule as the outline of your high school education. Take at least five solid academic classes every semester, including the following:

- **English** - Four or more years (grammar, composition, literature, etc.)
- **Mathematics** - Three or more years (Algebra I and higher does not include general math, business math, or consumer math)
- **Natural Sciences** - Three or more years (biology, chemistry, physics, etc.)
- **Social Sciences** - Three or more years (history, economics, geography, civics, psychology, etc.)
- **Additional Courses** - Some colleges and universities require other classes such as a foreign language, theater, music, computer science, etc.

### OTHER ELEMENTS THAT HELP YOU SUCCEED

Excerpted from: **College Board Connect to College Success**

<http://www.collegeboard.com/>

**Advanced Placement Program (AP)** - These exams offer the credit or advanced standing at most of the nation's colleges and universities. If you do well, you can save time and money while learning.

**Extra-curricular activities** - One can join different clubs in schools to get involved in various activities, and also become a volunteer.

**Work experience** - Year-round or summer internship (paid or unpaid) can help you identify career interests and goals, and gain real work experience. Be sure to list these on your application.

**Be aware of your class ranking.** More and more colleges and universities are considering class rank when admitting students. Some Texas universities automatically admit top 10 percent students of the class.



## TESTS for COLLEGE ADMISSION

- **PSAT** - Most students take the PSAT (Preliminary Scholastic Assessment Test) in the fall of their junior year in high school.
- **SAT** - A 3-hour exam that measures verbal and mathematical reasoning. The maximum possible score is 1600 (800 verbal and 800 mathematics). The admissions office in the college or university you plan to attend can tell you which portions of the SAT you might need to take.
- **ACT Assessment** - A 3-hour exam covering four skill areas: English, mathematics, reading and science reasoning. Max possible score is 36.
- **Should you take the SAT or the ACT?** The SAT & ACT are the two most widely used college entrance exams. Students take it in their junior or senior year in high school. Most colleges and universities will accept scores from either for admissions purposes. However, some schools prefer one over the other. Check your school's requirements, to make sure.





# STAND

out from the crowd.

Whether you're an undecided high school grad, want to return to college, or just want to brush up on your job skills, Richland has what you need to get ahead. **We offer:**

- Multicultural Center
- American English and Culture Institute
- World Languages
- Travel, Exposition and Meeting Management
- Distance Learning Courses
- English for Speakers of Other Languages
- Global Studies

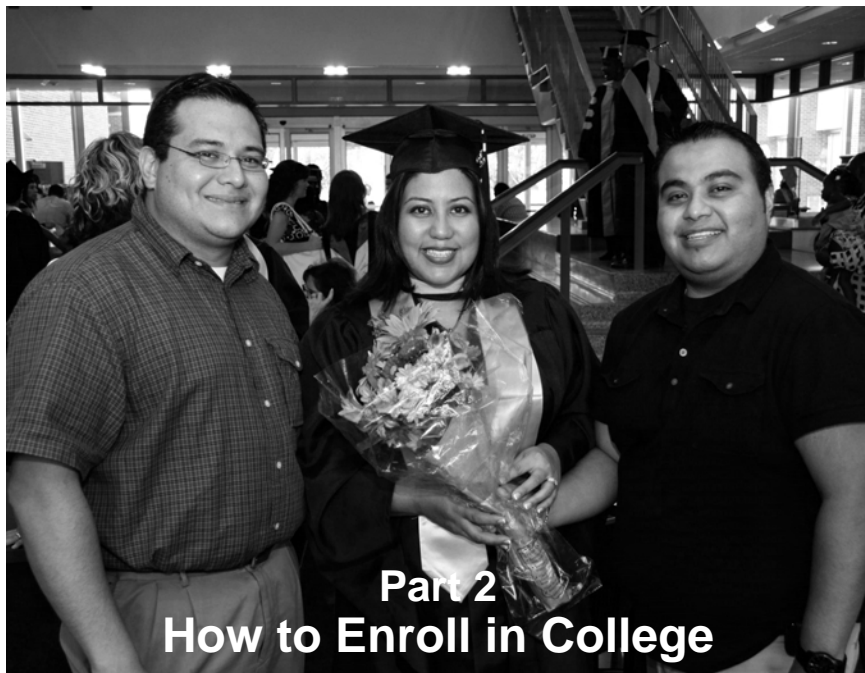
For more information, visit  
[www.richlandcollege.edu/multicultural](http://www.richlandcollege.edu/multicultural)



**Richland College**

DALLAS COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT





## Part 2 How to Enroll in College

Choosing which college or university you want to attend is one of the biggest decisions you will make in your life. Remember, your goal is to find the school that is right for your needs, not those of your friends and family. Consider these things:

- Does the school offer a good program in the field you wish to study?
- What are the admission requirements and can you meet them?
- How much does it cost (tuition plus housing and meals) and can you afford it?
- How big is the college or university?

You can find the answers to these questions on the internet, at college fairs, by visiting the schools, and by contacting the admissions offices of the universities/colleges.

### TYPES of COLLEGES

**Excerpted from:** AIE Adventures in Education

[www.adventuresineducation.org/HighSchool](http://www.adventuresineducation.org/HighSchool)

**Community and junior colleges** generally offer two-year associate degree programs. For students who decide to continue their studies in a four-year program, the course credits usually transfer to four-year colleges.

**Four-year colleges and universities** offer bachelor's degrees in many fields of study. Many also offer graduate programs.



**Public colleges and universities** are generally less expensive than private colleges. However, the low rates are normally available only to residents of the state. One can be eligible for in-state(resident) fee after 1 year.

**Private colleges** are usually more expensive than a public university. But they often offer financial aid options that make their cost feasible.

**Vocational training schools** are privately owned and operated schools that offer a wide variety of vocational courses that take from five months to three years to complete.

### COLLEGE APPLICATIONS

Remember, your application makes your first impression for you. Keep a few things in mind when filling out your application:

- Always apply to more than one school.
- It is always good to apply long before deadline.
- Check for early admission dates to save money – sometimes it can be free.
- Answer all questions. Don't leave anything blank.
- Type or print your answers. Be neat. Presentation is important.
- Include supporting materials (letters of recommendation, examples of your work or interests).
- Keep a copy of the application documents for future requirements.
- Include any required processing fees with your application.
- Fine tune your essay. Don't ramble. Have someone else review your draft.
- Proofread your application. Have a parent or a friend proofread it, too.





The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) is a form that most schools use to determine financial aid. Money is awarded on a *first-come, first-serve basis*. Complete it immediately after January 1st of your senior year. Forms are available in your high school or at [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov).

After you submit your FAFSA, you will be sent a Student Aid Report (SAR), which tells how much money your family is expected to contribute to your college education for one year. This helps schools and scholarship organizations know how much money you will need in financial aid.

### **SCHOLARSHIPS**

Excerpted from: **Latino College Dollars**  
[www.latinocollegedollars.org/index.html](http://www.latinocollegedollars.org/index.html)

Scholarships are free money that is available to offset the cost of school. Students have to apply for scholarships, which are awarded on a case-by-case basis, often based on merit, and it does not have to be paid back. Every scholarship has varying requirements - including its own application, which you will need to get and complete - but it is a good idea to pull together a folder of the following information (or as much of it as you can), as almost all scholarships will ask for some combination of these things:



- One or two essays
- Letter(s) of recommendation
- Writing sample
- Resume
- Transcripts
- Copy of Student Aid Report (SAR)
- Parent and Student Tax Returns and W-2 Forms
- GPA Certification Form
- Enrollment Verification Form
- Copy of Financial Aid Award Letter

Some scholarships require proof of citizenship in order to qualify for a scholarship, but others do not. According to Senate Bill 1528, if you are a foreign student or non-citizen, you may be eligible to be classified as a Texas resident for tuition purposes. If so, you may also be eligible to receive state financial aid.

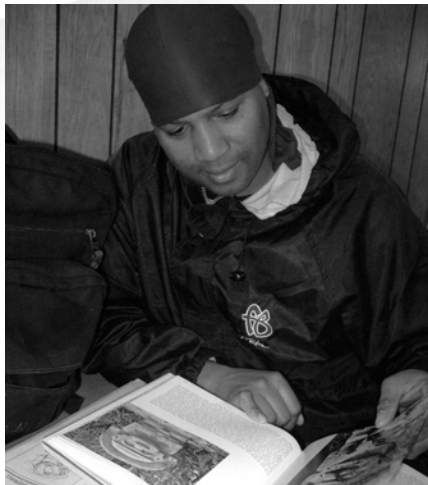
### STUDENT LOANS

Excerpted from: **FinAid! The Smart Student Guide to Financial Aid**  
[www.finaid.org/loans/studentloan.phtml](http://www.finaid.org/loans/studentloan.phtml)

Student loans assist in paying for college, and have a lower interest rate than other loans. Student loans must be repaid, but not until you are out of school. Federal loans consist of the unsubstitized and substitized Stafford Loans and the Perkins loans. Each of these loans have different requirements, your SAR will determine which loan(s) you best qualify for. After you have filled out the FAFSA form, talk to your selected colleges' financial aid offices and apply early.

### OTHER RESOURCES

1. [www.colleges.com/](http://www.colleges.com/)
2. [www.educationplanner.com/](http://www.educationplanner.com/)
3. [www.latinocollegedollars.org/](http://www.latinocollegedollars.org/)
4. [www.knowhow2go.org/](http://www.knowhow2go.org/)





## Part 4 Directory of Scholarships

### **A GPA ISN'T EVERYTHING SCHOLARSHIP**

For students with a strong record of extracurricular, leadership and/or volunteer activities to be eligible for this award.

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

### **ACS/BAYER SCHOLAR PROGRAM**

For African-American, Hispanic/Latino, and American Indian students who are pursuing an undergraduate degree in chemical science or chemical technology. Must prove financial need. 800-227-5558 ext. 6250

[scholars@acs.org](mailto:scholars@acs.org) [portal.acs.org/](http://portal.acs.org/)

### **ACTUARIAL SCHOLARSHIPS**

For minority students in the pursuit of actuarial careers. The Casualty Actuarial Society/Society of Actuaries scholarship program is available to African North Americans, Hispanics, and Native North Americans. An applicant must be a U.S. citizen, Canadian citizen, U.S. Permanent Resident, Canadian Permanent Resident, U.S. student on an F1 Visa, or Canadian student on student authorization. [www.beanactuary.org/minority/scholarship.cfm](http://www.beanactuary.org/minority/scholarship.cfm)

### **ADA FOUNDATION-MINORITY DENTAL STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP**

For second year students currently attending or enrolled at a dental school accredited by the Commission on Dental Accreditation. Must have a minimum 3.0 GPA. 312-440-2500.

[www.ada.org/ada/adaf/grants/index.asp#scholarship](http://www.ada.org/ada/adaf/grants/index.asp#scholarship)





### **ADELANTE! US EDUCATION LEADERSHIP FUND**

For Hispanic students who have a minimum of 3.0 GPA, who are eligible for financial aid or state-funded programs, and enrolled full-time. Must provide two letters of recommendation, complete a student survey, participate in ADELANTE's leadership institute and email a resume to [joguerrero@adelantefund.org](mailto:joguerrero@adelantefund.org)  
877-692-1971 [www.adelantefund.org/](http://www.adelantefund.org/)

### **ADHA INSTITUTE FOR ORAL HEALTH SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

For Asian-American Students. A number of programs are available for undergraduate and graduate students who are currently pursuing or who are interested in pursuing a career in Oral Health. 800-735-4916  
[www.adha.org/institute](http://www.adha.org/institute) (Did not see any 2010-2011 info listed, 2007-2008 last year listed.)

### **ADVANCING HISPANIC EXCELLENCE IN TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, MATH, AND SCIENCE (AHETEMS) SCHOLARSHIP**

Designed to enhance and achieve the potential of Latino students pursuing bachelor and advanced degrees in engineering, math and science.  
<http://www.ahetems.org/scholarships/>

### **AFRICAN AMERICAN SCHOLARSHIPS**

Database of scholarships for African Americans in many disciplines.  
[www.littleafrica.com/resources/scholarships.htm](http://www.littleafrica.com/resources/scholarships.htm)

### **AGI MINORITY GEOSCIENCE SCHOLARSHIPS**

For students enrolled in an accredited institution as an undergraduate or graduate student majoring in geo-science, or a sub-discipline of geo-science, and demonstrate financial need. Contact: American Geological Institute  
703-379-2480 ext. 245. [mpp@agiweb.org](mailto:mpp@agiweb.org).

### **AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL ASSOCIATION, INC.**

For full-time undergraduate or graduate students in aeronautics, aviation or related field. 703-299-2430 [www.atca.org/](http://www.atca.org/)

### **ALICE YURIKO ENDO SCHOLARSHIP**

For students of Japanese American descent. Deadline: February. Amount varies. Japanese American Citizens League. 415-921-5225 [www.jacl.org/](http://www.jacl.org/)

### **ALLIANCE FOR MINORITY PARTICIPATION SCHOLARSHIP**

For minority students majoring in math, science, or computers science. Available at many Texas universities. 817-272-3261, [schol@uta.edu](mailto:schol@uta.edu). [www.uta.edu](http://www.uta.edu)

### **AMBI SCHOLARSHIP IN SCIENCE & MEDICINE**

Designed to recognize, reward and support African American and Hispanic women who have a genuine desire to make a difference in science and medicine. Submit application online at <http://www.ambiskincare.com>

### **AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY-SCHOLARS PROGRAM**

For high school seniors and college freshmen, sophomores, or juniors who are pursuing a chemical technology career. Must demonstrate financial need and academic excellence. 800-227-5558 [portal.acs.org](http://portal.acs.org)



### **AMERICAN DENTAL HYGIENISTS' ASSOCIATION INSTITUTE**

For full-time, minority (African Americans, Hispanics, Asians, Native Americans, and Males) undergraduate/graduate students currently under represented in the Dental Hygiene profession. Scholarship Administrator, ADHA Institute for Oral Health. 312-440-8900 [www.adha.org/institute](http://www.adha.org/institute)

### **AMERICAN DIETETIC ASSOCIATION FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP**

Funding for deserving students at all levels of study. [www.adaf.org](http://www.adaf.org)

### **AMERICAN GEOPHYSICAL UNION**

For minority graduate or undergraduate students studying earth, space or marine science, or related field. 800-966-2481 [www.agu.org](http://www.agu.org)

### **AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS (AIA) FOUNDATION**

For undergraduate minority and/or disadvantaged students who are pursuing a career in architectural studies. Student must be accepted to a NAAB accredited architecture school. Award can be renewed for a total of 3 years. In addition to the application, the student must submit a nomination. 202-785-7511 [www.archfoundation.org/aaf/aaf/Programs.Fellowships.htm](http://www.archfoundation.org/aaf/aaf/Programs.Fellowships.htm)

### **AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS SCHOLARSHIPS**

For undergraduates studying accounting at a U.S. college. Must have at least 30 credits completed. Awards up to \$5,000. About 300 winners annually. <http://www.aicpa.org/members/div/career/mini/smas.htm>

### **AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF CHEMICAL ENGINEERS MINORITY DOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS PROGRAM**

For students studying or intending to study chemical engineering. Open to minority high school seniors or college students (freshman to juniors.) Must have a minimum 3.0 GPA. 212-591-7338 [www.aiche.org/Students/Awards/MinorityScholarshipAwardsStudent.aspx](http://www.aiche.org/Students/Awards/MinorityScholarshipAwardsStudent.aspx)

### **AMERICAN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION (ALA) SPECTRUM INITIATIVE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

For African American, Hispanic, Asian, Native American, or Pacific Islander individuals attending ALA-accredited library schools. 800-545-2433 ext 5048 [spectrum@ala.org](mailto:spectrum@ala.org) [www.ala.org/ala/aboutala/offices/diversity/spectrum/spectrum.cfm](http://www.ala.org/ala/aboutala/offices/diversity/spectrum/spectrum.cfm)

### **AMERICAN NUCLEAR SOCIETY**

For women and minority students studying nuclear science or nuclear engineering. 708-352-6611 [www.ans.org](http://www.ans.org)

### **AMERICAN PHYSICAL SOCIETY**

For minority undergraduate and graduate students majoring in physics. 301-209-3200 [www.aps.org](http://www.aps.org)

### **AMERICAN POLITICAL SCIENCE ASSN SCHOLARS**

For underrepresented within political science and related disciplines. It covers a limited collection of public and private funding resources and opportunities for scholarships, fellowships, internships, awards, grants, dissertation assistance, etc. [www.apsanet.org/PS/grantsaspen3.cfm](http://www.apsanet.org/PS/grantsaspen3.cfm)



### **AMERICAN RESPIRATORY CARE FOUNDATION**

For a minority undergraduate students who are enrolled in an AMA accredited respiratory care training program who have completed at least one semester of the program. 214-243-2272 [www.arcfoundation.org/](http://www.arcfoundation.org/)

### **AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR MICROBIOLOGY (ASM) FACULTY FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM**

For a minority full-time undergraduate faculty member studying microbiological sciences. Office of Education & Training, 202-737-3600 [www.asm.org](http://www.asm.org)

### **AMOCO FOUNDATION UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP**

Open to Hispanic juniors and seniors in engineering and other sciences. The scholarship is awarded through academic institutions. A list of the schools may be obtained from the following address: Undergraduate Scholarship Program, 2308 Mailcode, Chicago, IL 60601. AMOCO suggests calling the institution of interest to see if this scholarship is available. 312-856-6306

### **ART MAJORS SCHOLARSHIP**

For undergraduate student majoring in Graphic Design and have a 3.0 GPA. Award: \$500-1500. Number of Awards: 250-300. National Scholarship Trust Fund of the Graphic Arts. 421-741-6860

### **ARTS RECOGNITION AND TALENT SEARCH AWARDS**

For high school or college students (17-18 years of age) who show talent in dance, voice, music, art, photography, jazz, visual arts, writing, or other creative areas. [www.artsawards.org](http://www.artsawards.org)

### **ASIAN AMERICAN JOURNALISTS ASSOCIATION**

For outstanding high school seniors, undergraduate and graduate students. Selected based on commitment to the field of journalism, sensitivity to Asian American and Pacific Islander issues as demonstrated by community involvement, journalistic ability, and financial need. [www.aaaja.org/](http://www.aaaja.org/)

### **ASIAN & PACIFIC ISLANDER AMERICAN SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

Recipients must have a minimum 2.7 GPA. Awards are made on the basis of academic record, future plans, community service, financial need, and leadership. 202-986-6892 [www.apiasf.org](http://www.apiasf.org)

### **ASOCIACION BORICUA DE DALLAS, INC. SCHOLARSHIP**

For Hispanic students in Denton, Dallas, Tarrant or Collin counties planning on pursuing an academic, technical or vocational degree. Must be a permanent US resident or citizen. [www.boricuadallas.org/english/ScholarshipCriteria.htm](http://www.boricuadallas.org/english/ScholarshipCriteria.htm)

### **ASPIRA ASSOCIATION, INC. SCHOLARSHIPS**

For Hispanic youth [www.aspira.org/](http://www.aspira.org/)

### **AT&T LABS UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH PROGRAM**

For women or a members of a minority group underrepresented in the sciences. Must be at least a junior in college. Deadline: December 1. 908-221-4191 [www.research.att.com](http://www.research.att.com)

### **AYN RAND ESSAY SCHOLARSHIPS**

For both high school and college students. Award: \$50 to \$10,000 [www.aynrand.org/](http://www.aynrand.org/)

## **BELIEF FOUNDATION**

\$5,000 scholarships for high school and undergraduate students living in Irving, TX, in certain zip codes, beginning with "75," & ending in: 203, 204, 210, 211, 215, 216, 217, 219, 223, 226, 241. Applicants must be between 17 & 30 years of age. These scholarships are renewable. They can be used for all types of schools giving post-high school education. 972-999-4560 [www.thebeliefoundation.org](http://www.thebeliefoundation.org)

## **BLACK ALLIANCE FOR EDUCATIONAL OPTIONS SCHOLARSHIPS**

A wide range of local and national organizations provide preschool - 12th grade students with scholarships to attend private schools.

[http://www.baeo.org/programs?program\\_id=2](http://www.baeo.org/programs?program_id=2)

## **BLACK COLLEGE & UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS**

For students attending a Historically Black College or University that is a member of the IES consortium. Amount: \$2,000 1-800-995-2300

<http://hbcuconnect.com/>

## **BLACK EXCEL FINANCIAL AID AND SCHOLARSHIPS**

Database of information on state financial aid [www.blackexcel.org/fin-sch.htm](http://www.blackexcel.org/fin-sch.htm)

## **BOEING SCHOLARSHIPS**

For students of Historically Black Colleges and Universities.

[www.boeing.com/educationrelations/scholarships/](http://www.boeing.com/educationrelations/scholarships/)

## **BREAKTHROUGH TO NURSING SCHOLARSHIPS FOR ETHNIC PEOPLE OF COLOR**

Scholarships available to African-American, Hispanics, Asian-Americans, and Polynesian undergraduate students who are enrolled in nursing or pre-nursing programs at a state-approved institution. nsna@nsna.org

<http://www.nsna.org/foundation/scholarships/>

## **BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL WOMEN'S FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS**

Helps working women develop their career skills.

<http://www.bpwfoundation.org/i4a/pages/index.cfm?pageid=4553>

## **CAREER SERVICES CENTER FOR A BETTER CHANCE**

Database of scholarships. <http://www.abetterchance.com/>

## **CAROL SIMPSON SCHOLARSHIP**

For any minority college student whose career objective is electronic journalism.

Radio and Television News Directors Foundation, 202-659-6510

<http://www.rtna.org/pages/education.php>

## **CHI RHO ASSOCIATIONS, INC. SCHOLARSHIPS**

Coed Service Fraternity at Texas Tech, has two scholarships available to seniors.

Each scholarship is a one-time award of \$1000. [www.chirho.org](http://www.chirho.org)

## **CHICANA LATINA SCHOLARSHIPS**

For continuing Latina students to complete their undergraduate and graduate college education. [www.chicanalatina.org/scholarship.html](http://www.chicanalatina.org/scholarship.html)



### **CHINESE CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP, INC. SCHOLARSHIPS**

For Chinese students who are currently studying, or wish to study theology.  
Award: \$750. Scholarship Coordinator, Chinese Christian Fellowship Inc., 549  
West 123rd Street, New York, NY 10027, 212-666-3230

### **CIA/UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS**

For minority or disabled college freshman with a 3.0 GPA. Applicants must be  
majoring in one or more of the following: physics, computer science, engineering,  
economics, mathematics, imagery science, cartography, Japanese, Russian, or  
Chinese. Full tuition, up to \$10,000, is paid and a summer job. 703-874-4462  
[www.cia.gov/careers/student-opportunities](http://www.cia.gov/careers/student-opportunities)

### **CLARE BOOTH LUCE SCHOLARSHIPS IN SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING**

For women studying biology, engineering, chemistry, computer science, math-  
ematics, and physics. Henry Luce Foundation, Inc. 212-489-7700 [www.hluce.org/](http://www.hluce.org/)

### **COCA COLA SCHOLARSHIPS**

For high school students and students currently enrolled in a two year college.  
Must have a minimum GPA of 2.5 and be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident.  
[www.coca-colascholars.org/](http://www.coca-colascholars.org/)

### **COLGATE MINORITY SCHOLARSHIPS**

For minority students currently enrolled in an accredited dental hygiene program.  
ADHA Institute for Oral Health, 800 735-4916  
[www.adha.org/institute/Scholarship/](http://www.adha.org/institute/Scholarship/)

### **COLLEGE ASSISTANCE MIGRANT PROGRAM (CAMP)**

An educational opportunity to the sons and daughters of migrant and seasonal  
farm workers entering St. Edwards. 512-448-8625 [www.stedwards.edu/camp](http://www.stedwards.edu/camp)

### **COLLEGE BOARD SCHOLARSHIP SEARCH**

[www.collegeboard.com/student/pay/scholarships-and-aid/](http://www.collegeboard.com/student/pay/scholarships-and-aid/)

### **COLLEGENET'S SCHOLARSHIP DATABASE**

[www.collegenet.com/mach25/app](http://www.collegenet.com/mach25/app)

### **COLLEGIATE INVENTORS SCHOLARSHIP**

The competition has recognized and encouraged undergraduate and graduate  
student innovators on their quest to change the world around them.  
[www.invent.org/collegiate/](http://www.invent.org/collegiate/)

### **COLLIN COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOUNDATION**

Our mission is to support and enhance the Collin County Community College  
District through philanthropic support for student scholarships, faculty enrichment,  
critical capital needs and programs of excellence.  
<http://foundation.ccccd.org/scholarships.html>

### **COMMITTEE ON MINORITIES IN PHYSICS**

For historically under-represented minorities, notably African-Americans, Hispanic,  
and Native Americans, who are pursuing degrees in physics and plan to work in  
the same field in the United States. [www.aps.org/programs/honors/](http://www.aps.org/programs/honors/)

## **COMMONWEAL FOUNDATION-PATHWAYS TO SUCCESS SCHOLARSHIP**

For 9-12th grade students who wish to attend boarding school, with a family income at or below 200% of the federal poverty level, who are willing to participate in work and community service opportunities. 301-592-2009  
<http://www.commonweal-foundation.org/pathways/>

## **COMMUNITY COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS**

For students transferring to SMU from a community college with at least 50 transferable credit hours, a minimum 3.0 GPA, and who are enrolled full-time. Award: \$1,500 (per term) for up to five terms. 214-768-3417 [finaid@smu.edu](mailto:finaid@smu.edu)  
[www.smu.edu/admission/apply\\_transfer\\_scholars.asp](http://www.smu.edu/admission/apply_transfer_scholars.asp)

## **COMPLETE THE DREAM SCHOLARSHIP**

A scholarship awarded to students accepted to University of North Texas who received the Rising Star Scholarship at any of the Dallas County Community College District's campuses, and who have a cumulative 2.5 GPA or higher. 972-780-3630. <http://www.unt.edu/unt-dallas/dreamscholar.htm>

## **CONGRESSIONAL HISPANIC CAUCUS INSTITUTE**

For Latino students who have a history of performing public service-oriented activities in their communities and who plan to continue contributing in the future. There is no GPA or major requirement. Award: \$1,000 - \$5,000.  
<http://www.chci.org/>

## **COOPERATIVE EDUCATION AGREEMENT**

For women and minority candidates in fish and wildlife biology fields. Amount: \$11,000 plus tuition. Cooperative Research Units Center [www.coopunits.org](http://www.coopunits.org)

## **COUNCIL ON CAREER DEVELOPMENT FOR MINORITIES**

For students from underrepresented backgrounds entering the legal profession. 214-631-3677 [www.cleoscholars.com/](http://www.cleoscholars.com/)

## **DALLAS BAR FOUNDATION L.A. BEDFORD JR. SCHOLARSHIP**

For minority pre-law students to take an LSAT preparation course. marisia.parra-gaona@att.com 214-220-7400 [www.dallasbar.org/dbf/](http://www.dallasbar.org/dbf/)

## **DALLAS COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGES FOUNDATION**

More than 1,500 scholarship awards that provide access to a quality college education - whether a student wants to build toward a baccalaureate degree or learn new job skills. [www.dcccd.edu/fdn/scholarships/scholarships.html](http://www.dcccd.edu/fdn/scholarships/scholarships.html)

## **DALLAS FOUNDATION**

A growing number of scholarship funds, each with a different purpose and eligibility requirements. [www.dallasfoundation.org](http://www.dallasfoundation.org)

## **DALLAS HISPANIC BAR ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION**

For residents of Texas who are currently enrolled in a Texas law school and have high academic performance and demonstrated leadership. Award: \$1,000. [www.dallashispanicbar.com/scholarship\\_foundation.php](http://www.dallashispanicbar.com/scholarship_foundation.php)





### **DATATEL SCHOLARS FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP**

For students currently attending a Datatel Client college or university, or work at a Datatel non-education Client site and will attend any college or university during the upcoming academic year. [www.datatelscholars.org/](http://www.datatelscholars.org/)

### **DAVIS-PUTTER SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

For graduate or undergraduate students who demonstrate financial need. Must demonstrate participation in expanding civil rights, economic justice, and international solidarity. [www.davisputter.org](http://www.davisputter.org)

### **DEDICATION FOR EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP**

Is available to all students. You must complete the form on the sponsor's web site to apply. <http://www.dheducation.com/scholarships.php>

### **DELTA SIGMA THETA**

For minority students attending a school in Dallas County. There are three awards: merit, need, and essay. Merit is the largest at \$2000, two need-based for \$1250 each, and one essay for \$500. 214-428-0601. [www.mdadst.org/index.html](http://www.mdadst.org/index.html)

### **DENNY'S SINGLE PARENT STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP**

The program will provide financial need-based scholarships to single parent students. <http://scholarships.hispanicfund.org/dennys>

### **DEVELOPMENTAL FUND FOR BLACK STUDENTS IN SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY SCHOLARSHIPS**

For science or engineering students at Historically Black Colleges and Universities. Award: \$2,000 and renewable. <http://dfbsst.dlhjr.com/>

### **DISTINGUISHED ACHIEVEMENT AWARD OF THE GEORGE FOUNDATION**

For recent Fort Bend graduates attending a Texas college. Up to \$7,500 a year for four years. 409-857-4853 [www.thegeorgefoundation.org/](http://www.thegeorgefoundation.org/)

### **DOLLAR-A-DAY (D.A.D)**

For Muslim students. Award: \$1000. [www.muslimscholarship.org/index.htm](http://www.muslimscholarship.org/index.htm)

### **DR. JUAN ANDRADE, JR. SCHOLARSHIP FOR YOUNG HISPANIC LEADERS**

For students in a four-year or two-year institution with financial need. At least one parent must be of Hispanic ancestry. Recipients must also be able to attend the Annual Midwest Hispanic Student Leadership Conference in Chicago, IL. 312-427-8683. [www.ofas.uci.edu/content/OutsideScholarships.aspx?nav=0&id=798](http://www.ofas.uci.edu/content/OutsideScholarships.aspx?nav=0&id=798)

### **EASLEY NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

For American high school seniors who exhibit scholastic excellence, leadership, merit, integrity, and outstanding character. Amount: \$3,000 to \$15,000 [www.naas.org/#Page\\_1](http://www.naas.org/#Page_1)

### **ED BRADLEY SCHOLARSHIP**

For a minority full-time college student whose career objective is electronic journalism. Radio & News Television News Directors Foundation, 202-659-6510. [www.rtnda.org/](http://www.rtnda.org/)



## **EDUCATION IS FREEDOM NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP**

For high school seniors with a minimum GPA of 3.0. Award: \$2,000 (renewable for 3 years). [www.educationisfreedom.com](http://www.educationisfreedom.com) 1-866-EIF-EDUCATE

## **EDUCATIONAL GRANTS PROGRAM**

For minority students who are enrolled or plan to enroll in an engineering or science program. Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers. [www.shpe.org/](http://www.shpe.org/)

## **ELLEN & FEDERICO JIMENEZ SCHOLARSHIPS FOR LATINOS**

Twenty-five \$2,000 scholarships GIVEN to deserving Latino college students who are INELIGIBLE to receive federal and/or state financial aid; who have demonstrated commitment to serving the Latino community in the United States; and who have been accepted to a Community College or State University in CALIFORNIA or TEXAS. A social security number is NOT required to apply. [undergradfund@maldef.org](mailto:undergradfund@maldef.org), 213-629-2512. [www.maldef.org/](http://www.maldef.org/)

## **EQUAL OPPORTUNITY PUBLICATIONS**

For minority students in engineering. Amount: \$500. 631-421-9421 [www.eop.com/](http://www.eop.com/)

## **EVOLVING PERCEPTIONS SCHOLARSHIP**

For Iranian or Iranian-American artists between the ages of 18-30 who are studying Fine Arts. **202-607-0754** [sbarzmehri@hotmail.com](mailto:sbarzmehri@hotmail.com) [www.evolvingperceptions.com/scholarship.html](http://www.evolvingperceptions.com/scholarship.html)

## **FAST WEB**

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

## **FEDERALLY FUNDED SCHOLARSHIPS, GRANTS & INTERNSHIPS**

[www.studentjobs.gov/](http://www.studentjobs.gov/)

## **FLORENCE TERRY GRISWOLD SCHOLARSHIP**

For female citizens of one of the Pan American countries (except United States) with a bachelor degree who wishes to work on a master's or equivalent at a Texas state college. [www.partt.org/cholarships\\_details.html](http://www.partt.org/cholarships_details.html)

## **FORD FOUNDATION DIVERSITY FELLOWSHIP**

For minority students who wish to teach at a college/university. <http://sites.nationalacademies.org/PGA/FordFellowships/index.htm>

## **FOUNDATION EXCELLENCE AWARDS**

For minority freshmen in Texas A&M University in College Station, Award: \$2000. 979-845-8161, [c-mcwhortwe@tamu.edu](mailto:c-mcwhortwe@tamu.edu). <http://giving.tamu.edu/student/Undergraduate/fea/applying-fea.aspx>

## **FREE FOR YOU**

National data base for over \$10 billion in scholarships. [www.free-4u.com](http://www.free-4u.com)

## **FRESHMAN ACHIEVEMENT SCHOLARSHIP**

For freshmen entering at University of Texas Arlington. Award: \$500. Contact: 817-272-2197 [schol@uta.edu](mailto:schol@uta.edu). [www.uta.edu](http://www.uta.edu)



### **LEAGUE OF UNITED LATIN AMERICAN CITIZENS (LULAC) NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

For high school seniors and undergraduate and graduate college students through its educational counterpart, the LULAC National Educational Service Centers, Inc. 202-835-9646 [www.lnesc.org/](http://www.lnesc.org/)

### **LEONARD M. PERRYMAN COMMUNICATIONS SCHOLARSHIP**

For ethnic minority students majoring in journalism or mass communications. [scholarships@umcom.org](mailto:scholarships@umcom.org), 888-278-4862  
<http://crt.umc.org/interior.asp?ptid=44&mid=10270>

### **LINDA LAEL MILLER SCHOLARSHIPS FOR WOMEN:**

Awarded annually to women who are 25 years or older, non-traditional students who have a difficult time finding scholarships for which they qualify.  
[www.lindalaemiller.com/scholarships/scholarships.asp](http://www.lindalaemiller.com/scholarships/scholarships.asp)

### **LUCENT TECHNOLOGIES FOUNDATION COOPERATIVE RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM FOR MINORITIES**

For minority college seniors planning to pursue graduate studies in engineering, science, mathematics, or related fields. Amount: \$17,000 plus tuition, fees, books, and travel expenses. 908 582-3000 [www.lucent.com](http://www.lucent.com)

### **MAKING "IMPOSSIBLE" POSSIBLE SCHOLARSHIP**

Requires an essay of at least 500 words about your circumstances and your plans to "rise" above them and a letter of recommendation from someone who knows your circumstances well and feels strongly that you deserve to see your dreams realized. [www.charlese.net](http://www.charlese.net)

### **MALDEF-ELLEN AND FEDERICO JIMENEZ SCHOLARSHIP**

For college or state university undocumented students only. University of Texas (UT) students DO NOT qualify. Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund <http://maldef.org/leadership/scholarships/>

### **MALDEF LAW SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

For Latino students with outstanding academic records, including participation and leadership in extracurricular activities. 213-629-2512  
<http://maldef.org/leadership/scholarships/>

### **MARGARET MCNAMARA MEMORIAL FUND**

For women 25 and older who are citizens of a developing country that is currently eligible to borrow from the World Bank. U.S. Green Card holders and Canadian landed immigrants do not qualify.  
[www.gwu.edu/~fellows/Fellowship\\_Competitions/Fellowships\\_Outside/mmmf.html](http://www.gwu.edu/~fellows/Fellowship_Competitions/Fellowships_Outside/mmmf.html)

### **MCDONALD'S SCHOLARSHIPS**

For students with at least one parent of African American heritage who face limited access to educational and career opportunities. Applicants must also reside within the geographic boundaries of a participating program. [www.rmhc.com](http://www.rmhc.com)

### **MERC SCHOLARSHIP**

For minority high school seniors with a GPA of 3.5 or higher 408-920-5555  
[www.mercscholars.com/](http://www.mercscholars.com/)

## **MEXICAN AMERICAN LEGAL DEFENSE AND EDUCATIONAL FUND**

For all students regardless of residency status. 213-629-2512 [www.maldef.org](http://www.maldef.org)

## **MEXICAN TUITION WAIVERS**

The State of Texas permits public universities to allow a limited number of financially-needy citizens of Mexico to pay the lower in-state tuition rate rather than the higher out-of-state tuition rate. Eligibility is based on financial need. Students must be in Texas on a valid student visa and be willing to return to Mexico after graduation. Undocumented Mexicans or long-term Mexican-American residents of Texas are NOT eligible for this program. Contact the Financial Aid office of any public university in Texas for further information.

## **MICROSOFT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

For student populations currently underrepresented in the field of computer science to pursue technical degrees: African-American, Hispanic, or Native American. [www.microsoft.com/college/scholarships](http://www.microsoft.com/college/scholarships)

## **MIGRANT FARMWORKER SCHOLARSHIPS**

For students with a recent history of movement for agricultural employment. Must demonstrate scholastic achievement and financial need. The Geneseo Migrant Center 800-245-5681 [www.migrant.net/](http://www.migrant.net/)

## **MINNIE STEVENS PIPER FOUNDATION**

Financial aid resource library for students in the San Antonio area. 210-525-8494 [www.window.state.tx.us/scholars/mspabout.html](http://www.window.state.tx.us/scholars/mspabout.html)

## **MINORITY UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP**

For under-represented minorities majoring in microbiology or a related science. American Society for Microbiology, [www.asm.org](http://www.asm.org)

## **MOMENI FOUNDATION**

For students of Iranian descent anywhere in the world. [momenifoundation@aol.com](mailto:momenifoundation@aol.com) [www.momenifoundation.org/](http://www.momenifoundation.org/)

## **MONSANTO FUND SCHOLARSHIP/ HISPANIC SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

Award: \$10,000 for one academic year, renewable. Although not a requirement, preference will be given to students who are participants of a College Assistance Migrant Program (CAMP). [www.hsf.net](http://www.hsf.net)

## **MOTIVATING UNDERGRADUATES IN SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY PROGRAM (NASA MUST)**

For undergraduates in science, technology, engineering and mathematics. Open to all students but particularly focused on students from underserved and underrepresented groups: women, African Americans, Hispanic Americans, Native Americans and persons with disabilities). 817-272-1116, [rschwan@shpe.org](mailto:rschwan@shpe.org) or [gary.cruz@shpe.org](mailto:gary.cruz@shpe.org) <http://scholarships.hispanicfund.org/applications/>

## **MULTICULTURAL ADVANTAGE**

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



### **THE GATES MILLENNIUM UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARS PROGRAM**

For low-income minority students either graduating from high school or a college student continuing college courses with at least a 3.3 GPA and community involvement. [Trevor@gatesfoundation.org](mailto:Trevor@gatesfoundation.org) [www.gmsp.org](http://www.gmsp.org)

### **GENERAL ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP**

For continuing undergraduate students who are in good academic standing at UNT Dallas who have completed more than 40 credit hours with a minimum 2.5 GPA. 972-780-3630. [www.unt.edu/unt-dallas/genscholar.htm](http://www.unt.edu/unt-dallas/genscholar.htm)

### **GLORIA AND JOSEPH MATTERA NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND FOR MIGRANT CHILDREN**

For migrant youth who have the potential and the desire to further their education. [www.migrant.net/migrant/sch-mattera.htm](http://www.migrant.net/migrant/sch-mattera.htm)

### **GOOD NEIGHBOR SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

For students of Latin American origin. Non-US citizens only. 800-242-3062 x6463, [desiree.byrne@thecb.state.tx.us](mailto:desiree.byrne@thecb.state.tx.us) [www.collegefortexans.com](http://www.collegefortexans.com)

### **GREATER DALLAS HISPANIC CHAMBER OF COMMERCE (GDHCC)**

An educational outreach program to move Dallas students forward in education. [www.dallasforeducation.com/](http://www.dallasforeducation.com/)

### **HALLIE Q. BROWN SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

For minority students who demonstrate financial need and are recommended by a member of the National Association of Colored Women's Clubs. 202-667-4080 [www.nacwc.org](http://www.nacwc.org)

### **HANDS ALONG THE NILE DEVELOPMENT SERVICES (HANDS)**

Scholarship Writing Contest for students to articulate the importance of their work in the form of an essay. [www.handsalongthenile.org](http://www.handsalongthenile.org)

### **HARVARD UNIVERSITY**

Financial aid enhancements to ensure greater affordability for middle- and upper-middle income families. 617-495-1581 [www.fao.fas.harvard.edu/](http://www.fao.fas.harvard.edu/)

### **HISPANIC ASSOCIATION OF COLLEGES & UNIVERSITIES SCHOLARSHIPS**

All recipients must demonstrate financial need and be attending a HACU-member institution (excluding international members). [www.hacu.net](http://www.hacu.net)

### **HISPANIC COLLEGE FUND**

For students who are U.S. citizens or permanent residents with a minimum GPA of 3.0 and who demonstrate financial need. <http://scholarships.hispanicfund.org/>

### **HISPANIC COLLEGE FUND AND SALLIE MAE FIRST IN MY FAMILY**

For Hispanic undergraduate students in any field who are the first in their families to attend college. 507-931-1682 [www.thesalliemaefund.org/](http://www.thesalliemaefund.org/)

### **HISPANIC ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP**

For full time Hispanic students continuing at University of Texas Arlington who have completed a minimum of 15 hours with a minimum 2.5 GPA. Award: \$250. 817-272-2197, [schol@uta.edu](mailto:schol@uta.edu) [www.uta.edu](http://www.uta.edu)

## **HISPANIC ENGINEERS NATIONAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS CONFERENCE**

For students majoring in math, computer science, material science, or engineering. Some awards require recipient to be U.S. citizens or residents. Award: \$500 to \$5,000. [www.henaac.org](http://www.henaac.org)

## **HISPANIC SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

In 34 years, the Hispanic Scholarship Fund has awarded over 90,000 scholarships to students in need worth over \$250M. Two-thirds of these students were the first in their families to go to college. 877-473-4636 [www.hsf.net](http://www.hsf.net)

## **HOGAR de Dallas Scholarship**

For a Dallas ISD senior with a Hispanic surname and/or families who will attend a higher education institution. The scholarship is based on submission of a family tree of the student's family/ancestors, along with an essay. [dorinat@earthlink.net](mailto:dorinat@earthlink.net)  
<http://home.earthlink.net/~hogardedallas/id28.html>

## **IMA HOGG SCHOLARSHIP IN MENTAL HEALTH**

Five \$5,000 scholarships for graduate social work students pursuing a MSW of MSSW through an accredited Texas graduate program. 512-475-7057 [vicky.coffee-fletcher@austin.utexas.edu](mailto:vicky.coffee-fletcher@austin.utexas.edu)  
[www.hogg.utexas.edu/funding\\_imascholar.html](http://www.hogg.utexas.edu/funding_imascholar.html)

## **HOPE SCHOLARSHIPS & LIFETIME CREDITS**

Hope Scholarship for students in the first two years of college (or other eligible post-secondary training). Taxpayers will be eligible for a tax credit equal to 100% of the first \$1,000 of tuition and fees and 50% of the second \$1,000.  
[www.ed.gov/offices/OPE/PPI/HOPE/index.html](http://www.ed.gov/offices/OPE/PPI/HOPE/index.html)

## **HORATIO ALGER NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

Provides financial assistance to students from Fort Worth, Texas who have exhibited integrity and perseverance in overcoming personal adversity and who aspire to pursue higher education.  
[https://www.horatioalger.org/scholarships/program\\_texasfw.cfm](https://www.horatioalger.org/scholarships/program_texasfw.cfm)

## **HOUTAN SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION**

Seeks students from all origins, Iranian and non-Iranian, who have academic performance and proven interest in promoting Iran's great culture, heritage, language and civilization. The scholarship will be awarded to an eligible graduate student, regardless of the student's field of study. [info@houtan.org](mailto:info@houtan.org)  
<http://www.houtan.org/>

## **INROADS INTERNSHIPS**

For college freshmen or sophomores with career interest in Business, Engineering, Computers and Information Sciences, Sales, Marketing, Allied Health Care, or Healthcare Management. [www.inroads.org/](http://www.inroads.org/)

## **INSTITUTE FOR HUMANE STUDIES SCHOLARSHIP**

For undergraduate or graduate study in the United States or abroad. Open to students interested in the classical liberal tradition.  
703-993-4880 or 800-697-8799 [ihsgmu.edu](mailto:ihsgmu.edu) [www.theihsgmu.edu](http://www.theihsgmu.edu)





### **INTEL SCIENCE TALENT SEARCH**

For high school seniors in the United States and territories, and American students attending school abroad. Award: \$5,000 to \$100,000. There are approx. 40 awards in this prestigious competition. You must present a scientific research project. [www.sciserv.org/sts](http://www.sciserv.org/sts)

### **IOTA SIGMA PI**

For women studying chemistry. Award: \$100 to \$300. 540-831-5413  
[www.iotasigmapi.info/](http://www.iotasigmapi.info/)

### **IRANIAN AMERICAN SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

For undergraduate and graduate students of Iranian heritage with financial need and a GPA of 3.5 or above. [www.iasfund.org/applications.htm](http://www.iasfund.org/applications.htm)

### **IRANIAN SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION**

One of the most remunerative scholarships available to Iranian-American students in America. [www.iranianscholarships.com/scholarships.html](http://www.iranianscholarships.com/scholarships.html)

### **IRANIAN FEDERATED WOMEN'S CLUB SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

For Iranian Americans studying Iranian culture and arts who enrich the lives of Iranian Americans through Iranian Cultural Events, promote a positive image of Iranians [www.payvand.org/IFWC.html](http://www.payvand.org/IFWC.html)

### **ISLAMIC SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

For Muslim students at any level in humanities, social sciences, liberal arts and law. Award: \$1000 to \$10,000. [www.islamicscholarshipfund.org](http://www.islamicscholarshipfund.org)

### **J. P. MORGAN LAUNCHING LEADERS UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP**

For Black, Hispanic and Native American students interested in financial services careers. Awards: up to \$15,000.  
<http://careers.jpmorgan.com/student/jpmorgan/careers/launchingleaders/overview>

### **JACKIE ROBINSON FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP**

For all academic fields. Award: \$6,000 per year, renewable. Approximately 100 winners. Award is based on academic merit, leadership, and community service.  
[www.JackieRobinson.org](http://www.JackieRobinson.org)

### **JARVIS CHRISTIAN COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS**

For African Americans in the engineering programs linked with UA campus. Historically Black College affiliated with Disciples of Christ, Hawkins, TX.  
[www.jarvis.edu](http://www.jarvis.edu)

### **JUSTICIA EN DIVERSIDAD SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

For Latinos graduating from a US high school with a 2.5 GPA. 617-445-4452  
[alianza@law.harvard.edu](mailto:alianza@law.harvard.edu) [www.law.harvard.edu/studorgs/alianza](http://www.law.harvard.edu/studorgs/alianza)

### **KAPPA DELTA CHI NATIONAL FOUNDATION**

For Kappa Delta Chi sisters with excellent academic achievement. Award: \$500 to \$1,000. 972-841-6094, [jraquel@aperez.net](mailto:jraquel@aperez.net)  
[www.kappadeltachi.org/index.php/Foundation/Scholarships.html](http://www.kappadeltachi.org/index.php/Foundation/Scholarships.html)



### **KARMAN FELLOWSHIP TRUST**

For students in any discipline entering senior undergraduate year or a candidate for a PhD who will defend his/her dissertation. Special consideration will be given to applicants in the Humanities. Open to foreign students already enrolled in a university located in the United States. [www.dekarman.org/](http://www.dekarman.org/)

### **KATRINA SCHOLARSHIPS**

For students attending Texas colleges and universities who were displaced by Hurricane Katrina. Information is available at the financial aid office at the Texas college in which the student is studying.  
<http://www.collegefortexans.com>

### **KNOXVILLE COLLEGE**

A Historically Black College in Tennessee offers heavily discounted rates for first generation African American students. 1-800-743-5669 [www.knoxvillecollege.edu](http://www.knoxvillecollege.edu)

### **KOREAN AMERICAN SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION**

For students currently enrolled in a full-time undergraduate or graduate program. Recipients selected on the basis of financial need, academic achievement, school activities, and community services. Each applicant must submit an application to the respective KASF region, in which each region is designated by the state where school is located. [www.kasf.org/](http://www.kasf.org/)

### **LA UNIDAD LATINA FOUNDATION, INC.**

For Hispanic students who have completed at least one semester of higher education. Academic excellence, extracurricular activities, and financial need are strongly considered. Applicants must have a 2.7 GPA.  
[www.cwu.edu/~scholar/outside/launidadfoundation.html](http://www.cwu.edu/~scholar/outside/launidadfoundation.html)

### **LAMBDA THETA NU SORORITY INC. LATINA SCHOLARSHIP AWARD**

[community@lambdathetanu.org](mailto:community@lambdathetanu.org) [www.lambdathetanu.org](http://www.lambdathetanu.org)

### **LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE FOUNDATION/EDWARD D. STONE, JR.**

For minority students pursuing a career in landscape architecture who are in the final 2 years of undergraduate study. 202-898-2444 or 202-216-2356  
[tpadian@asla.org](mailto:tpadian@asla.org) [www.asla.org](http://www.asla.org)

### **LÁNZATE: PREMIO UNIVERSITARIO DE SOUTHWEST AIRLINE**

Through this national education initiative, Southwest will provide roundtrip airline tickets to undergraduate and graduate students across the country with socio-economic need who travel away from home to pursue a higher education.  
[www.hacu.net/hacu/Lanzate\\_EN.asp?SnID=1822439699](http://www.hacu.net/hacu/Lanzate_EN.asp?SnID=1822439699)

### **LATIN AMERICAN PROFESSIONAL WOMEN'S FOUNDATION**

For women seeking to further their education. Latin American Professional Women's Foundation, Scholarship Program, P.O. Box 31532, Los Angeles, CA 90031 323-227-9060

### **LATINO COLLEGE DOLLARS**

Scholarships for Latino students. [www.latinocollegedollars.org](http://www.latinocollegedollars.org)

### **LATINO INITIATIVES FOR THE NEXT CENTURY**

For first generation Latino college students . 773-762-8970  
[www.linc-usa.org](http://www.linc-usa.org)



**DFW International**

Community Alliance



### **MUSLIM STUDENT ASSOCIATION/ THE M. NAZIRUDDIN ALI AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE**

For students who exhibit outstanding academic strength as well as exceptional service to Muslims and the American and Canadian community at large.

<http://mnali.msanational.org/>

### **NANCY ANN & RAY L. HUNT LEADERSHIP SCHOLARS**

For high school seniors in any field of study. Must be permanent resident or citizen, academically rank in top 25% of their graduating class, have an SAT score of at least 1200 or ACT of 28. [undergraduateadmissions@smu.edu](mailto:undergraduateadmissions@smu.edu)

[www.smu.edu/financial%5FAid](http://www.smu.edu/financial%5FAid)

### **NASA TEXAS SPACE FELLOWSHIP**

For students who are interested in space aviation. Award: \$5,000 per year.

512- 471-3583 [www.tsgc.utexas.edu](http://www.tsgc.utexas.edu)

### **NATIONAL ACTION COUNCIL FOR MINORITIES IN ENGINEERING SCHOLARSHIPS**

For engineering students. Award: up to \$20,000, many renewable.

[www.nacmebacksme.org/NBM.aspx?pageid=29](http://www.nacmebacksme.org/NBM.aspx?pageid=29)

### **NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF BLACK JOURNALISTS SCHOLARSHIPS**

For deserving foreign or American born undergraduate or graduate students interested in pursuing a career in journalism. Awards: up to \$5,000.

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

### **NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF HISPANIC JOURNALISTS-RUBEN SALAZAR SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

For high school seniors, college undergraduates, or first-year graduate students who are pursuing careers in English or Spanish-language print, photo, broadcast, or online media. 202-622-7145 [nahj@nahj.org](mailto:nahj@nahj.org) [www.nahj.org](http://www.nahj.org)

## **NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGISTS MINORITY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

For minority graduate students in School Psychology. 301-657-0270  
[www.nasponline.org/about\\_nasp/minority.aspx](http://www.nasponline.org/about_nasp/minority.aspx)

## **NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF WOMEN IN CONSTRUCTION (NAWIC) FOUNDER'S SCHOLARSHIP**

For minority students enrolled in a construction related degree program.  
 817-877-5551 [www.nawic.org/](http://www.nawic.org/)

## **NATIONAL COLLEGIATE ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIPS**

For sports-related study (such as sports journalism). Awards are given in all sports categories. Award: \$3,000 to \$12,500.  
[www.ncaa.org/wps/ncaa?ContentID=412](http://www.ncaa.org/wps/ncaa?ContentID=412)

## **NATIONAL & COMMUNITY SERVICE INTERNSHIPS**

Various awards for those who demonstrate outstanding community service.  
[www.nationalservice.gov](http://www.nationalservice.gov)

## **NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL ESSAY CONTEST**

Each year, the United Nations Association of the USA publishes a topic and question of particular importance to the international community. Students then conduct research and write a personal essay in response to the question.  
[www.unausa.org/education](http://www.unausa.org/education)

## **NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIPS**

For National Honor Society members in their senior year. Nominations received through chapter/school. Award: \$1,000 for about 250 students nationwide.  
[www.nhs.us/s\\_nhs/index.asp](http://www.nhs.us/s_nhs/index.asp)

## **NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

For students from disadvantaged backgrounds who are committed to careers in biomedical research. The program is primarily designed to provide an incentive for exceptional scholars to pursue biomedical research careers at NIH.  
<https://ugsp.nih.gov/home.asp?m=00>

## **NATIONAL NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS ASSOCIATION GRANTS**

For minority students who want to pursue a career in journalism. 202-588-8764  
[www.nnpa.org/](http://www.nnpa.org/)

## **NATIONAL PEACE ESSAY CONTEST**

Award: \$1,000 each. [www.usip.org/ed/npec/topic.html](http://www.usip.org/ed/npec/topic.html)

## **NATIONAL SCULPTURE SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP**

For students of figurative, realist, or representational sculpture.  
[www.nationalsculpture.org/nss/index.cfm/method/main.scholarships](http://www.nationalsculpture.org/nss/index.cfm/method/main.scholarships)

## **NATIONAL SOCIETY DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION**

For American Indians. Award is intended to help Native American students of any age, any tribe, in any state who are striving to get an education. Applicants must be in financial need, have a minimum GPA of 2.75.  
[www.abetterchance.org](http://www.abetterchance.org)



### **NATIONAL SOCIETY OF BLACK ENGINEERS SCHOLARSHIPS**

Various scholarships to members that range in value from \$500 to \$7,500.  
<http://national.nsbe.org/Programs/Scholarships/tabid/84/Default.aspx>

### **NATIONAL SOCIETY OF HISPANIC MBAs**

For graduate students of Latino ethnicity who are studying management or business. Must be U.S. citizen or permanent resident, have a minimum GPA of 3.0. [www.nshmba.org](http://www.nshmba.org)

### **NATIVE AMERICAN EDUCATION GRANT**

For Presbyterian Indian, Aleut or Eskimo at the undergraduate level. Amount: \$200 to \$1,500. Native American Education Grant Presbyterian Church Financial Aid 100 Witherspoon Street Louisville, KY 4020-1396 502-569-5760  
[www.abetterchance.org](http://www.abetterchance.org)

### **NATIVE AMERICAN STUDENT ORGANIZATION SCHOLARSHIP**

For students attending the University of Texas at Arlington. The applicant must demonstrate commitment to and strong interest in the Native American community. American Indian descent is NOT necessary to be considered for the scholarship. [www.uta.edu/studentorgs/nasa\\_aises/scholar.html](http://www.uta.edu/studentorgs/nasa_aises/scholar.html)

### **NATURAL RESOURCES CONSERVATION SERVICE SCHOLARSHIP**

For Hispanic students who wish to study natural resources or a natural resources conservation-related field of study.  
[www.nrcs.usda.gov/intranet/hispanic/scholarship.html](http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/intranet/hispanic/scholarship.html)

### **NAVY ROTC SCHOLARSHIP FOR HISPANIC STUDENTS**

The U.S. Navy has partnered with the Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers to find the best and brightest Hispanic students interested in the STEM (science, technology, engineering or mathematics) fields. 817-272-1116. [ahetems@shpe.org](mailto:ahetems@shpe.org).  
<http://www.ahetems.org/scholarships/u-s-navy-rotc-scholarship/>

### **NCR FOUNDATION MINORITY SCHOLARSHIP**

For Black and other minority students who exhibit outstanding academic performance and who plan to major in accounting, finance, business, computer-science engineering, or related fields. Amount: \$5,000-\$20,000. NCR Corporation Headquarters, 513-445-1777

### **NORTH CENTRAL TEXAS COLLEGE**

Amounts: from \$500 to \$2000.  
[www.nctc.edu/Student\\_Services/FinAid/scholarships.html](http://www.nctc.edu/Student_Services/FinAid/scholarships.html)

### **NORTH TEXAS ASIAN AMERICAN CULTURAL ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP**

For north Texas high school seniors of Asian American descent.  
[www.ntaaca.org/11.html](http://www.ntaaca.org/11.html)

### **ORGANIZATION OF BLACK AIRLINE PILOT/AVIATION SCHOLARS**

For minority students, especially Blacks, interested in aviation. Award: \$1000. 201-568-8145 [www.obap.org](http://www.obap.org)

### **OUTSTANDING FRESHMAN SCHOLARSHIP AT UT ARLINGTON**

For freshmen entering University of Texas, Arlington in any field of study. Award: \$2500. 817-272-2197, [schol@uta.edu](mailto:schol@uta.edu) [www3.uta.edu/fao/portal/](http://www3.uta.edu/fao/portal/)

## **OUTSTANDING TRANSFER SCHOLARSHIP AT UT ARLINGTON**

For first-time transfer students majoring in any field of study. Award: \$2,000  
817-272-2197 [www3.uta.edu/fao/portal/](http://www3.uta.edu/fao/portal/)

## **PACIFICARE LATINO HEALTH SCHOLARS PROGRAM**

For high school seniors with a minimum GPA of 3.0 and who are fluent in Spanish and English and wish to work in the health care industry. Seventy \$2,000 scholarships awarded. [www.gdhcc.com/info/Education.asp](http://www.gdhcc.com/info/Education.asp)

## **PAUL & DAISY SOROS FELLOWSHIPS FOR NEW AMERICANS PROGRAM**

Fellowships are granted for up to two years of graduate study in the United States to new Americans (holder of green card or naturalized citizen or child of two naturalized citizens) under 30 years of age. [www.pdsoros.org/](http://www.pdsoros.org/)

## **PFLAG - HATCH YOUTH SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

For lesbian, gay, bisexual, or transgender high school seniors. 202-467-8180  
<http://community.pflag.org/Page.aspx?pid=212>

## **PHI DELTA KAPPA INTERNATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP**

Applicant must show interest in pursuing a career within the field of education.  
800-766-1156 [information@pdkintl.org](mailto:information@pdkintl.org) [www.pdkintl.org](http://www.pdkintl.org)

## **PRELIMINARY SAT (PSAT)/NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARSHIP (NMSQT) SCHOLARSHIP AND RECOGNITION PROGRAMS**

High school students who take the PSAT/NMSQT may qualify to enter competitions for the following scholarships and recognition programs: the National Merit Scholarship Corporation, the National Hispanic Scholar Recognition Program, the National Scholarship Service and Fund for Negro Students, and The Telluride Association. [www.collegeboard.org/](http://www.collegeboard.org/)

## **PRESIDENTIAL FREEDOM SCHOLARSHIPS**

For students who are solving the problems in their communities, demonstrating compassion for others, and servicing those who need support  
[www.learnandserve.gov/home/site\\_map/index.asp/](http://www.learnandserve.gov/home/site_map/index.asp/)

## **PRESIDENT'S POST DOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM**

Encourages outstanding women and minority Ph.D. recipients to study at the University of California. [www.ucop.edu/acadadv/ppfp/](http://www.ucop.edu/acadadv/ppfp/)

## **PRIVATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES MINORITY SCHOLARSHIPS**

For all students of color who are currently residents of the US and who plan to enroll at one of the specified colleges and universities. 239 Littleton Road Suite 8A Westford, MA 01886 [www.abetterchance.org/](http://www.abetterchance.org/)

## **PRSSA-MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

For minority students of who will be juniors by the time the scholarship will be used. Membership in PRSSA and a major or minor in public relations are preferred.  
212-460-1474 [prssa@prsa.org](mailto:prssa@prsa.org) [www.prssa.org](http://www.prssa.org)

## **PUERTO RICAN BAR ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP AWARD**

For Latino first or second year students in a J.D. program at an American Bar Association approved school. PRBA selects recipients based on financial need and academic promise. 212-739-7517 [www.prdef.org](http://www.prdef.org)





### **QUEST BRIDGE COLLEGE PREP SCHOLARSHIP**

Provides more than 1000 awards that equip outstanding low-income high school juniors with the knowledge necessary to compete for admission to top-ranked colleges and universities. [www.questbridge.org/cps/info.php](http://www.questbridge.org/cps/info.php)

### **RADIO, TV NEWS DIRECTOR ASSOCIATION FOUNDATION**

For college sophomores enrolled in any major whose career goal is in television or radio news. 202-467-5218 [www.rtnda.org](http://www.rtnda.org)

### **RE-ENTRY STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS**

Resource for finding financial aid to adults wanted to go back to school. [www.back2college.com/library/finad.htm](http://www.back2college.com/library/finad.htm)

### **REFORMED CHURCH IN AMERICA/MINORITY EDUCATION FUND**

For minority student members of the Reformed Church in America who show leadership ability, demonstrate financial need, and have been accepted to a Reformed Church of America school. 212-870-3071

### **RELIGION BASED SCHOLARSHIPS**

Database for finding scholarships based on a specific religion. [www.free-4u.com/](http://www.free-4u.com/)

### **RICHLAND COLLEGE FREE TUITION FOR YOUNG ADULTS**

Program to assist young people that want to go to college, but cannot afford it. No special qualifications, just ready to go up to the age of 21. Program offers a full scholarship that will pay for tuition, books and even lunch and a bus pass to Richland Jr. College. Melvin Pope at 972-761-6807 [www.richlandcollege.edu/](http://www.richlandcollege.edu/)

### **RISING STAR PROGRAM**

An opportunity for two years of college tuition and books assistance at any one of the seven Dallas County Community Colleges or the Bill J. Priest Institute for Economic Development. The award is for \$4,000, and the program provides a host of support services at each of the eight participating campuses. 214-860-2053 [foundation@dccc.edu](mailto:foundation@dccc.edu)  
[www.foundation.dccc.edu/risingstar/risingstarintro.html](http://www.foundation.dccc.edu/risingstar/risingstarintro.html)

### **RON BROWN SCHOLARSHIPS**

\$10,000 for 10 to 20 students, renewable. Based on academic merit, leadership, and community service. Open to all fields. [www.RonBrown.org](http://www.RonBrown.org)

### **RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE CHARITIES (AND THE UNITED NEGRO COLLEGE FUND)**

Students must be studying at an HBCU which is a member of the UNCF and have at least a B average. Open to sophomores. Award: from \$1,000 to full tuition. Approx. 60 students are selected. [www.rmhc.com](http://www.rmhc.com)

### **RUTH STANTON COMMUNITY GRANT**

Available to students who are active in community service. Requires an essay and letter of recommendation. [www.actionvolunteering.com/](http://www.actionvolunteering.com/)



## **SALVADORAN-AMERICAN LEADERSHIP AND EDUCATIONAL FUND: SALEF EDUCATION FOR EXCELLENCE**

For students of Central American and other Latino background with financial need, a minimum GPA of 2.5, and a history of community involvement who are willing to give back by mentoring a high school student. [www.salef.org/salef/fulfilling.html](http://www.salef.org/salef/fulfilling.html)

## **SCHOLAR SITE**

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

## **SCHOLARSHIP AMERICA**

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

## **SCHOLARSHIP HUNTER**

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

## **SCHOLARSHIPS FOR STUDY IN PARALEGAL STUDIES**

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

## **SCIENCENET SCHOLARSHIPS**

Database of scholarships available to students studying a science.  
[www.cse.emory.edu/sciencenet/undergrad/scholarships.html](http://www.cse.emory.edu/sciencenet/undergrad/scholarships.html)

## **SCIENTIST DEVELOPMENT GRANT**

For graduates who are permanent US residents or citizens with M.D., Ph.D., D.O., D.V.M., or equivalent doctoral degrees in the field of science and engineering concentrating in clinical, basic science, bioengineering, Biotechnology, or public health related issues. 214-706-1158, [nrcp@heart.org](mailto:nrcp@heart.org) [www.americanheart.org/](http://www.americanheart.org/)

## **SEARS CRAFTSMAN – NATIONAL HOT ROD SCHOLARSHIP**

For high school seniors WITH A 2.5 GPA or above. . 626-250-2296 [www.nhra.com](http://www.nhra.com)

## **SHELL OIL COMPANIES FOUNDATION/SHELL INCENTIVE FUNDS**

For minority students working towards a bachelor's degree in Business or Technology, at participating universities. Student must be a U.S. citizen. The universities must be contacted for specific information and/or applications. 713-241-6161 [www.shell.com](http://www.shell.com)

## **SIEMENS WESTINGHOUSE COMPETITION**

An award to encourage minority students to consider careers teaching math and science. [www.siemens-foundation.org/](http://www.siemens-foundation.org/)

## **SOCIETY OF WOMEN ENGINEERS SCHOLARSHIPS**

For women who are majoring in engineering or computer science. Award: \$200 to \$5,000. At least 90 are granted.  
<http://societyofwomenengineers.swe.org/>

## **SOROS FELLOWSHIPS FOR NEW AMERICANS**

Opportunities for continuing generations of able and accomplished New Americans to achieve leadership in their chosen fields. [www.pdsoros.org/](http://www.pdsoros.org/)

## **SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY TRANSFER SCHOLARSHIPS**

For transfer students to SMU from any field of study who are permanent US residents or citizens. Half tuition for five terms. 214-768-3417, [finaid@smu.edu](mailto:finaid@smu.edu) [www.smu.edu/admission/apply\\_transfer\\_scholars.asp](http://www.smu.edu/admission/apply_transfer_scholars.asp)



### **SPECIAL LIBRARIES ASSN AFFIRMATIVE ACTION SCHOLARSHIP**

For graduate study in librarianship at a recognized school of library or information science. Up to three \$6,000 SLA scholarships each year.

[www.sla.org/content/resources/scholargrant/scholar/index.cfm](http://www.sla.org/content/resources/scholargrant/scholar/index.cfm)

### **SPORTS SCHOLARSHIPS AND INTERNSHIPS**

Database of sporting-related financial aid.

<http://www.ncaa.org/wps/ncaa?ContentID=573>

### **STANLEY E. JACKSON SCHOLARSHIP FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES**

For disabled students of an ethnic minority who plan to enroll in a full-time undergraduate program or vocational, technical, or fine arts training programs.

Foundation for Exceptional Children, (800) 224-6830, ext. 450

### **STARS AND STRIPES FUND**

this supplement to the GI Bill offers assistance to military service personnel and their spouses and children. Veterans who did not opt into the GI Bill may also apply. 972-780-3630.

[www.unt.edu/unt-dallas/stars\\_and\\_stripes.htm](http://www.unt.edu/unt-dallas/stars_and_stripes.htm)

### **STATE FARM HISPANIC SCHOLARSHIPS**

For Hispanic college students who are pursuing a teaching career. Each year, \$2,500 scholarships are provided to 20 students. [www.statefarm.com](http://www.statefarm.com)

### **STUDENT INVESTORS SCHOLARSHIPS**

Over \$75,000 in prizes awarded to the top inventors and their academic advisors each year [www.invent.org/collegiate/](http://www.invent.org/collegiate/)

### **STUDENT VIDEO SCHOLARSHIPS**

Video contests for undergraduate or graduate students. Awards: up to \$3,000. <http://www.christophers.org/Page.aspx?pid=273>

### **TALBOTS WOMEN'S SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

Based on financial need and previous achievements for women who earned their high school diploma or GED at least 10 years ago.

<https://www.scholarshipamerica.org/talbotswomen>

### **TARGET ALL-AROUND SCHOLARSHIPS**

For civic-minded high school seniors and college undergraduates.

<http://sites.target.com/site/en/corporate/page.jsp?contentId=PRD03-001811>

### **TARRANT COUNTY COLLEGE FOUNDATION**

The TCC Foundation awards over 100 scholarships each year to students across the district. [www.tccd.edu/x84.xml](http://www.tccd.edu/x84.xml)

### **TERRY FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP**

For Texas college freshmen majoring in any field of study. U.S. Citizenship required. Awards: \$2,000 to \$13,000 512-475-6203, [www.terryfoundation.org/](http://www.terryfoundation.org/)

### **TEXAS ASSOCIATION OF DEVELOPING COLLEGES (TADC) URBAN SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

For low-income high school seniors and returning college students of any ethnicity, attending any accredited nonprofit public or independent two- or

four-year college or university or technical school full-time. Must be a US citizen. Applicants must have graduated from a high school in one of 19 north texas cities as listed on the application [www.txadc.org](http://www.txadc.org)

### **TEXAS COLLEGE IN TYLER, TX SCHOLARSHIPS**

For African American single parent mothers with their children. Award includes housing and fees. Historically Black, CME Affiliate.  
[www.texascollege.edu](http://www.texascollege.edu)

### **TEXAS ENERGY COUNCIL SCHOLARSHIP**

Awarded to undergraduate or graduate student in an energy-related field including but not limited to geology, geochemistry, petrology and related sciences or in the business fields of finance or economics related to the energy industry. [www.txenergycouncil.org/scholarships.html](http://www.txenergycouncil.org/scholarships.html)

### **TEXAS MUSLIM SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

For students studying in Texas in under-represented public affairs fields such as Journalism and Law. 972-365-8214  
[www.freeandjust.org/Applicants.htm](http://www.freeandjust.org/Applicants.htm)

### **TEXAS INSTRUMENTS FOUNDATION MATH SCHOLARS PROGRAM**

For students who will agree to serve as math teachers in schools in Dallas and the North Texas region for two years following graduation. 972-780-3630. <http://www.unt.edu/unt-dallas/tischolar.htm>

### **TEXAS PUBLIC EDUCATIONAL GRANT (TPEG)**

Based on financial need and available to Texas residents, nonresidents, and foreign students enrolled at public colleges or universities in Texas. Awards: \$1000. Contact the financial aid office of the Texas public college or university you plan to attend for information on applying.

### **TEXAS SCHOLARSHIPS**

State funded awards for Texas residents. Apply at the financial aid office of student's college. [www.collegefortexans.com](http://www.collegefortexans.com)

### **TEXAS TECH ALUMNI ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP**

For students at Texas Tech with high academic achievement, activities; and to some degree financial need. [scholarship@dallastechsan.org](mailto:scholarship@dallastechsan.org)  
[www.dallastechsan.org/scholarships.html](http://www.dallastechsan.org/scholarships.html)

### **TEXAS TENNIS FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS**

For Texas residents studying sports with a concentration in tennis. U.S. Citizenship required. 512-443-1334 x216, [www.texastennisfoundation.com](http://www.texastennisfoundation.com)

### **TEXAS TUITION EQUALIZATION GRANT**

For students who have enrolled in a private, non-profit college or university in Texas in any field of study. U.S. Citizenship required. Award up to \$3,444 per year. 1 800-242-3062 x 6463, [www.collegefortexans.com](http://www.collegefortexans.com)

### **THE EMMA L. BOWEN FOUNDATION FOR MINORITY INTERESTS**

Scholarships to increase minority representation in the media industry.  
[www.emmabowenfoundation.com/](http://www.emmabowenfoundation.com/)



**DFW International**

Community Alliance



### **THE LAGRANT FOUNDATION**

Available to ethnic minority undergraduate and graduate students majoring in advertising, marketing or public relations. Undergraduate scholarships are worth \$5,000 each and graduate scholarships are worth \$10,000 each.

<http://www.lagrantfoundation.org>. 323-469-8680, ext. 233. [erickaavila@lagrant.com](mailto:erickaavila@lagrant.com)

### **THURGOOD MARSHALL SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

For students enrolled in one of the 47 TMSF member schools. Applicants must demonstrate financial need. Scholarships are awarded through the school.

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

### **UCLA SCHOLARSHIPS BASED ON ETHNICITY**

[www.college.ucla.edu/UP/SRC/ethnic.htm](http://www.college.ucla.edu/UP/SRC/ethnic.htm)

### **UNION FOUNDATION**

Scholarships for Latino youths to enhance their educational and career opportunities. [www.ufoundation.org](http://www.ufoundation.org)

### **UNION PLUS SCHOLARSHIPS**

Applicants of working families with academic ability, social awareness, financial need and appreciation of labor.

[www.unionplus.org/college-education-financing/union-plus-scholarship](http://www.unionplus.org/college-education-financing/union-plus-scholarship)

### **UNITED METHODIST LEADERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP**

For active members of the United Methodist Church with a minimum GPA of 3.0 who plans to enroll at a United Methodist-related college or university.

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

### **UNITED NEGRO COLLEGE FUND (UNCF)**

Offers Hispanic American, Asian, Pacific Islander American, African American and Native American college students a scholarship which includes an internship.

Applications are accepted from college sophomores, juniors and graduate students. 1-866-671-7237 [admissions@cga.uscg.mil](mailto:admissions@cga.uscg.mil) [www.uncf.org](http://www.uncf.org)

### **UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO MULTICULTURAL SCHOLARSHIPS**

<http://omsa.uchicago.edu/>

## **UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO AT BOULDER SCHOOL OF EDUCATION DOCTORAL FUNDING**

For doctoral candidates who intend to pursue research focused on educational equity and cultural diversity, candidates from underrepresented groups, and those who are first-generation college graduates .educdean@colorado.edu  
[www.colorado.edu/prospective/graduate/apply/application.html](http://www.colorado.edu/prospective/graduate/apply/application.html)

## **UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN**

The goal of TexasScholarships.org is to bring together in one convenient place all of the scholarship resources at The University of Texas, including information from the various colleges, departments, alumni, and administrative units.  
[www.texasscholarships.org/](http://www.texasscholarships.org/)

## **UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT DALLAS ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS**

Incoming freshman and transfer students are automatically considered for the UTD Academic Excellence Scholarship program. Graduate students, returning students, and current students are eligible for departmental and donor scholarships. 972-883-2270.  
[www.utdallas.edu/enroll](http://www.utdallas.edu/enroll) or [financial-aid.utdallas.edu](http://financial-aid.utdallas.edu)

## **UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT DALLAS SCHOLARSHIPS**

The Financial Aid Office awards scholarships to undergraduate and graduate students on the basis of financial need and residency status.  
[www.utdallas.edu/enroll/financialaid/scholarships.php](http://www.utdallas.edu/enroll/financialaid/scholarships.php)

## **UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS-PAN AMERICAN EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIPS**

For students in any field of study, undergraduate or graduate.  
 956-381-2935, scholarship@panam.edu [www.panam.edu/scholarships](http://www.panam.edu/scholarships)

## **UNT DALLAS CAMPUS: DAYTIME INCENTIVE PROGRAM**

Undergraduate students interested in the fields of business, education, sociology and criminal justice will automatically receive a \$2,500 scholarship when they enroll in 15 credit hours of daytime classes at the University of North Texas Dallas Campus in the Fall 2008 semester. Students who take 12 credit hours in business and education will receive a \$2,000 scholarship. 972-780-3642  
[dallasrecruitment@unt.edu](mailto:dallasrecruitment@unt.edu) [www.unt.edu/unt-dallas/daytimecohort.htm](http://www.unt.edu/unt-dallas/daytimecohort.htm)

## **UNT INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE SCHOLARSHIP**

Awards approximately 35, \$1000 scholarships to UNT students active in international education activities. Eligible undergraduate students have a minimum 3.0 gpa, and graduate students have a 3.5 gpa. Extensive campus or community activity promoting understanding is also required.  
[www.unt-tsa.com/unt-scholarships](http://www.unt-tsa.com/unt-scholarships)

## **UNT MULTICULTURAL SCHOLASTIC AWARD**

The Multicultural Scholastic Award Program is a scholarship and student retention initiative targeting academically talented students from diverse backgrounds. *All students are encouraged to apply.* The MSA Program offers scholarships for incoming freshmen, current UNT students, incoming transfer students, masters and doctoral students. 940-369-7391  
[www.coci.unt.edu/index.php/MSA\\_Program](http://www.coci.unt.edu/index.php/MSA_Program)





### UNT SCHOLARSHIPS

[http://essc.unt.edu/finaid/scholarships\\_overview.htm](http://essc.unt.edu/finaid/scholarships_overview.htm)

### UNT DIVISION OF INSTITUTIONAL EQUITY AND DIVERISTY

<http://edo.unt.edu/content/student-scholarships>

### URBAN SCHOLARSHIP FUND

For graduating high school seniors and returning college students attending any accredited nonprofit public or independent two or four year college or university or technical school. Awards: from \$700 to \$2,000. Must be U.S. citizen and resident of Texas. 214-630-2511, [janice.jackson@txadc.org](mailto:janice.jackson@txadc.org)  
[www.txadc.org](http://www.txadc.org)

### THE USA GROUP SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

For high school seniors or currently enrolled college students, undergraduate or graduate. Applicant must demonstrate financial need. Academic achievement, leadership, and participation in school and community activities are important. USA Group, 317-849-6510 or 800-428-9250. 30 South Meridian, Indianapolis, IN 6204-3503 [www.salliemae.com](http://www.salliemae.com)

### U.S. COAST GUARD ACADEMY/MINORITY OFFICER RECRUITING

Four-year, full tuition scholarships for outstanding minority undergraduate students, who attend selected colleges. Upon graduation, students are required to accept a commission in the US Coast Guard. 800-424-8883  
[www.uscg.mil](http://www.uscg.mil)

### VOCES UNIDAS SCHOLARSHIP FOR BATTERED WOMEN

Four scholarships of \$250 each for formerly battered women pursuing educational or job training classes. 956-330-0697 [womentog@swbell.net](mailto:womentog@swbell.net)

### XEROX SCHOLARSHIPS

For minorities pursuing a career in technology. Applicants must be US citizens or visa-holding permanent residents who are enrolled as a full time undergraduate or graduate student. [www.xerox.com/](http://www.xerox.com/)

### YMCA COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarship program for graduating high school seniors living in the Dallas area, based on academics, financial circumstances, community service, and the individual's personal motivation. 972-880-9622 [www.ymcadallas.org/](http://www.ymcadallas.org/)

### YOSHIYAMA AWARD FOR EXEMPLARY SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY

For students who demonstrate self motivation, leadership, creativity, dedication, and a commitment to pursuing community service. 202-457-0588 [www.hitachifoundation.org/yoshiyama/](http://www.hitachifoundation.org/yoshiyama/)

## SCHOLARSHIPS FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDY

### DOLLAR-A-DAY (D.A.D)

For Muslim students who wish to pursue careers globally in Muslim countries  
[www.muslimscholarship.org/index.htm](http://www.muslimscholarship.org/index.htm)

### HBCU “PACKARD” SIT ABROAD SCHOLARSHIPS

For U.S. students who want to study abroad. Award: \$500 to \$5,000.  
[www.sit.edu/studyabroad/index.html](http://www.sit.edu/studyabroad/index.html)

### INSTITUTE OF INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION

For study abroad and internships abroad. Both need and merit based scholarships available. [www.iienetwork.org/?p=StudyAbroad](http://www.iienetwork.org/?p=StudyAbroad)

### INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS & FINANCIAL AID

Database of scholarships available for US and International students wishing to study abroad. [www.ief.a.org/](http://www.ief.a.org/)

### INTERNATIONAL STUDIES ABROAD

International Studies Abroad is a study abroad provider with 14 destination countries that encompass 31 distinct and exciting cities. ISA has been providing quality study abroad programs for U.S. college students since 1987.  
<http://www.studiesabroad.com/>

### PATRICK STEWART SCHOLARSHIPS FROM AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL

For young activists seeking experience overseas on the front lines of human rights activism, advocacy, and research. Award: \$600 - \$18,000  
[www.amnestyusa.org/patrickstewart/](http://www.amnestyusa.org/patrickstewart/)

### PRESTIGIOUS SCHOLARSHIPS

For international study. Links for the Rhodes, Fulbright, Rotary, Marshall, James Madison, Harry S. Truman, and Andrew W. Mellon scholarships are available at the UNT website of the Office of Nationally Competitive Scholarships at [www.opgf.unt.edu](http://www.opgf.unt.edu)

### RHODES SCHOLARSHIPS

For students wanting to study at Oxford University in England.  
[www.rhodesscholar.org/info.html](http://www.rhodesscholar.org/info.html)

### ROTARY AMBASSADORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS AND WORLD PEACE FELLOWSHIPS

Dallas area, [www.rotary5810.org](http://www.rotary5810.org), Ft. Worth area, [www.rotary5790.org](http://www.rotary5790.org)  
[www.rotary.org/en/StudentsAndYouth/EducationalPrograms/AmbassadorialScholarships/Pages/ridefault.aspx](http://www.rotary.org/en/StudentsAndYouth/EducationalPrograms/AmbassadorialScholarships/Pages/ridefault.aspx)

### STUDY ABROAD FUNDING DIRECTORY

Database of scholarships based on country and field of study.  
[www.studyabroadfunding.org](http://www.studyabroadfunding.org)

# DOMINGO GARCIA, P.C.

Attorneys and Counselors at law

"Trust yourself.

Create the kind of self that you will be  
happy to live with all your life.

Make the most of yourself by fanning  
the tiny, inner sparks of possibility into  
flames of achievement."

*Foster C. McClellan*





## Preparándose para la universidad

### LA PREPARACION PRE- UNIVERSITARIA PARA ESTUDIANTES DE SECUNDARIA / PREPARATORIA

Para que su hijo cuente con mayores posibilidades de ingresar a la universidad sería recomendable que usted verifique que él realice las siguientes actividades.

#### Primer Año (9º)

- Reunirse con el consejero y seleccionar cursos que cumplan con los requisitos para admision a la universidad.
- Tomar clases exigentes que desarrollen sus habilidades.
- Participar en actividades extracurriculares.
- Investigar posibles profesiones.
- Durante el verano, leer libros, tomar clases o ser voluntario/a.

#### Segundo Año (10º)

- Continuar con la investigación de opciones de profesiones.
- Durante el verano, leer libros, tomar clases o ser voluntario/a.



### Tercer Año (11º)

- Tomar el PSAT. Un buen puntaje podría calificarlo/a para becas.
- Hablar con su consejero/a acerca de su puntaje de PSAT y como mejorar.
- Comenzar la búsqueda de becas, prestamos, y programas de work-study.
- Investigar y visitar universidades/colegios.
- Registrarse para el ACT, SAT, y/o SAT Subject Test dependiendo de los requisitos de las universidades/colegios elegidos. Si no ha seleccionado universidades o sus recursos financieros son limitados, consulte con su consejero/a.

### Cuarto Año (12º)

- Obtener y llenar solicitudes de admisión y ayuda financiera.
- Pedir a sus profesores cartas de recomendaciones.
- Visitar y asistir a ferias de universidades.
- Enviar su certificado académico y los puntajes de los exámenes a las universidades seleccionadas.
- Entregar el FAFSA lo más pronto posible.
- Revisar su Student Aid Report (SAR), ofertas de admisión y de ayuda financiera.
- Para el 1º de mayo, escoger la universidad.

### CURRICULUM PRE UNIVERSITARIO

Por lo menos, se deben tomar cinco clases académicas básicas cada semestre. Se recomienda tomar:

- **Inglés** - Cuatro o más años (gramática, composición, literatura, etc.)
- **Matemáticas** - Tres o más años (álgebra I, geometría, álgebra II, etc.)
- **Ciencias Naturales** - Tres o más años (biología, química, física, etc.)
- **Ciencias Sociales** - Tres o más años (historia, economía, geografía, etc.)
- **Cursos Adicionales** - Algunas universidades requieren otras materias como prerrequisitos para admisión como dos o más años de un mismo idioma.



## OTROS ELEMENTOS QUE LE AYUDARÁN A TRIUNFAR

**Advanced Placement Program (AP)** - A través de exámenes AP, tiene la oportunidad de recibir crédito universitario por lo que aprendió sin haber tomado una clase formal y también ahorrando dinero.

**Las Actividades Extracurriculares** - Ser un voluntario, participar en diferentes organizaciones en la escuela, ser un miembro activo de su comunidad.

**La Experiencia Laboral** - Los “internships” pueden ayudar a identificar qué tipo de carrera pueda interesarle y aprender de una variedad de experiencias laborales.

**El “Class Rank”** - Muchas universidades toman en cuenta su posición durante el proceso de admisión.

## LOS EXAMENES PARA LA ADMISION UNIVERSITARIA

- **PSAT** - Muchos estudiantes toman el PSAT en el otoño de su tercer año (11º) en la secundaria/preparatoria.
- **SAT** - Un examen de 3 horas que mide el razonamiento verbal, matemático y escritura. El puntaje más alto es 1600 (800 verbal y 800 matemáticas).
- **ACT** - Un examen de 3 horas que comprende inglés, matemáticas, lectura y razonamiento científico. El mejor puntaje posible es 36.

## Cómo matricularse en la universidad

Escoger la universidad a la cual su hijo quiere asistir es una de las decisiones más importante en la vida. Recuerdele que su meta es encontrar la escuela ideal para sus necesidades, no la de sus amigos o familiares.

Sugírela hacerse las siguientes preguntas:

- ¿La universidad ofrece un buen programa en el campo que deseo estudiar?
- ¿Cuáles son los requisitos?, ¿los puedo cumplir?
- ¿Cuánto cuesta (la matrícula, vivienda y comidas)?, ¿lo puedo pagar?
- ¿Qué tan grande es la universidad, número de estudiantes por clase, etc.?

## LOS TIPOS DE UNIVERSIDADES

**Community and junior colleges** ofrecen generalmente programas de dos años llamados “associate degree programs”. Para los estudiantes que deciden continuar sus estudios en un programa de cuatro años, los créditos generalmente se transfieren a las universidades de cuatro años.

**Four-year colleges and universities** ofrecen “bachelor’s degrees” en múltiples campos de estudio y también muchas ofrecen programas de post-grado.

**Universidades Públicas** son generalmente más económicas que las universidades privadas. Sin embargo, los bajos precios normalmente solo están disponibles para residentes del estado. Uno puede calificar después de un año de vivir en ese estado.

**Universidades Privadas** son por lo general más caras que las universidades públicas, pero frecuentemente ofrecen ayuda que hacen accesible el costo.

**Escuelas Vocacionales** ofrecen una amplia variedad de cursos vocacionales.



## **La ayuda financiera**

El Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) es un formulario que muchas universidades usan para determinar la ayuda financiera y el dinero es dado por el orden en que reciben la solicitud. Después de entregar su FAFSA, les enviarán un reporte de ayuda financiera (SAR) que le informará cuánto dinero se espera que su familia contribuya para la educación superior de su hijo en un año. Esto ayuda a la universidad y a las organizaciones de becas saber cuánta ayuda financiera necesitará.

### **LAS BECAS**

Las becas son dinero donado que ayuda con el costo de los estudios. Algunas becas requieren prueba de ciudadanía para poder calificar, pero otras no. De acuerdo a la ley House Bill # 1528, si es un estudiante extranjero o no ciudadano, usted podría calificar para ser considerado un residente de Texas para la matrícula. También, usted podría recibir ayuda financiera del estado.

### **LOS PRESTAMOS**

Los préstamos estudiantiles ayudan en la matrícula para la universidad, y tienen un porcentaje de interés bajo en comparación de otros préstamos. Los préstamos estudiantiles deben ser pagados después de terminar su educación superior.

Los préstamos federales se llaman Stafford y Perkins. Cada uno de estos préstamos tiene requisitos diferentes.




# START A MOVEMENT

This isn't just a slogan – it's what we expect from our students. Ask questions. Find answers. Get outside your comfort zone. Do it locally, globally, for yourself, or for humanity; whatever you do, we want you to move, to innovate, to imagine, to know, to explore.

At SMU Meadows we encourage students to challenge themselves and take risks, to travel across boundaries, test ideas and question culture and values. We want our students to have a voice, have something to say and to have the knowledge and discipline to be able to say it.





## Now is the time to register at Mountain View College!

- Financial aid, grants, and scholarships available
- Payment Plan Options
- Distance Learning (online courses)
- Weekend and evening options
- Continuing Education (non-credit) courses
- Certificate programs, Career Preparation and Workforce Development

### Register today!

Online: Register at <http://econnect.dcccd.edu>

Call: 214-860-8600 / 214-860-8600

In person: Visit Admissions Office in room S2042

4849 West Illinois Avenue | Dallas, Texas 75211 | [www.mountainviewcollege.edu](http://www.mountainviewcollege.edu) | An Equal Opportunity Institution



**Mountain View College**

DALLAS COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

**IT ALL BEGINS HERE.**



## DFW International

Community Alliance

### DFW International Community Alliance

is the portal to international North Texas,  
a region in which 44% of the residents are  
New Americans of first or second generation.

We are a network of over 1,600  
internationally-focused organizations in the  
Dallas / Fort Worth metroplex .

**[www.dfwinternational.org](http://www.dfwinternational.org)**



# Rod, Class of 2009

We are grateful to everyone at A&M-Commerce for the influence they have had on our son. They took the time to help and guide him, and have shaped him into the person he is today, a **proud member of society** who wants to give back to his community.



**tamu-commerce.edu**

**903.886.5000** | FIND OUT MORE ABOUT OUR PROGRAMS!  
CONTACT US TODAY TO SET UP A CAMPUS VISIT!

TEXAS A&M  
UNIVERSITY  
COMMERCE

A MEMBER OF THE TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY SYSTEM





Create change. Create hope.

Citi is proud to sponsor the  
Guide to Scholarships for New  
Americans and Minorities.

We commend their work in  
helping to create change and  
hope for the future of our  
children.

Citi never sleeps<sup>®</sup>

