

The Green Sheet

Notice of College Funding Opportunities from the Post-High School Counseling Office December 2017

Additional details about these and other scholarships are available in the Naviance system

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Abbott & Fenner Business Consultants offer a scholarship of up to \$1,000 each year to the winner of their essay contest question: “Describe your educational career and life goals. Explain your plan for achieving these goals. Include your degree/major, why you selected it, and how this degree/major will help you achieve your goals.” Full details are available at <http://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.htm>. This is available to all high school juniors and seniors. Application deadline is June 14, 2018.

The Alzheimer’s Association of America offers the \$5,000 *AFA Teens for Alzheimer’s Awareness Scholarship* to a student with personal experience with the disease. Applications must be submitted online at www.afateens.org or mailed by February 15, 2018.

The American Meteorological Society offers a \$5,000 *Freshman Undergraduate Scholarship* to encourage students to study in the atmospheric and related sciences. The recipients will receive \$2,500 in freshman and sophomore years. Information is available online at: www.ametsoc.org. The deadline to apply is February 2, 2018.

Animation Career Review offers a \$1,000 scholarship to a student interested in pursuing a degree in an animation related field. Information and application materials are available online <http://www.animationcareerreview.com/>. The deadline to apply is June 1, 2018.

Asian and Pacific Islander Americans is a non-profit organization that offers scholarships to students of Asian and/or Pacific Islander heritage. Students must be a U.S. citizen, U.S. National, legal permanent resident or a citizen of the Federated States of Micronesia, Republic of the Marshall Islands or the Republic of Palau. Recipients must be enrolling as an undergraduate student in a U.S. accredited college or university in the fall of 2018. Minimum cumulative GPA of 2.7 out of 4.0 or a GED. For more information visit the website at www.apiasf.org. The application deadline is January 11, 2018.

ATT Illinois Internet Scholarship offers \$1,000 to a student attending an Illinois college or university who submits the winning entry. **Current Question:** *Question: Create an infographic that depicts how the growth around the Internet of Things (IoT) and smart devices are creating smart cities and what efficiencies have come from it. Your infographic should be original, factual, engaging and fun.* Students must apply online at www.attsavings.com/scholarship/il. The deadline to apply is June 15, 2018.

AXA Achievement Scholarship Program offers college scholarships to high school seniors who have demonstrated outstanding achievement in their activities in school, the community or the workplace. Fifty-two state winners (including Washington, D.C. and Puerto Rico) will have the opportunity to receive a \$2,500, \$10,000 or \$25,000 scholarship. In addition, for every student who wins a scholarship, a grant in the amount of \$1,000 will be made to the winner's school. Applicants must be U.S. citizens or legal residents and high school seniors who plan to enroll full-time in an accredited two- or four-year college by fall 2017. Information is available online at www.axa-achievement.com. The 2018 program will be accepting applications from September 5, 2017 until 10,000 applications are submitted or December 15, 2017, whichever comes first. Your application MUST be one of the first 10,000 submitted electronically by the deadline date. *Apply early!*

The BigSun Organization is offering a scholarship to a student athlete regardless of the sport they participate in. Apply online at www.bigsunathletics.com. The deadline is June 19, 2018.

Burger King McLamore Foundation Burger King Scholars Program offers scholarships ranging from \$1,000 to \$50,000 to qualified seniors. Seniors must have earned a grade point average of 2.5 or higher to apply for consideration. Applicants from the larger pool will be selected to compete for the larger awards. Potential candidates must demonstrate financial need and plan to enroll in an accredited two/four-year college, university, or technical school by next fall. Applications are available online at: <https://www.scholarsapply.org/burgerkingscholars/information.php>. Applications will be accepted until December 15, 2017.

The Chicago Wolves Hockey Team has created the *Tim Breslin Memorial Scholarship* for an eligible junior high or high school student. Selection will be based primarily on a 500-word essay describing a hardship that the applicant had to overcome and how this affected their life. The award will pay \$7,500 towards one semester at any college or university across the country. Applications are available online through the community relations page at: <http://www.chicagowolves.com/community/scholarships-rewards/tim-breslin-scholarship-and-awards/>. The deadline for applications is March 2, 2018.

Church Hill Classics offers five \$1,000 *Frame Your Future Scholarships* to high school seniors selected based on their online submission outlining what they want to achieve in their personal and professional life after college. Additional information may be found online at: <https://www.diplomaframe.com/contests.aspx>. The deadline for submitting entries is March 1, 2018.

Do Something.Org offers a variety of scholarships to students ranging in value from \$1,000 to \$5,000. Visit the website at www.dosomething.org/scholarships for more information. Deadlines vary depending on the scholarship.

The GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program provides scholarships to college-bound students who demonstrate exemplary leadership, drive, integrity, and citizenship. The \$10,000 awards are renewable. Applicants must be nominated by a community leader, have a minimum 3.0 GPA, and demonstrate financial need. Information is available on the website: <http://www.reaganfoundation.org/scholarships>. The deadline to apply is January 4, 2018.

The Gen and Kelly Tanabe Scholarship is a \$1,000 merit-based award. Applicants are evaluated by an independent panel of judges. Winners are selected based primarily on the quality of the submitted personal statement. Information and application materials are available online at www.genkellyscholarship.com/about.html. The deadline for the fall competition is December 31, 2017.

Illinois Amvets offers the following scholarships: *Sad Sacks Nursing Scholarship, Junior ROTC Scholarship, Trade School Scholarship, Ladies Auxiliary Memorial Scholarship, and the Ladies Auxiliary Worchid Scholarship*. Scholarship qualifications and award amounts vary. Additional information and application materials are available online at www.ilamvets.org. Deadline for applying is March 1, 2018.

Illinois Conservation Foundation offers up to three, one-time \$2,000 *Conservation Achievement Scholarships* to high school seniors who have demonstrated effective, voluntary, long-term dedication to the preservation, protection, enhancement and/or promotion of Illinois' natural resources. Additional information is available on the website <http://www.ilcf.org/>. Applications must be received by January 15, 2018.

Illinois Society of Professional Engineers offers two \$1,000 scholarships to any high school senior in north suburban Cook County who will be entering an accredited engineering school in 2018. Additional information and application materials are available online at www.nsc-ilspe.org. Applications must be received by March 1, 2018.

John F. Kennedy Profile in Courage Essay Contest invites high school students to submit an original 1,000 word essay on the political courage of a U.S. elected official. The first place winner will receive \$10,000, second place \$1,000 and up to five \$500 finalists. Applicants must also be nominated by a teacher. Information is available online at www.jfklibrary.org. Essays must be submitted by January 4, 2018.

Korean Spirit and Culture Promotion Project is holding its eleventh national essay contest for Middle & High School students. Applicants are required to read "Chung Hyo Ye" and answer an essay topic question. Award amounts range from \$50 - \$500. A copy of book is available for free online at www.kscpp.net or you can request a hard copy. The submission deadline is January 15, 2018.

The National Co-Op Scholarship Program is available for students planning to attend one of the WACE Partner College and Universities. These include: Clarkson U., State U. of New York Oswego, U. of Massachusetts Lowell, Drexel U., Wentworth Inst. of Tech., Rochester Inst. of Tech., U. of Cincinnati, Merrimack College and U. of Toledo. Information and application are available at www.co-op.edu. Application deadline is February 15, 2018.

The National Commission for Cooperative Education Scholarship Program is available for students planning to attend one of the NCCE Partner College and Universities. These include: Clarkson U., State U. of New York Oswego, U. of Massachusetts Lowell, Drexel U., Wentworth Inst. of Tech., Rochester Inst. of Tech., Merrimack College, U. of Cincinnati, and U. of Toledo. Information and applications are available at <http://www.waceinc.org/scholarship/index.html>. Application must be postmarked by February 15, 2018.

The National Foundation of Independent Business NFIB offers the *Young Entrepreneur Awards* to graduating seniors entering their freshman year at an accredited (not for profit) two- or four-year university, college or vocational/technical institute. Applicants MUST be running their own small business in order to be considered for an award. Additional information and application materials may be found online at <http://www.nfib.com/foundations/yef/>. The deadline to apply is December 18, 2017.

National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) offers a variety of scholarships to citizens of the United States who plan to attend an accredited college or university in the U.S. All applications must be postmarked by February 10, 2018. Information is available at <https://www.dar.org/national-society/scholarships>.

The North Suburban Special Education District Foundation NSSSED offers the *Kinnett Scholarship* of up to \$1,000 for students who are *either* intending to pursue a degree in the area of Special Education, or Special Education students planning to further their education. In addition to submitting an essay students are required to submit: a list of student and community activities in which they have been involved, including service to children and/or families with disabilities; a list of awards or accomplishments; two letters of recommendation, one personal and one from a high school teacher or administrator; a transcript indicating academic achievement; and a FAFSA form. Applications are available online <https://sites.google.com/a/nsssed.org/foundation/collegeeducation>. The deadline to apply is April 6, 2018.

National World War II Museum Essay Contest asks high school students from across the country to address a specific topic in 1,000 words or less. High school students compete for first (\$1,000), second (\$750) and third (\$500) overall. Go to <http://nationalww2museum.org/essaycontests> for thematic guidelines, formatting requirements and submission instructions. The deadline for submissions via the website is 5:00 p.m. December 29, 2017. Only the first 500 properly formatted entries will be accepted.

The Patient Advocate Foundation offers \$3,000 scholarships to students who have been diagnosed with cancer or a critical/life threatening disease or illness. Information and applications are available online at <http://www.patientadvocate.org/help.php?p=69>. Applications must be returned by February 24, 2018.

The Pullman Foundation offers the *Pullman Scholars Award* to award scholarships to undergraduate students who are motivated to succeed academically, have strong professional goals, and strive to be leaders in their communities, but who may not have sufficient resources to meet the financial commitment that often accompanies attending college. More information is available online at: <https://www.pullmanfoundation.org/apply/>. The deadline to apply is February 2, 2018.

The Ron Brown Scholar Program seeks to identify African-American high school seniors who will make significant contributions to society. Applicants must excel academically, exhibit exceptional leadership potential, participate in community service activities and demonstrate financial need. The applicant must be a US citizen or hold a permanent resident visa card. Financial assistance includes \$10,000/year for four years. Applications are available online at www.ronbrown.org. Applications received by November 1, 2017, will be considered for Ron Brown Scholar Program AND forwarded to selected additional scholarship providers. Applications received by January 9, 2018, will be considered for Ron Brown Scholar Program only.

Ronald McDonald House Charities offers several scholarships to students from communities who face limited access to educational and career opportunities. The *African American Future Achievers* and the *Hacer* program for students of Hispanic heritage provide recipients with \$1,000 toward the cost of their college education. The *Hacer* program also awards one national scholarship worth \$25,000. Students of Asian heritage may apply for the *RMHC/Asia* scholarship. The *RMHC* scholarship is for students regardless of their ethnic background. Additional information and applications are available online at www.rmhc.org. The deadline for applying is January 18, 2018.

Scholarships for Gay Youth are available from a number of organizations. Information about these opportunities can be obtained from the following website: www.finaid.org/otheraid/gay.phtml.

The Washington Crossing Foundation offers students interested in a career in government service scholarships ranging from \$500 - \$5,000. Interested students must submit a one-page essay stating why they plan a career in government service including any inspiration to be derived from the leadership of George Washington in his famous crossing of the Delaware. Students must confine the essay to viewpoint, attitude and purpose in choice of career. Additional information and application materials are available online at www.gwcf.org. Applications must be postmarked by January 15, 2018.

SCHOOL SPECIFIC

Babson College offers the *Weissman Scholarship* to students with excellent academic records, leadership distinction, and strength of vision for career goals. The full-tuition, room and board scholarship is renewable with a 3.3 cumulative GPA. Additional information and application materials are available online at www.weissmanscholars.org. Application materials are due February 1, 2018.

Ball State University offers a variety of scholarships to freshmen Journalism majors. Information is available online at: <http://cms.bsu.edu/academics/collegesanddepartments/journalism/undergraduateprograms/opportunities/scholarships/freshmanscholarships>. Applications must be postmarked by December 1, 2017.

Case Western Reserve University offers *Theatre Scholarships* to incoming freshmen. A small number of full-tuition scholarships will be awarded based on auditions and portfolio submissions. Details are available online at <http://theater.case.edu/academic-programs/undergraduate-scholarships/>

Colby College offers the *Ralph J. Bunche Scholars Program* for outstanding students of color (African American, Latino/Latina, Asian American, and Native American) in honor of Nobel Prize winner and civil rights activist Ralph Bunche. The program recognizes students with demonstrated scholastic strength and leadership potential. Student involvement in school and community activities is considered. For more information visit the website <http://www.colby.edu/diversity/>.

Colorado College offers the *Otis A. and Margaret T. Barnes Scholarship in Chemistry* and the *Margaret T. Barnes Scholarship in the Natural Sciences and Mathematics*. These are two separate full-tuition scholarship programs, the first to be used for awards in chemistry (including biochemistry), and the second for awards in biology, environmental science, geology, mathematics, physics, and psychology (including neuro-science). Scholarships are awarded primarily for academic merit, though financial need and non-academic talents are considered. These scholarships are mutually exclusive. Students may apply for only one. The scholarships are renewable as long as the student makes satisfactory progress. Additional information can be found online at <https://www.coloradocollege.edu/admission/financialaid/scholarships/>.

Eastern Illinois University Department of Mathematics & Computer Science offers incoming freshmen the opportunity to apply for a scholarship. Applications are available online <http://www.eiu.edu/math/scholarships.php>. The deadline to apply is February 3, 2018.

Eureka College offers the *Ronald W. Reagan Leadership Program* to six outstanding incoming freshmen. Reagan Fellows receive full-tuition for four years, mentorship experiences with prominent leaders in diverse industries worldwide, and exclusive paid travel opportunities to global destinations. Information is available at: <http://www.eureka.edu/reagan/reagan-leadership-program/>. The deadline to apply is January 10, 2018, but it is recommended to apply as soon as possible.

Gonzaga University offers a variety of merit based scholarships including the \$20,000/year *Trustee* and the *Ignatian Leaders Scholarship* worth an additional \$6,000/year. Students interested in the *Ignatian Leaders Scholarship* need to submit additional application materials which are available on request by emailing ilscholarship@gonzaga.edu or for more information visit: <http://www.gonzaga.edu/Admissions/Undergraduate-Admissions/Scholarships/ILS.asp>.

University of Illinois at Chicago College of Business Administration is a selective leadership development and scholarship program for our top performing, highly motivated undergraduates. All UIC Business applicants are considered once they have submitted the UIC Common Application. If they are a candidate, UIC will reach out for an interview. Information is available online at: <http://business.uic.edu/undergraduate-programs/uic-business-scholars>. Priority deadline is November 1, 2017 and the final deadline is January 15, 2018.

The University of Illinois University YMCA offers the \$3,000 *Fred S. Bailey Scholarship* to students who demonstrate a commitment to community engagement, service, leadership, and academics. Additional information and the application may be accessed online at: <http://www.universityymca.org/bailey/>. The deadline to apply is February 18, 2018.

The University of Illinois Children of Veterans Tuition Waiver is a four-year in-state tuition waiver at the University of Illinois. The recipient may use his/her waiver at any of the U of I campuses. One award is available per conflict in each county, but the maximum number of awards per county is now three. The following are eligible conflicts for this award: World War II, the Korean Conflict, the Vietnam Conflict, the Siege of Beirut, the Grenada Conflict, the Southwest Asia Conflict, Operation Enduring Freedom, and Operation Iraqi Freedom. Specific information regarding the required service dates and medal eligibility is provided on the application itself. The application also outlines the selection criteria that will be used to determine award winners. The application and more information is available at: <http://osfa.illinois.edu/>. The priority deadline to apply is January 2, 2018.

Indiana University offers the Robert A. & Sandra S. Borns scholarship of up to \$40,000 (\$10,000 per year) for incoming freshman students committed to pursuing a Jewish Studies major. Students must have a high school GPA of 3.5 or above (out of a 4.0 scale) or equivalent and a record of academic and extracurricular accomplishment. Deadline for the application is January 17, 2018. For more information visit http://www.indiana.edu/~jsp/undergraduates/funding_freshmen.shtml.

University of Iowa offers scholarships each year to outstanding students based on financial need or merit or both. These scholarships are competitive and some are renewable. Information is available at <http://admissions.uiowa.edu/finances/scholarships-first-year-students>. Applications for the Presidential Scholarship are due November 28, 2017.

University of Iowa Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering has hundreds of scholarships that provide financial support for admitted and enrolled undergraduate engineering students. Scholarships may be based upon merit and/or financial need ranging in award amounts. Information is available online at <http://www.engineering.uiowa.edu/ece/electrical-computer-engineering-scholarships>.

Ithaca College also offers the *Park Scholar Program* to students majoring in cinema and photography; television-radio; journalism; integrated marketing communications; Film, Photography, and Visual Arts; or communication management and design. At least ten merit-based scholarships covering full tuition and room and board are awarded to outstanding high school seniors. Potential candidates must apply to Ithaca by January 2, 2018. Park Scholar Program applications must be submitted by January 15, 2018. Information and applications are available online at <http://www.ithaca.edu/parkscholars>.

James Madison University offers the *Madison Achievement Scholarships* totaling \$4,000 - \$10,000 annually. This scholarship requires a JMU Early Action or Regular Decision application. No additional application is required for this scholarship. More information can be found online at: <https://www.jmu.edu/admissions/apply/dates-and-deadlines.shtml>. Regular decision applications must be postmarked no later than January 15, 2018.

University of Michigan School of Engineering offers the *Geisinger Scholarship* to outstanding out-of-state students based on academic achievement, activities, awards, and community service. This is a \$20,000 renewable award. Students must be admitted to the College of Engineering. Information and application materials are available online at <http://scholarships.engin.umich.edu/new-students/#joseph-geisinger>. The deadline to apply is January 17, 2018.

University of Michigan College of Engineering and College of Literature, Science and the Arts offer the \$20,000 *Gloria Wille Bell and Carlos R. Bell Scholarship Program* to students who have been admitted to the Univ. of Mich. pursuing an undergraduate degree in engineering, mathematics, physics, computer science or another related scientific field. This renewable scholarship is available only to students that meet certain geographic criteria, one of which is graduation from New Trier. Information is available online at www.bellscholarship.org. The deadline to apply is February 1, 2018.

University of Minnesota-Twin Cities offers opportunities for non-resident freshmen. The *Gold National Scholarship* covers the full out-of-state tuition premium for four years. The *National Excellence Scholarship* covers half of the out-of-state tuition premium for four years. Priority consideration for these programs is given to admission applications received by December 15, 2017. No additional scholarship application is required. For further information visit the website at:
http://admissions.tc.umn.edu/costsaid/schol_campus.html.

University of Missouri – College of Business offers three scholarship opportunities to qualified students: *Robert J. Trulaske, Sr. Scholarship*, *Sam M. Walton Scholarship*, and the *Ponder Minority Scholarship*. Qualification requirements and applications are available online at <http://www.business.missouri.edu/1656/default.aspx>. Deadline for receipt of materials is January 15, 2018.

University of Missouri, Columbia offers the *George C. Brooks Scholarship* to academically talented undergraduate students from ethnic backgrounds under-represented on MU's campus. This is a \$7,500 renewable gift award plus a non-resident tuition waiver (worth approximately \$7,500). Potential candidates must submit completed applications and an additional essay by December 15, 2017. Information is available on the website <http://financialaid.missouri.edu/types-of-aid/scholarships/scholarships/brooks-scholarship/index.php>

Mount St. Mary's College in Los Angeles offers incoming freshmen several different merit scholarships worth up to \$18,000 per year based on GPA and test scores. Information is available on the website: <https://www.msmu.edu/academics/financial-aid/prospective-students/traditional-undergraduate/types-of-aid.aspx>.

Northeastern Illinois University offers the *Presidential Scholarship* to outstanding incoming freshmen. The scholarship is valued at over \$50,000 during the course of four academic years, and covers full in-state tuition, fees, and provides a book allowance. Application materials are available online <http://www.neiu.edu/financial-aid/scholarship-opportunities>. The application deadline is February 15, 2018.

Oakton Community College offers a scholarship for fall 2017 semester. Selection is based on high school G.P.A. (minimum 2.0), ACT score, personal statement and financial need. You must apply to for admission before submitting the scholarship application that is found at:
http://www.oakton.edu/admission/costs_financial_aid/financial_aid/types_aid/scholarships/foundation_scholarships/scholarship_app/index.php. The deadline to apply for this scholarship is March 1, 2018.

The Ohio State University offers a variety of merit-based scholarships. The *Eminence Fellows Program and Scholarship* is the only one that requires a separate application. Information is available online at www.meritawards.osu.edu. Applicants must apply to the university by November 1. The application for the *Eminence Fellows* program is due January 15, 2018.

Otterbein University offers merit scholarships to students with demonstrated scholarship and leadership based on their general application. Scholarships include: *Presidential Scholar Award \$16,000, Provost \$12,000, Alumni Scholar Award \$5,000*, etc. Additional information is available online at:

<http://www.otterbein.edu/public/FutureStudents/FinancialAidAndScholarships/Scholarships.aspx> Students applying to Otterbein by December 15, 2017 will receive priority consideration.

The Penn State Millennium Scholars program is a highly selective opportunity open to academically strong high school seniors whose future plans include a commitment to pursuing a doctoral degree in science or engineering, and who are committed to increasing the diversity of researchers in science and engineering. This scholarship is open to students of all backgrounds, races, and ethnicities. Information is available online <http://millennium.psu.edu/>. Deadline is January 20, 2018.

Princeton University offers the *Princeton Prize in Race Relations* to "To promote harmony, understanding, and respect among people of different races by identifying and recognizing high school age students whose efforts have had a significant, positive effect on race relations in their schools or communities." Winners will receive \$1,000. Information and application materials are available online at <https://pprize.princeton.edu/>. The deadline to apply is January 31, 2018.

Randolph College offers exceptional students with a variety of scholarships which are awarded on the basis of academic achievement, leadership experience, and community involvement. Information is available online <http://web.randolphcollege.edu/financialaid/scholarships/>.

Roanoke College *Scholars Competition* was designed to recognize and reward students of superior academic and leadership ability. Students must apply and then visit campus to compete for award money. Information is available online www.roanoke.edu/scholars. The deadline to apply for the fall competition is October 16, 2017 for the fall competition and December 15, 2017 for the winter competitions.

Scripps College offers merit based scholarships to high achieving students with great potential. Information is available online at: <http://www.scrippscollege.edu/finaid/scholarships>.

Skidmore College offers the *Filene Music Scholarship* to three incoming freshmen based on musical excellence regardless of specialization. One additional scholarship is awarded based on the current ensemble needs. Applicants need not plan on majoring in music. Each scholarship is worth \$12,000 per year and is renewable for four years. Information is available online at: <http://www.skidmore.edu/filenescholarship>. The deadline to submit initial application materials is January 15, 2018.

Skidmore College offers the *Porter Presidential Scholarships in Mathematics and Science* (\$15,000/year for up to four years) to students who demonstrate exceptional promise for study in these areas. Porter scholars are not required to major in a scientific or mathematical discipline but must take a minimum number of courses in these areas throughout their four years. Applicants must respond to the science/mathematics essay question on the Skidmore Supplement to the Common Application by January 15, 2018. Additional information is available online at <https://www.skidmore.edu/financialaid/merit.php>.

Southern Methodist University offers the *Hunt Leadership Scholars* award to as many as 25 incoming students who demonstrate extraordinary leadership and rank in the top 25% of their class. Recipients will receive full SMU tuition and fees, less the amount of resident tuition and fees at the leading public school of the state the student resides in. More information is available at: www.smu.edu/hunt. The deadline for receiving scholarship materials is January 15, 2018.

St. Lawrence University offers the \$32,000 *Presidential Diversity Scholarship* to students of any race who have demonstrated commitment to and appreciation for racial and ethnic diversity as well as to students of color who have been leaders in their schools or communities. Additional information is available online at <http://www.stlawu.edu/admissions/presidential-diversity-scholarship>. The deadline to apply is February 1, 2018.

Stetson University will award one outstanding incoming freshman the *J. Ollie Edmunds Distinguished Scholarship*. This is a full-scholarship over four years. Students interested in being considered must have a 3.5 GPA, rank in the top 5% of their class, have a minimum of 30 on the ACT, or a combined Critical Reading and Math SAT of 1350. Information is available online <http://www.stetson.edu/edmunds>. Students must apply and be nominated by January 15, 2018.

School of Visual Arts offers the *Silas H. Rhodes* scholarship to students with outstanding creative and academic achievements. The partial-tuition scholarships are renewable for up to three years. Applicants must submit a slide portfolio with selections of their art work. Information is available online at <http://www.sva.edu/attend-sva/undergraduate/scholarships-for-new-students>. The deadline for submitting materials is February 1, 2018.

The University of Tampa Department of English and Writing offers annual scholarships up to \$6,000 to incoming freshmen based on GPA, ACT or SAT, demonstrated writing potential, desire to major in English, and the intention to join the staff of the UT publication. Applicants must submit writing samples and a brief autobiography. Information is available online at <http://www.ut.edu/detail.aspx?id=696>. The deadline to apply is March 1, 2018.

The University of Texas at Dallas offers the *Eugene McDermott Scholars Program* to promising students who have demonstrated records of high intellectual achievement, along with evidence of leadership skills, high ethics, and a commitment to full participation in the Program, with all of its privileges and responsibilities. The program covers the costs of four years of education and includes extracurricular activities, internships, travel, and cultural activities. Information is available online: <https://www.utdallas.edu/mcdermott>. The deadline to apply is January 3, 2018.

Vanderbilt University's signature merit scholarship program offers qualified students full-tuition awards, plus summer stipends for study abroad, research, or service projects. The *Cornelius Vanderbilt Scholarship* program recognizes outstanding academic achievement and strong leadership. The *Chancellor's Scholarship* program honors outstanding academic records coupled with a significant interest in issues of diversity education, tolerance, and social justice. The *Ingram Scholarship* program is awarded to students who have a commitment to community service. Scholarship applications for the Cornelius Vanderbilt and Chancellor's Scholarships must be postmarked by January 1, 2017. The Ingram Scholarship must be postmarked by January 1, 2018. Information is available online at www.vanderbilt.edu/scholarships.

Valparaiso University offers Foreign Language Scholarships for qualified incoming freshmen who declare a German major. The scholarships, renewable annually for a total of \$4,000, are also open to students who enroll in a second academic major. The deadline for applications is January 26, 2018. The online scholarship application is available at www.valpo.edu/foreign-languages-and-literatures/scholarships/first-year-students/.

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Virginia Military Institute provides \$5,000 *Institute Scholars* merit scholarships for cadets with exceptional academic talent and intellectual curiosity, outstanding character, a commitment to service, and extraordinary potential for leadership. Candidates for the Institute Scholars must have a minimum 1350 on the SAT or 31 ACT and a 3.7 GPA. Additional information is available online at: <http://www.vmi.edu/Content.aspx?id=10737418745>. The deadline for applying is February 1, 2018.

Viterbo University offers *Health Science Scholarships* to qualified candidates pursuing an undergraduate major that prepares them for health related professional programs. Applicants must have an ACT score of 24 or higher. Information and application materials are available online at <http://www.viterbo.edu/healthscience>. The deadline to apply is January 19, 2018.

Wesleyan University *Hamilton Prize for Creativity* is a four-year full-tuition scholarship to be awarded to an incoming student whose work of creative written expression is judged to best reflect the originality, artistry, and dynamism embodied in Broadway's *Hamilton*. Applicants must submit a single submission of an original work of creative written expression. Specific details and submission guidelines can be found at www.wesleyan.edu/hamiltonprize. Completed applications must be received on or before January 1, 2018.

University of Wyoming offers the *Rocky Mountain Scholars* to selected students based on their cumulative high school GPA (4.0 scale) and composite ACT/SAT score. The amount varies according to the individual scores/grades. Additional information is available online at: <http://www.uwyo.edu/admissions/scholarships/non-residents/rms.html>.

Whitman College offers the *Garrett Sherwood Scholarship* for leadership and community service. Awards range from \$2,500 to \$60,000 per year and are renewable. Information may be found online at www.whitman.edu/garrettsherwood.