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The Office of Special Scholarship Programs assists current undergraduate and professional school students with applying for awards, internships and other educational opportunities. If you find something on the listserv or through the website you wish to apply for, please contact OSSP, who will help you with the application process in all its steps. **312-355-2477** **SSP@UIC.EDU**

## Have you been applying to scholarships?

### Upcoming Scholarships and Opportunities Deadlines

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#### NEW LEADERSHIP ILLINOIS

Applicants must have rising junior or rising senior standing at the university level, or recent graduate status (winter 2016 or spring 2017 graduation date). State, private, and community college students may apply. Community college students must have completed sophomore year, and be applying to a four-year school for the 2016-2017 academic year. Applicants must attend a university in the state, and/or have Illinois residency. For questions about requirements, please contact [newl@uillinois.edu](mailto:newl@uillinois.edu).

[HTTP://IGPA.UILLINOIS.EDU/PAGE/NEW-LEADERSHIP-ILLINOIS#SECTION-1](http://igpa.uillinois.edu/page/new-leadership-illinois#section-1)

**Deadline: March 6, 2017**

#### ACADEMY NICHOLL FELLOWSHIPS IN SCREENWRITING

The Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences offers 5 Nicholl Fellowships in Screenwriting for promising new writers to write a feature-length screenplay. Fellows are expected to write at least one feature-length screenplay for the duration of the year the fellowship is offered.

<http://oscars.org/nicholl>

**Deadline: March 7, 2017**

#### STUDENT AMBASSADORS AT THE U.S. PAVILION AT EXPO 2017

In total, approximately 40 Student Ambassadors (undergraduate, graduate students or even recent graduates from spring 2015), will be selected from United States colleges, universities and other academic, educational or diplomatic programs. US citizens or US permanent residents currently participating in an international education or diplomacy-related program abroad are also eligible. Familiarity with Russian and/or Kazakh is required. Student Ambassadors will receive two Study Abroad credits (fully-paid) through Bryn Mawr College, free housing, a monthly stipend, round-trip airfare to and from their current place of residency, and a unique opportunity to represent the USA at this international event.



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<http://projects.international.wisc.edu/expo2017/>

**Deadline: March 15, 2017**

## EXPLORE THE WORLD TRAVEL SCHOLARSHIPS

The program is called Explore the World, and it's administered by the nonprofit organization, Hostelling International USA (HI USA). HI USA is committed to creating a more tolerant world, and these scholarships are for young travelers inspired to make the world a better place, but lack the financial means to go abroad. The scholarship is open to individuals, ages 18-30, who will engage in an educational or service learning component during their trip. Eligible candidates must also meet specific financial need requirements.

<https://www.hiusa.org/programs/travel-scholarships/explore-the-world>

**Deadline: March 15, 2017**

## THE RYBAK FIRM, PLLC

The lawyers at, The Rybak Firm, PLLC understand the value of a higher education. The ever rising costs of tuition and other expenses associated with college and obtaining a higher degree can place a tremendous financial strain on both students and their families. For this reason, the The Rybak Firm, PLLC is pleased to offer an existing or incoming college student a \$1,000 scholarship to meet their educational costs.

<http://getlegal.nyc/scholarship/>

**Deadline: March 15, 2017**

## DOTCOMSEO SCHOLARSHIP

The scholarship is open to students who are in college/entering college. To participate, we're asking for students to write a preliminary essay about the importance of a higher education, and how our scholarship will help and enable the student.

<HTTPS://WWW.DOTCOMSEOCOMPANY.COM/SCHOLARSHIP/>

**Deadline: March 15, 2017**

## GERMAN CHANCELLOR FELLOWSHIP

The German Chancellor Fellowship allows recent university graduates to spend one year conducting a project of their design with the host of their choice in Germany. The project can be in any field, but should be research-based and create a positive social impact. Benefits include full financial support, a language course, and a study tour culminating with meeting Chancellor Angela Merkel.

<https://www.humboldt-foundation.de/web/german-chancellor-fellowship.html>

**Deadline: March 15, 2017**

## CONSUMER ESSENTIALS SCHOLARSHIP

We understand the importance of a solid online marketing strategy, we appreciate the time and energy it takes to learn the ins and outs of marketing and how vital it is to have experience in the online marketing field in order to develop a career or launch a business. We want to help give back, by providing one individual who shows initiative, passion and charisma a \$1,000 award to help fund their



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further education into the Online marketing industry. We are also willing to help support the individual in choosing which particular sector of Online marketing they want to specialize in.

<http://www.consumeressentials.com/Scholarship/>

**Deadline: March 31, 2017**

## DOLMAN LAW'S BI-ANNUAL \$1,100 SCHOLARSHIP CONTEST

The Clearwater auto accident attorneys at the Dolman Law Group understand the value of education. After all, all of our attorneys have earned an undergraduate degree and successfully completed a rigorous juris doctorate program during law school. We also understand that college can place a tremendous financial strain on both students and their families. As a result, we are offering a \$1,100 BI-ANNUAL scholarship to a current or prospective college student. The scholarship will be awarded to the winner of our video essay contest.

<HTTPS://WWW.DOLMANLAW.COM/SCHOLARSHIP/>

**March 31, 2017**

## TETHERBOX SCHOLARSHIP

The assignment for the TetherBox Creative Video Challenge College Scholarship is to make a a creative funny, heartwarming, or informational video for the opportunity to win \$1,000. Video length should be at least 1 minute but no longer than 4 minutes.

<http://www.tetherbox.com/scholarship>

**Deadline: March 31, 2017**

## BARBARA RHOMBERG NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

Five (5) \$1,000 scholarships to non-traditional nursing students (defined as a student who did not immediately continue their education after high school); must be enrolled in a full-time undergraduate nursing program.

<https://www.b4brands.com/br-nursing-scholarship/>

**Deadline: March 31, 2016**

## NAPERVILLE VETERANS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Current student at any nationally accredited and/or regionally accredited post-secondary school within the United States. We select one award winner each year based on his/her eligibility and essay response.

<HTTP://ORTHO.AURORAORTHOPERIO.COM/>

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## MICHAEL MOODY FITNESS SCHOLARSHIP

The Michael Moody Fitness Scholarship offers a college scholarship of \$1,500 to a high school senior, undergraduate, or graduate student who has demonstrated outstanding achievement, participation and leadership in school activities and work experience, and interest in pursuing a career in the health and fitness related fields. She or he may apply and use the money for education-related expenses, including tuition, fees, books, supplies, room, and board. The scholarship is sponsored by Michael Moody Fitness.

<http://www.michaelmoodyfitness.com/student-scholarship-chicago>

**Deadline: April 15, 2017**

## UNICO SCHOLARSHIP

UNICO was founded on October 10, 1922 in Waterbury, Connecticut. A group of 15 men, led by Dr. Anthony P. Vastola, came together to create what has become a very special and very proud organization. It was Dr. Vastola's dream to create an Italian American service organization to engage in charitable works, support higher education, and perform patriotic deeds.

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

**Deadline: April 15, 2017**

## BLESSONS SCHOLARSHIP

Each year, BLESSONS Scholarship for Women Awards provide educational assistance to disadvantaged, low-income women who are 25 years or older and who have suffered from cancer, mental illness, physical or emotional abuse, or who are immigrants or children of immigrants, who are U.S. citizens or permanent residents pursuing an undergraduate education at a regionally accredited college or university within the United States.

<https://www.lifeblessions.org/blessions-scholarships/#scholarships>

**Deadline: April 30, 2017**

## MC EWEN & KESTNER – MINNESOTA TRUCK ACCIDENT LAWYERS \$1,000 SCHOLARSHIP

The lawyers at McEwen & Kestner – Minnesota Truck Accident Lawyers, understand the value of a higher education. The ever rising costs of tuition and other expenses associated with college and obtaining a higher degree can place a tremendous financial strain on both students and their families. For this reason, the McEwen & Kestner – Minnesota Truck Accident Lawyers is pleased to offer an existing or incoming college student a \$1,000 scholarship to meet their educational costs. The winner of the scholarship will be determined through an essay contest.

<http://thetruckinglawyers.com/scholarship>

**Deadline: May 10, 2017**

## STEP ONE REHAB SCHOLARSHIP

These scholarship awards were established to provide financial assistance to college and graduate students pursuing careers in behavioral health and addiction-related studies. Students eligible for

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scholarships are those enrolled or will be enrolled in Nursing, Counseling, Psychology, Social Work, Marriage & Family Therapy, or other programs focusing on treating mental health and substance abuse issues.

<http://steponerehab.com/step-one-rehab-scholarship/>

**Deadline: May 31, 2017**

## THE GEAR4WHEELS AUTOMOTIVE SCHOLARSHIP

At Gear4wheels we strongly believe in education and betting on the future of the automotive industry. As car enthusiasts and technology geeks we want to invest in the generations that will design the cars, transportation and infrastructures of the future. We think one of the best ways to do that is helping students financially through a scholarship program. The Gear4Wheels Automotive Scholarship is open for undergraduate or graduate students from selected schools in the United States. This year's topic is "The future of transportation and its impact on world's economics"

<http://gear4wheels.com/scholarship/>

**Deadline: May 31, 2017**

## MCEWEN & KESTNER – MINNESOTA \$1,000 SCHOLARSHIP

The lawyers at McEwen & Kestner – Minnesota Personal Injury Law Firm, understand the value of a higher education. The ever rising costs of tuition and other expenses associated with college and obtaining a higher degree can place a tremendous financial strain on both students and their families. For this reason, the McEwen & Kestner – Minnesota Personal Injury Law Firm is pleased to offer an existing or incoming college student a \$1,000 scholarship to meet their educational costs.

<HTTP://WWW.MINNESOTAINJURY.COM/SCHOLARSHIP/>

**Deadline: June 13, 2017**

## TRUST COMPASS ANNUAL STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP

The Trust Compass aims to be your most complete resource for reviews on health, tech and the great outdoors. We are readying our annual \$3000 The Trust Compass scholarship program for 2017! It's open to anyone who has a creative slant of mind and has something innovative to contribute to us through their ability to write compelling content.

<http://www.thetrustcompass.com/scholarship/>

**Deadline: June 25, 2017**

## SENIORADVICE.COM SENIOR CAREGIVER SCHOLARSHIP

We are offering a \$1000 scholarship to an eligible student who has been a caregiver for an adult relative. One student, who will be attending college or university in the Fall of 2017, will receive \$1000 for tuition and/or books.

<https://www.senioradvice.com/senior-caregiver-scholarship-fall-2017>

**Deadline: July 15, 2017**

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## AALL IN LIMO & PARTY BUS 2017 SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Aall In Limo & Party Bus is thrilled to announce its 2017 scholarship program that will reward one lucky college student with a \$2000 scholarship. At Aall In Limo & Party Bus we understand how difficult it is to pay for school nowadays so, we came up with this unique opportunity! The \$2000 scholarship will be awarded to a (graduate, undergraduate or high school) student who will successfully write an essay regarding the following topic: Why you shouldn't drink and drive?

<https://www.aallinlimo.com/scholarship/>

**Deadline: July 31, 2017**

## MP SCHOLARSHIP TO LOCAL STUDENTS FOR COLLEGE

When you consider travel, tuition, housing, food, books and supplies, the cost of going to college and/or graduate school can be astronomical, amounting to tens of thousands of dollars or more. To help make things easier, we are thrilled to offer a one-time \$1,500 - £1,500 scholarship opportunity to students currently attending or planning on enrolling in an accredited U.S. or UK college, university or graduate program in the near future. There will be one winner each year.

<https://www.mallorca-properties.co.uk/blog/en/details/scholarship-opportunity-for-college-students/>

**Deadline: October 15, 2017**

## GARAGE GYM PLANNER'S \$3000 SCHOLARSHIP

Garage Gym Planner is awarding a scholarship of \$3000 to deserving candidates which will help them cover the academic costs for the future. Garage Gym Planner has its focus on helping people improve their lifestyle without needlessly spending money on overpriced/faulty equipment. Here are some examples of our work: Best Rowing Machine Reviews 2017, Best Treadmill Reviews 2017, Best Pull Up Bar Reviews 2017, Best Weider Home Gym 2017, Best Weightlifting Shoe Reviews 2017, Best Gym Mirrors 2017. Words are a powerful medium and we understand that they are more important than ever when you consider good and effective content is what separates our website from the rest of our competitors. Students who are currently engaged with any course are free to apply. All you need to have is a flair for writing with insights into different fitness regimens.

<http://garagegymplanner.com/scholarship/>

**Deadline: November 10, 2017**

## LAW OFFICE OF KENNETH P. CARP SCHOLARSHIP

As an attorney, St. Louis lawyer Kenneth P. Carp understands the value of a higher education. The ever rising costs of tuition and other expenses associated with college and obtaining a higher degree can place a tremendous financial strain on students and their families. For this reason, the Law Offices of Kenneth P. Carp is pleased to offer an existing or incoming college student a \$1,000 scholarship to meet their educational costs. The winner of the scholarship will be determined through an essay contest.

<http://www.kcarplaw.com/scholarship/>

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**Deadline: December 31, 2017**

## ANDROIDROOTING ORG SCHOLARSHIP

You are eligible if you are currently pursuing a graduate or undergraduate program in any University or College. The impact of technology on humanity is the salient point here. We have been hearing about the advent of AI and automation and also the advances in medical field. How do you think will it affect us as humans?

<http://www.androidrooting.org/scholarship/>

**Deadline: July 31, 2017**

## LUCKY PATCHER SCHOLARSHIP

Lucky Patcher is excited to announce its third scholarship for the deserving students, worth \$2,500. We have served over 9 million users across the globe with our apps. We strongly believe that education is the foundation for achieving great things with hard work and firm determination. We've given away two successful scholarships and this is our third scholarship. We encourage all students to think creatively and become the best versions of you.

<http://www.lucky-patcher.co/scholarships/>

**Deadline: August 15, 2017**

## LOGISTICS LEARNING ALLIANCE SCHOLARSHIP

Logistics Learning Alliance offers a range of Professional Skills Development programs for groups and individuals working in the Supply Chain sector and logistics functions. As strong advocates for higher education, we are proud to give back to ambitious students through the Logistics Learning Alliance Scholarship. This annual scholarship is awarded to one student based on merit.

<HTTP://WWW.LOGISTICSLEARNINGALLIANCE.COM/SCHOLARSHIP>

**Deadline: September 15, 2017**

## CHANCELLOR'S UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH AWARD

The fall application cycle for 2016-2017 Chancellor's Undergraduate Research Award (CURA) program is now open. CURA is a Federal Work Study (FWS) employment arrangement administered by the Office of Undergraduate Research in the Office of the Vice Provost for Undergraduate Affairs. We foster undergraduate involvement in research and scholarly and creative endeavors across the entire campus. Thanks to the support of university leadership, last year CURA funded over 100 student-faculty collaborations at no cost to faculty or their departments.

<HTTP://URE.UIC.EDU/FACFWS.PHP#APPLY>

**Deadline: Rolling**

## DAAD GERMAN STUDIES RESEARCH GRANT

This specialized DAAD program once again offers German Studies Research Grants to highly-qualified undergraduate, graduate and PhD students at American and Canadian universities who are nominated

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by their department/program chairs. The grant may be used for short-term research (i.e., 1-2 months) in Germany. If you are interested in applying, contact Dr. Loentz in the Germanic Studies Department.

<https://www.daad.de/deutschland/stipendium/en/>

**Deadline: Rolling**

## More Scholarships and Opportunities

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Please Visit UICSNAP:

[https://uic.academicworks.com/users/sign\\_in](https://uic.academicworks.com/users/sign_in)

<https://studyabroad.state.gov/>

<https://studyabroad.uic.edu/scholarships/>

[https://uofi.uic.edu/emailer/files/113361/student\\_opportunities\\_nov-jan.pdf](https://uofi.uic.edu/emailer/files/113361/student_opportunities_nov-jan.pdf)

The Office of Special Scholarship Programs assists UIC students with finding and applying for scholarships. Students seeking general information about how to search for scholarships can attend one of the general sessions offered in UH 808.