



Scholarship Opportunities Fall 2016

Contact the organization or campus department for the most up-to-date scholarship information.

(More scholarship opportunities at <http://www.sfsu.edu/~finaid/scholarships>)

Diana T.Y Chung Memorial Scholarships for International Students

- ◆ **Eligibility Requirements:** Awarded to full-time international students who demonstrate financial need, academic achievement and international goodwill. GPA: 3.25 min. undergraduate, 3.5 min. graduate. Must be in F-1 or J-1 status.
- ◆ **Deadline:** September 30, 2016
- ◆ **Amount:** \$1,000
- ◆ **Contact Information:** <http://oip.sfsu.edu/financialassistance> or jward@sfsu.edu or (415) 338-1121
- ◆ **Class Level:** HS Seniors/Undergrad/Grad/PhD
- ◆ **Major:** Any
- ◆ **Citizenship:** International

Asian Women in Business Scholarship Fund

- ◆ **Eligibility Requirements:** Awarded to female students of Asian/Pacific Islander ancestry who demonstrate a commitment to scholarship, leadership, community service, and/or entrepreneurship. GPA: 3.0 min.
- ◆ **Deadline:** October 01, 2016
- ◆ **Amount:** \$2,500
- ◆ **Contact Information:** scholarship@awib.org or <http://www.awib.org/> or (212) 868-1368
- ◆ **Class Level:** Undergrad
- ◆ **Major:** Any
- ◆ **Citizenship:** US Citizen/Permanent Res

Continue the Dream for Academic Excellence Scholarship

- ◆ **Eligibility Requirements:** Undocumented students (AB540 and otherwise) who demonstrate a serious commitment to helping others and/or promoting higher education. Preference given to those with higher financial need.
- ◆ **Deadline:** October 28, 2016
- ◆ **Amount:** Varies
- ◆ **Contact Information:** marioflores@asi.sfsu.edu or (415) 405-4177
- ◆ **Class Level:** Undergrad/Grad
- ◆ **Major:** Any
- ◆ **Citizenship:** US Citizen/Perm Res/International NOT eligible to apply

Soroptimist Live Your Dream Awards

- ◆ **Eligibility Requirements:** Awarded to female students who provide the primary source of financial support for their families. Must demonstrate financial need and reside in a country/territory of Soroptimist International of the Americas.
- ◆ **Deadline:** November 15, 2016
- ◆ **Amount:** \$3,000-\$10,000
- ◆ **Contact Information:** siahq@soroptimist.org or (215)893-9000 or <http://www.soroptimist.org/awards/live-your-dream-awards.html>
- ◆ **Class Level:** Undergrad
- ◆ **Major:** Any
- ◆ **Citizenship:** Any

Applegate-Jackson-Parks Future Teacher Scholarship

- ◆ **Eligibility Requirements:** Awarded to an education student who best exemplifies the dedication to principle and high professional standards. *See website for full list of criteria. Essay and recent transcripts required.
- ◆ **Deadline:** December 31, 2016
- ◆ **Amount:** \$1,000
- ◆ **Contact Information:** (703) 321-9606 or <http://www.nilrr.org/resources/scholarship-application/>
- ◆ **Class Level:** Undergrad/Grad
- ◆ **Major:** Education
- ◆ **Citizenship:** Any

Associated Students Inc. Scholarship

- ◆ **Eligibility Requirements:** 15 different categories *see website for full list and reqs. Part time min enrollment at SFSU or enrolled at least half-time at another college or high school senior at the time of application.
- ◆ **Deadline:** mid-February
- ◆ **Amount:** \$1,000
- ◆ **Contact Information:** scholarships@asi.sfsu.edu or (415)405-4048
- ◆ **Class Level:** HS Seniors/Undergrad/Grad/PhD
- ◆ **Major:** Varies
- ◆ **Citizenship:** Any

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION HANDOUT – 2016

Contact Information: **San Francisco State University (SF State)**
Office of Student Financial Aid (OSFA)
Student Services Bldg., One Stop
415-338-7000
faschol@sfsu.edu (email us with specific questions)

When to apply?

- Searching and applying for scholarships at SF State is a self-help process. Check our scholarship website for resources to assist you in their search for scholarship opportunities.
- Typically, the spring semester is the most opportune time to begin searching and applying for scholarships for the next academic year. Deadlines are usually from January to July.
- Some organizations/SF State departments may have application deadlines that vary.

Where to find Scholarships and scholarship tips

1. **SF State OSFA scholarship web site**, www.sfsu.edu/~finaid/scholarships, click:
 - **“AcademicWorks Campus & External Scholarship Search”**, conduct a keyword search by
 - **“Campus Scholarship search”, keyword** (e.g., veterans, AB540, disability, community service, community involvement, etc.) **or**
 - **Major or college** (e.g., enter your major into the keyword box and click search for a list of scholarships or Science and Engineering, Liberal & Creative Arts, Health and Social Sciences, Business, Graduate College of Education, Ethnic Studies)
 - **Enrollment status** (e.g., entering or continuing)
 - **Scholarship name**
 - **Sign in first and then click the “Show Filters” button** for another searchable field:
Scopes (scholarships grouped by department or office).
 - **“External Scholarship Search”, keyword** search by specific keyword, **major, ethnicity** (e.g., Asian, Hispanic, Jewish, African American, etc.), **county you live in** (e.g., San Francisco county, San Mateo county, etc.), **scholarship name, or enrollment status.**
 - Scholarship and Essay
 - Letters of recommendation
 - Thank you letters
 - Avoiding scams
 - Scholarship and Taxes
 - Scholarship information for international students
2. **SCHOLARSHIP BULLETIN BOARD & RACK** is located in the Student Services Building One Stop Center and has general scholarship announcements. Scholarship rack has a variety of scholarship lists for SF State students.
3. **SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES LIST** is a list of scholarship opportunities with fairly broad eligibility criteria. This list is available at the beginning of each semester in the financial aid office or in the racks next to the scholarship bulletin board.
4. **FINANCIAL AID AND SCHOLARSHIP BROCHURE** lists some scholarship resources, scholarships, and scholarship tips.
5. **FELLOWSHIPS OFFICE**
The Fellowships Office advises students interested in applying for nationally competitive fellowships and CSU system-wide fellowships. Please visit, <http://fellowships.sfsu.edu/> for more information and contact information.

Does the scholarship I receive affect my financial aid awards?

Per Federal and State regulations, all financial aid recipients who are awarded scholarships are required to report other resources to the financial aid office. Scholarship awards must be coordinated with the student's financial aid package.