

NATIVE AMERICAN SCHOLARSHIPS

Actuarial Foundation Diversity Scholarship

Deadline: May 3rd

With the goal of promoting diversity within the actuarial profession, the Actuarial Foundation provides an annual scholarship program for African American, Hispanic, Native American, and Pacific Islander undergraduate students who are enrolled full-time in an accredited degree program to become an actuary. According to academic level, high school seniors can receive \$1,000, college freshmen or sophomores can receive \$2,000, and college juniors may be awarded up to \$3,000. Recipients who wish to renew the scholarship will be required to pass an actuarial examination to be granted funding past the junior year.

Contact

Actuarial Foundation Diversity Scholarship
475 North Martingale Rd. Suite 600
Schaumburg, IL 60173
(847) 706-3535
Scholarships@ActFnd.org

AISES Google Scholarship

Deadline: March 31st

Partnered with Google, the American Indian Science and Engineering Society (AISES) awards scholarships annually to American Indian, Alaskan Native, and Native Hawaiian students who are interested in pursuing degree in computer engineering, computer science, or a related technology field. Eligible applicants for the \$10,000 scholarship must have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher, be a full-time undergraduate or graduate student at an accredited four-year university in the United States, be a member of the AISES, and demonstrate strong leadership qualities. Winners of the award will also receive an all-expense paid invitation to the 2014 Google Scholars' Retreat to network with Google professionals and engage in workshops.

Contact

AISES Google Scholarship
2305 Renard SE Suite 200
Albuquerque, NM 87106
(505) 765-1052
sechohawk@aises.org

ALA Spectrum Scholarship

Deadline: March 1st

Sponsored by the American Library Association (ALA), the Spectrum Scholarship is designed to encourage students from underrepresented groups of American Indians, Asians, African Americans, Hispanics, and Pacific Islanders to join the current workforce of librarians and other library leaders. Eligible candidates for the non-renewable \$5,000 scholarship must be a permanent resident of the United States or Canada, in attendance at an ALA-accredited graduate program for library studies, and able to maintain a minimum of two courses per semester. Along with the scholarships, recipients are granted a complementary one-year student membership to ALA, free admission to the ALA Annual Conference, and formal mentoring opportunities.

Contact

ALA Spectrum Scholarship
50 East Huron St.
Chicago, IL 60611
(800) 545-2433 ext. 5048
spectrum@ala.org

Albuquerque Community Foundation (ACF) Notah Begay III Scholarship

Deadline: March 6th

Sponsored by a scholarship fund created in 1999 by professional golfer Notah Begay III, the Albuquerque Community Foundation (ACF) offers two \$2,000 awards each year to benefit Native American athletes nationwide. Applicants for the scholarships must be high school graduates, demonstrate strong academic achievement with a minimum GPA of 3.0, be accepted into a full-time university degree program, and have participated in varsity level sports. Along with the application, candidates need to attach proof of tribal enrollment or Certificate of Indian Blood.

Contact

Albuquerque Community Foundation (ACF) Notah Begay III
Scholarship
P.O. Box 25266
Albuquerque, NM 87125
(505) 883-6240
nancy@albuquerquefoundation.org

American Chemical Society Scholars Program

Deadline: March 1st

The American Chemical Society (ACS) Scholars Program offers renewable scholarships up to \$5,000 annually to qualified African American, Hispanic, or Native American students who are pursuing a college degree in chemical sciences or chemical technology. All applicants must be United States citizens, enrolled full-time at an accredited university, demonstrate financial need according to the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form, and maintain a minimum GPA of 3.0 or higher.

Contact

American Chemistry Society Scholars Program
1155 16th St. NW
Washington, DC 20036
(202) 872-6250
scholars@acs.org

American Indian College Fund Full Circle Scholarship Program

Deadline: May 31st

American Indian College Fund Full Circle Scholarships are granted to Native American and Alaskan Native students who are attending non-tribal public or private universities in the United States. In order to receive the need-based scholarships, applicants must be U.S. citizens, enrolled full-time in an accredited university, recognized as a member of a recognized tribe or descendant of an enrolled tribal member, and possess a minimum GPA of 2.0 or better.

Contact

American Indian College Fund Full Circle Scholarship Program
8333 Greenwood Blvd.
Denver, CO 80221
(303) 426-8900
scholarships@collegefund.org

American Indian Nurse Scholarship Awards

Deadline: December 1st

The National Society of the Colonial Dames of America awards the American Indian Scholarship Award to students of Native American descent who need financial assistance to pursue a career in nursing or other related healthcare fields. As long as recipients maintain good overall academic standing, the program continues to grant \$1,000 each semester to cover tuition and specific academic expenses for each year enrolled in an accredited nursing program. Eligible candidates must be at least one-fourth American Indian, a high school graduate, expected to graduate in four years with a BSN degree, and recommended by a school official.

Contact

American Indian Nurse Scholarship Awards
55 Beacon St.
Boston, MA 02108
(617) 742-3190
nscda-ma@verizon.net

Bois Forte Band of Chippewa Scholarship Program

Deadline: March 1st

The Bois Forte Band of Chippewa Scholarship Program is designed to assist enrolled members of the Bois Forte Band of Chippewa Indians with attending an accredited higher learning institution in the United States. In order to be granted the maximum award amount of \$5,000, students must be U.S. citizens and high school graduates accepted into a university, as well as possess a minimum GPA of 2.0 or greater and demonstrate financial need.

Contact

Bois Forte Band of Chippewa Scholarship Program
5344 Lakeshore Dr.
P.O. Box 16
Nett Lake, MN 55772
(218) 757-3261
bmason@boisforte-NSN.gov

Bureau of Indian Education Higher Education Grant Program

Deadline: June 1st

Each year, the Bureau of Indian Education (BIE) provides supplemental financial assistance to eligible American Indian and Alaskan Native scholars seeking a bachelor's degree with its Higher Education Grant Program. Eligible applicants must be a current member of a federally recognized American Indian tribe or a Native American descendant with at least one-fourth Indian blood. For graduate students who already have achieved a bachelor's degree, there is also a similar grant program offered by the American Indian Graduate Center (AIGC).

Contact

Bureau of Indian Education Higher Education Grant Program
1849 C St. NW
Mail Stop 3609 MIB
Washington, DC 20240
(202) 208-6123
consultation@bia.gov

Ford Motor Company Tribal Scholarship

Deadline: May 31st

Sponsored by the Ford Motor Company, the American Indian College Fund grants a \$3,000 scholarship annually to eligible undergraduate college freshmen, sophomores, juniors, and seniors who are members of a Native American or Alaskan Native tribe. Although the scholarship is open for all tribal colleges nationwide, first preference is granted to students who are enrolled in a tribal college within Michigan. All applicants must maintain at least a 3.0 GPA or higher with a major in mathematics, science, engineering, business, education, or environmental science.

Contact

Ford Motor Company Tribal Scholarship
8333 Greenwood Blvd.
Denver, CO 80221
(303) 426-8900
scholarships@collegefund.org

George A. Strait Minority Scholarships

Deadline: April 1st

Awarded annually by the American Association of Law Libraries (AALL) in honor of George A. Strait, the scholarship is designed to assist minority group members with attaining a degree from an accredited law school to fulfill needed roles in law libraries. Within the application packet, applicants are required to include an official college undergraduate transcript, letter from an Admissions officer stating acceptance into the law school, three letters of recommendation, and personal statement discussing their individual interest in a career within law librarianship.

Contact

George A. Strait Minority Scholarships
105 W. Adams St. Suite 3300
Chicago, IL 60603
(312) 939-4764
scholarships@aall.org

Indian Health Service Scholarship

Deadline: January 15th

Created by the Indian Health Care Improvement Act by President Obama, the Indian Health Service (IHS) Scholarship intends to encourage American Indian and Alaskan Native students to earn a degree for any health professions and fulfill Indian health program staffing needs. All applicants are required to submit a copy of an approved Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) Certification for tribal membership within a nationally recognized tribe. Eligible candidates need to be U.S. citizens, high school graduates, and capable of completing a health profession degree.

Contact

Indian Health Service Scholarship
801 Thompson Ave. Suite 450A
Rockville, MD 20852
(301) 443-6197
vickye.santiago@ihs.gov

Morgan Stanley Tribal Scholars Program

Deadline: May 31st

Sponsored by the financial services corporation of Morgan Stanley, the American Indian College Fund awards a selected number of annual \$5,000 scholarships to outstanding American Indian students who are currently enrolled in a tribal college to pursue a degree in business or finance. Preference is given to applicants who demonstrate academic excellence with a minimum GPA of 3.0 or higher, interest in the financial services industry, and leadership or service within the Native American community. All applicants must submit proof of American Indian, Alaskan Native, or Hawaiian Native enrollment or ancestry to be considered.

Contact

Morgan Stanley Tribal Scholars Program

8333 Greenwood Blvd.

Denver, CO 80221

(303) 426-8900

scholarships@collegefund.org

http://www.collegefund.org/donor_support_stories/detail/15

Wisconsin Indian Student Assistance Grants

Deadline: Contact Sponsoring Organization

Presented by the State of Wisconsin Higher Educational Aids Board, the Wisconsin Indian Student Assistance Grants to undergraduate or graduate students enrolled in degree programs at University of Wisconsin or Wisconsin Technical College. Ranging from \$250 to \$1,000, recipients are eligible to receive the financial assistance for up to ten semesters. Along with the completed application form, applicants are required to include a certified degree of at least one-quarter Native American blood and proof of enrollment in a recognized tribe.

Contact

Wisconsin Indian Student Assistance Grants
P.O. Box 7885
Madison, WI 53707
(608) 267-2206
HEABmail@wisconsin.gov

STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering or Math)

A.T. Anderson Memorial Scholarship Program

Given by: American Indian Science and Engineering Society

Amount: \$1000 for undergraduate, \$2000 for graduate

Contact Phone: 505.765.1052

Website: <http://www.aises.org/scholarships>

Requirements: AISES' own scholarship program was established in 1983 in memory of A.T. Anderson (Mohawk), a chemical engineer who founded AISES with six other American Indian scientists. Scholarships are awarded to members of AISES who are at least $\frac{1}{4}$ American Indian/Alaskan Native college students, have a 3.0 GPA or higher pursuing academic programs in the sciences, engineering, medicine, natural resources, and math.

Deadline: May 31

Natural Resources and Environmental Studies

Truman D. Picard Scholarship

Given by: Intertribal Timber Council

Amount: \$2500 for college students/ \$2000 for graduating High School students

Contact Phone: 503.282.4296

Website: http://www.itcnet.org/about_us/scholarships.html

Requirements: Native American students pursuing Natural Resources. Letters of reference, resume, etc. More details on website.

Deadline: January 16

A.T. Anderson Memorial Scholarship Program

Given by: American Indian Science and Engineering Society

Amount: \$1000 for undergraduate, \$2000 for graduate

Contact Phone: 505.765.1052

Website: <http://www.aises.org/scholarships>

Requirements: AISES' own scholarship program was established in 1983 in memory of A.T. Anderson (Mohawk), a chemical engineer who founded AISES with six other American Indian scientists. Scholarships are awarded to members of AISES who are at least $\frac{1}{4}$ American Indian/Alaskan Native college students, have a 3.0 GPA or higher pursuing academic programs in the sciences, engineering, medicine, natural resources, and math.

Deadline: May 31

SEG Foundation Scholarship Program

Given by: Society of Exploration Geophysicists

Amount: \$500-\$14000

Contact Phone: 918.497.5500

Website: <http://www.seg.org/> (website is currently undergoing maintenance)

Requirements: Complete application. Financial need. Planning to enter college next fall. Undergraduate or graduate student. Intending to pursue a college curriculum directed toward a career in applied geophysics or a closely related field, such as geosciences, physics, geology, or earth and environmental sciences. More details on website.

Deadline: March 1

The Udall Scholarship

Given by: Morris K. Udall and Stewart L. Udall Foundation

Amount: up to \$5000

Contact Phone: 520.901.8564

Website: <https://www.udall.gov/OurPrograms/Scholarship/Scholarship.aspx>

Requirements: Sophomore or junior-level college student at a two-year or four-year accredited institution of higher education in the United States, pursuing a bachelor's or associate's degree full time during the 2015-2016 academic year. U.S. citizen, U.S. national or U.S. permanent resident. For those who want to pursue a career related to the environment, or for someone who is Native American or an Alaska Native and plan to pursue a career related to health care or tribal public policy. College GPA of at least 3.0. US citizen. More details on website.

Deadline: March 1st

Journalism

NAJA Scholarship For Native American Journalists

Given by: Native American Journalists Association (NAJA)

Amount: \$500-\$5000

Contact Phone: 305.284.2211

Website: <http://www.naja.com/students/naja-scholarships/>

Requirements: More details on website. For Native Americans pursuing journalism. Must be a current NAJA member in good standing. See website for details.

Deadline: April 30

Communications

Joseph A. Sowa Scholarship

Given by: Ke Ali'i Pauahi Foundation

Amount: Varies

Contact Phone: 808.534.3966

Website: <http://www.pauahi.org/scholarships/>

Requirements: Minimum 3.0 GPA. Major in field of communications.

Demonstrate financial need. More details on website.

Deadline: March 20

Health Related

Indian Health Services Health Professionals Programs

Given by: Indian Health Services

Amount: varies

Contact Phone: 301.443.6197

Website: <http://www.scholarship.ihs.gov/>

Requirements: Enrolled in a federally recognized tribe. Preparatory scholarship can be 1st or 2nd degree descendant of a tribal member (see application). Undergraduate or graduate level student. 2.0 GPA or higher. Pursuing a degree in a health related profession.

Deadline: March 28

Indian Health Services Scholarship

Given by: US Department of Health and Human Services

Amount: varies

Website: <http://www.ihs.gov/scholarship/index.cfm?>

Requirements: More details on website. Must be American Indian Tribal or Alaska Native Village Member.

Deadline: March 28

The Udall Scholarship

Given by: Morris K. Udall and Stewart L. Udall Foundation

Amount: up to \$5000

Contact Phone: 520.901.8564 Website: <https://www.udall.gov/OurPrograms/Scholarship/Scholarship.aspx>

Requirements: Sophomore or junior-level college student at a two-year or four-year accredited institution of higher education in the United States, pursuing a bachelor's or associate's degree full time during the 2015-2016 academic year. U.S. citizen, U.S. national or U.S. permanent resident. For those who want to pursue a career related to the environment, or for someone who is Native American or an Alaska Native and plan to pursue a career related to health care or tribal public policy. College GPA of at least 3.0. US citizen. More details on website.

Deadline: March 4

National Institutes of Health

Given by: National Institutes of Health

Amount: up to \$20000 per academic year

Contact Phone: 301.594.3318

Website: <https://www.training.nih.gov/programs/ugsp>

Requirements: U.S. citizen or permanent resident. Must be enrolled or accepted for enrollment as a full-time student at an accredited 4-year undergraduate institution in the US. 3.3 GPA or higher or top 5% of class. Must be certified as having “exceptional financial need: by undergraduate institution financial office. For students who come from disadvantaged backgrounds who are committed to careers in biomedical, behavioral and social science health-related research.

Deadline: March 9th

**Native American Junior Auxiliaries Scholarship (now called
National Association of Junior Auxiliaries, Inc.
Graduate Scholarship Program)**

Given by: Native American Junior Auxiliaries

Amount: \$350-\$1250

Contact Phone: 662.332.3000

Website: <http://www.najanet.org/view/17>

Requirements: Must be working or planning to work DIRECTLY with children. Must be pursuing graduate level studies for one year in fields which address the special needs of children and youth. Graduate fields of study include, but are not limited to: Counseling, Psychology, Mental Health, Special Education, Speech Pathology, Exceptional Children, Remedial Skills Development, Hearing Impaired, Gifted and Talented, etc. Scholarships are NOT awarded for graduate work in administration or general education. Must be a U.S. citizen and a permanent resident of a state with a Junior Auxiliary Chapter: Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, Tennessee, and Texas. Must be planning to attend a U.S. college or university for full-time or part-time study.

Deadline: February 1

Social Services

Daughters of Indian Wars Scholarships

Given by: Continental Society

Amount: \$1000

Contact Phone: 918.479.5670

Website: <http://www.csdiw.org/scholarships.html>

Requirements: Be an enrolled tribe member. Plan to work with a tribe in the field of Education or Social Service and working with Native Americans as a career goal. Must be an undergraduate junior or senior accepted to or already attending an accredited college/ university, be carrying at least eight semester hours, and have a minimum 3.0 GPA. Must be US citizen and demonstrate financial need. One award annually. Renewable. Contact Scholarship chair for an application.

Deadline: June 15

Engineering

American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics

Given by: American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics

Amount: \$2000-\$2500

Contact Phone: 703.264.7500

Website: <https://www.aiaa.org/Scholarships/?terms=scholarship>

Requirements: Letter of recommendation. Undergraduate and graduate students with a 3.3 College GPA on 4.0 scale. Full time student. Member of AIAA.

Deadline: Unsure, but starts back October 2015

Business and Finance

Native American Finance Officers Association Scholarship

Given by: Native American Finance Officers Association

Amount: varies

Contact Phone: 202.631.2003

Website: <http://www.nafoa.org/education/nafoa-scholarship-program>

Requirements: Must provide proof of tribal enrollment. Must be enrolled as full-time at an accredited institution in the United States. Must have already declared their major in one of the following areas: Accounting, Business Administration, Economics or Finance. Must have a cumulative 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale. After notification of an award, students must provide an electronic photograph to include in NAFOA materials and on our website.

Deadline: N/A

American Institute of Certified Public Accountants Scholarship

Given by: American Institute of Certified Public Accountants

Amount: varies

Contact Phone: 212.443.1513 / +1.202.737.6600

Website: <http://www.aicpa.org/BECOMEACPA/SCHOLARSHIPS/Pages/default.aspx>

Requirements: Accounting students. See website for scholarship options.

Deadline: Varies

National Society of Accountants Scholarship Foundation

Given by: NSA Scholarship Foundation

Amount: \$500-\$2200

Contact Phone: 855.670.4787

Website: <http://www.nsacct.org/about/nsa-scholarship-foundation>

Requirements: Undergraduate part or full-time accounting students at a 2 year (may apply after 1st semester grades or during 2nd year transfer to 4 year institution) or 4 year college or university (may apply for 2nd, 3rd, or 4th year) in the U.S. Minimum 3.0 GPA. US or Canadian citizens attending a US accredited school.

Deadline: March 31

Discover Accounting – Overview to Several Accounting-Related Scholarships

Amount: \$500-\$35,000

Website: <http://discoveraccounting.org/scholarships>

Requirements: Varies by source

Deadline: Varies by source

Archaeology

SAA Arthur C. Parker Scholarship or NSF Scholarship for Archaeological Training

Given by: Society for American Archaeology

Amount: up to \$5000

Website: <http://tinyurl.com/lzanfk>

Requirements: To support archaeological training or a research program for Native American/Native Hawaiian high school seniors, college undergraduates, and graduate students who work in tribal or Native Hawaiian cultural preservation programs. students or employees of tribal cultural preservation programs.

Deadline: Dec. 16

Industrial

Robert E. Dougherty (Red) Educational Foundation

Given by: Robert E. Dougherty Educational Foundation

Amount: \$5000

Contact Phone: 703.724.1128

Website: <http://www.compositepanel.org/about-cpa/red-education-foundation.html>

Requirements: Full-time undergraduate or post-graduate for the spring. Must be enrolled in one of the following majors: Forestry/ Forest Products, Chemical Engineering, Natural Resources, Mechanical Engineering, Land Management, Industrial Engineering, Wood Science & Technology, Architecture, Pulp & Paper Science, Business, Environmental Science, Marketing, Chemistry or Political Science. Must be a citizen or permanent legal resident of the US, Canada, or Mexico. 3.0 GPA. Complete application packet. Email Gary Heroux gheroux@cpamail.org for more details.

Deadline: April 1

Social and Economic Justice

Davis-Putter Scholarship Fund

Given by: Davis-Putter Scholarship Fund

Amount: up to \$10000

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

Requirements: Transcripts, a personal statement, two letters of recommendation, a photograph, and financial aid reports. For graduate and undergraduate students working for social and economic justice. U.S. Citizen planning to enroll in an accredited school.

Deadline: April 1

Plumbing, Heating, Cooling

National Association of Plumbing, Heating, Cooling, Contractors Scholarship Program

Given by: Plumbing-Heating-Cooling Contractors Association

Amount: \$2500

Contact Phone: 800.533.7694

Website: <http://www.phccfoundation.org/Management/content.cfm?ItemNumber=10677>

Requirements: U.S. or Canada citizen currently enrolled or planning to enroll in program approved by PHCC or HVAC or are a full time undergraduate at an accredited 4-year college or university, full-time 2-year, technical, trade school, etc.. Majors approved: Business management, mechanical CAD design; construction management, plumbing, installation service & repair. High school and incoming freshmen enrolled in BA programs to study business administration, engineering or construction. Go to website for more details.

Deadline: May 1st

Biology

Cornell University/Arizona State University MTBI Summer Program

Given by: Arizona State University

Amount: \$4000 stipend for attending

Contact Phone: 480.965.2115

Website: <https://mtbi.asu.edu/SummerProgram>

Requirements: Undergraduate sophomore or higher. Majoring in math, biology or related fields. At least 1 year of calculus. It is an intensive eight-week summer research experience for undergraduates in Tempe, Arizona prepares promising young scientists interested in working at the interface of mathematics, statistics and the natural and social sciences for the rigors of graduate studies.

Deadline: January 31