

Nationally Competitive Scholarships and Fellowships For Undergraduates

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Undergraduate Tuition, Expenses, and Academic Recognition

1. American Meteorological Society Fellowship/Scholarship Program
 - a. Nature of Award: To support undergraduates interested in atmospheric or related oceanic and hydrologic science
 - b. Deadline: February 9, 2007
 - c. Eligibility:
 - i. Full-time students entering final year of undergraduate study in accredited university
 - ii. Majors in atmospheric physics, oceanic/hydrologic science
 - iii. Minimum 3.25 GPA
 - iv. Demonstrated financial need
 - d. Application/Nomination Procedures:
 - i. Application
 - ii. 3 letters of reference
 - iii. 2 essays
 - e. Length of Award: One time cash award
 - f. Amount of Award: Varies (several different awards available)
 - g. Website: www.ametsoc.org
2. Patrick Charnon Scholarship
 - a. Nature of Award: To support undergraduate study for individuals who have a demonstrated commitment to building better communities
 - b. Deadline: Either January 15 or March 31 (postmarked)
 - c. Eligibility:
 - i. Full-time enrollment in accredited 4 year undergraduate institution in US
 - ii. Demonstrate value of tolerance, compassion, and respect for all people
 - d. Application/Nomination Procedures:
 - i. Application
 - ii. 2-4 page essay on community service
 - iii. Transcript
 - iv. 3 letters of reference
 - e. Length of Award: May re-apply for up to 4 years
 - f. Amount of Award: \$1500 per academic year
 - g. Website: www.cesresources.org/charnon/html
3. Elie Wiesel Foundation for Humanity: Prize in Ethics Essay Contest
 - a. Nature of Award: Awards to undergraduates who analyze urgent ethical issues confronting them in today's complex world
 - b. Deadline: December 8, 2006 (postmarked)
 - c. Eligibility:
 - i. Full time undergraduate junior or senior at accredited 4 year institutions
 - d. Application/Nomination Procedures:
 - i. Application Form
 - ii. 3 copies of 3000-4000 word essay
 - iii. See website for suggested essay topics
 - iv. Letter from Registrar verifying year in school
 - e. Amount of Award: 1st prize: \$5000; 2nd prize: \$2500; 3rd prize: \$1500; Honorable mention: \$500
 - f. Website: www.eliewieselfoundation.org
4. Goldwater
 - a. Nature of Award: Undergraduate study in Mathematics, Natural Sciences, or Engineering
 - b. Deadline: February 1, 2007 (campus deadline: January 8, 2006)
 - c. Eligibility:
 - i. US citizens or US nationals

- ii. Full-time sophomores or juniors who intend to pursue advanced degrees (but not medical degree with intention of pursuing private practice)
 - iii. Have GPA of at least a “B”
 - d. Application/Nomination Procedures
 - i. Campus nomination required (limit of 4 nominees)
 - ii. Applicant Information form
 - iii. Personal Essay
 - iv. Letters of recommendation from 3 faculty members in relevant fields
 - v. Transcript
 - e. Length of Award: One academic year (may receive have award for two years)
 - f. Amount of Award: Tuition, fees, books, room and board (up to \$7500)
 - g. Website: www.act.org/goldwater

- 5. Science, Mathematics, and Research for Transformation (SMART) Defense Scholarship for Service Program
 - a. Nature of Award: To support the education and recruitment of students in Science, Technology, Engineering and Math fields
 - b. Deadline: February 5, 2007
 - c. Eligibility:
 - i. US citizen, national
 - ii. Willingness and availability to accept post-graduate civilian service with Department of Defense and summer internship components of program
 - iii. Full-time undergraduate students who are pursuing a degree in biosciences, Chemistry, Cognitive, Neural, or Behavioral Sciences, Computer and Information Science, Geosciences, Mathematics, Oceanography, or Physics
 - iv. Minimum 3.0 GPA
 - d. Application/Nomination Procedure:
 - i. Online Application
 - ii. Transcript
 - iii. Goals statement
 - iv. 2 letters of reference
 - e. Length of Award: Through completion of undergraduate degree
 - f. Amount of Award: full tuition, required fees, book allowance of up to \$1000 per year, yearly stipend of approximately \$22,500, plus health benefits.
 - g. Website: www.asee.org/smart

- 6. William E. Simon Fellowship for Noble Purpose
 - a. Nature of Award: To recognize graduating seniors who are pursuing lives dedicated to and distinguished by honor, generosity, service, and respect
 - b. Deadline: February 15, 2007
 - c. Eligibility:
 - i. Graduating college seniors who have exhibited capacity for direction and originality in pursuit of goal that will strengthen civil society.
 - d. Application/Nomination Procedures:
 - i. Application Form
 - ii. Transcript
 - iii. 1 letter of recommendation
 - iv. 9-12 page narrative detailing past efforts, future plans, and individual philosophy for living a life of noble purpose
 - e. Length of Award: one time cash award
 - f. Amount of Award: \$40,000 (2 additional awards of \$5000 each)
 - Website: www.simonfellowship.org

- 7. Truman
 - a. Nature of Award: Supports study in any field leading to a career in government or public service
 - b. Deadline: Feb 5, 2007
 - c. Eligibility:

- i. US citizen
- ii. Must be college junior
- iii. Willingness to perform public service for 3 of 7 years following completion of funded graduate study
- d. Application/Nomination Procedures:
 - i. **Campus nomination required**
 - ii. Completion of nomination form
 - iii. Policy Proposal
 - iv. Personal statement
 - v. Evidence of public service and leadership
 - vi. Proposed graduate study in targeted area
- e. Length of Award:
- f. Amount of Award: \$30,000 (candidates also receive priority admission at some graduate institutions, leadership training, career and graduate school counseling, special internship opportunities within the federal government)
- g. Website: www.truman.gov

8. Udall

- a. Nature of Award: Supports study of environmental science, Native American tribal policy and health care
- b. Deadline: March 6, 2007 (campus: January 31, 2007)
- c. Number of awards available: 80
- d. Eligibility:
 - i. US citizen, US National, US permanent resident
 - ii. Sophomores or juniors pursuing bachelor's or associate's degree
 - iii. GPA of 3.0 or above
 - iv. Commitment to career in environmental sciences, to Native American tribal policy or health care (only Native Americans or Alaskans Natives are eligible to apply for tribal policy and health care focus)
- e. Application/Nomination Procedures:
 - i. **Campus nomination required (limit of 6 nominees)**
 - ii. Record of activities demonstrating commitment to environmental science
 - iii. Evidence of Leadership
 - iv. 800-word essay
 - v. Transcript
 - vi. 3 letters of recommendation
- f. Length of Award: One year
- g. Amount of Award: up to \$5000 for tuition, board, other educational expenses
- h. Website: www.udall.gov

9. USA Today All USA College Academic First Team

- a. Nature of Award: To recognize college students who excel academically and in leadership
- b. Deadline: November 30, 2006 (postmarked)
- c. Number of Awards: 20
- d. Eligibility:
 - i. Full-time undergraduate of at least junior standing
- e. Application/Nomination Procedures:
 - i. **Requires Campus Nomination**
 - ii. Application
 - iii. Transcript
 - iv. Essay
 - v. 2 letters of recommendation
- f. Length of Award: One time award
- g. Amount of Award: \$2500
- h. Website: www.allstars.usatoday.com

Undergraduate Tuition and Expenses for Students in Minority Groups

1. American Geological Institute Minority Participation Program
 - a. Nature of Award: To support minority students in undergraduate study in the geosciences, including related disciplines
 - b. Deadline: March 1, 2007
 - c. Eligibility:
 - i. US citizen
 - ii. Ethnic minority status: Black, Hispanic, Native American
 - iii. Demonstrated financial need
 - iv. Full-time student
 - v. Only available for those studying geoscience, including geology, geophysics, geochemistry, hydrology, meteorology, physical oceanography, planetary geology, earth science education
 - d. Application/Nomination Procedures
 - i. Application form
 - ii. Transcript, including standardized test scores
 - iii. Personal Statement
 - iv. 3 letters of recommendation
 - e. Length of Award: one time cash award
 - f. Amount of Award: \$500-3000
 - g. Website: www.agiweb.org

2. American Meteorological Society/Industry Minority Scholarship
 - a. Nature of Award: To support minority students in undergraduate study in atmospheric and oceanic science
 - b. Deadline: February 9, 2007
 - c. Eligibility:
 - i. Ethnic minority status: Black, Hispanic, Native American
 - ii. Full-time student entering freshman year in college
 - iii. Student must plan to pursue career in atmospheric or related oceanic and hydrologic sciences
 - d. Application/Nomination Procedures
 - i. Application form
 - ii. Transcript, including standardized test scores
 - iii. Written Essay
 - iv. 1 letter of recommendation from high school teacher
 - e. Length of Award: 2 years
 - f. Amount of Award: \$3000
 - g. Website: www.ametsoc.org

3. CIA Undergraduate Scholarship Program
 - a. Nature of Award: To provide undergraduates, particularly minority students, with funding for tuition and other college expenses, as well as meaningful and challenging work experiences during summers.
 - b. Deadline: July 15-November 1
 - c. Eligibility:
 - i. US citizen
 - ii. 18 years of age by April 1 before application
 - iii. At least 1000 SAT or 21 ACT
 - iv. 3.0 HS or college GPA
 - v. Financial need (\$70,000 household income ceiling family of 4; \$80,000 five or more)
 - vi. Security and medical clearance
 - vii. Summer availability to work in DC
 - d. Application/Nomination Procedures
 - i. SAT/ACT
 - ii. Names and ages of all family members; gross family income
 - iii. Application for Federal Financial Aid form
 - iv. Transcript

- v. Two letters of recommendation
- e. Length of Award: Duration of college career
- f. Amount of Award: up to \$18,000 for tuition, fees, and books; transportation to and housing in DC for summer
- g. Website: www.cia.gov/careers/jobs/students_scholar.html

4. Gates Millennium Scholars

- a. Nature of Award: Supports undergraduate education for outstanding low income African American, American Indian, Native Alaskan, Asian Pacific Islanders, and Hispanic Americans; any field
- b. Deadline: January 12, 2007 by Noon
- c. Number of Awards: 1000
- d. Eligibility:
 - i. African American, American Indian, Native Alaskan, Asian Pacific Islander, or Hispanic American
 - ii. 3.3 GPA
 - iii. US citizen or permanent resident/national
 - iv. Entering accredited US college or university as full-time, degree seeking student
 - v. Demonstrated leadership
 - vi. Meet Federal Pell Grant eligibility criteria
- e. Application/Nomination Procedures
 - i. **Must be nominated by high school teacher or administrator**
 - ii. Application
 - iii. 9 essay questions
 - iv. One letter of recommendation focused on community service and leadership
- f. Length of Award: All years of undergraduate; may request funding for graduate school
- g. Amount of Award: unmet financial need, including tuition, books, fees, housing
- h. Website: www.gmsp.org

5. IIPP Fellowship

- i. Nature of Award: Opportunity for underrepresented minorities to participate in multi-year experience in international affairs (including study abroad)
- j. Deadline: March 15, 2006
- k. Eligibility:
 - i. Underrepresented minority
 - ii. Interest in a career in international affairs
 - iii. Full-time sophomore at accredited 4-year institution
 - iv. US citizen or permanent resident
 - v. Minimum 3.2 GPA
- l. Application/Nomination Procedures:
 - i. Application
 - ii. Essay
 - iii. Resume
 - iv. Two letters of reference
 - v. Transcript
 - vi. Financial Aid award letter
 - vii. Statement about study abroad
 - viii. **Campus nomination by College President, Provost, or School Dean required; College officer must agree to ensuring second half of study abroad will be funded.**
- m. Length of Award: Summer sophomore year, summer junior year, junior year abroad, summer language institute, preference in internship placement, fellowship for graduate study in international affairs
- n. Amount of Award: Summer institutes fully funded; One half cost of study abroad; graduate award is \$15,000
- o. Website: www.uncfsp.org/iipp

6. Microsoft Scholarships

- a. Nature of Award: African American, Native American, Hispanic students interested in career in computer science or related field
- b. Deadline: January 15, 2007 (postmarked)
- c. Eligibility:
 - i. African American, Native American, Hispanic
 - ii. Must be enrolled full-time in Bachelors program
 - iii. Minimum 3.0 GPA
 - iv. Interest in computer science/engineering, or related field (math, physics)
- d. Application/Nomination Procedures:
 - i. Application
 - ii. Resume
 - iii. Transcript
 - iv. Letter of referral
 - v. 4 essay questions
- e. Length of Award: One year
- f. Amount of Award: Covers tuition for one academic year
- g. Website: www.microsoft.com/college/ss_overview.aspx

Undergraduate Awards for Non-US citizens

1. de Karman

- a. Nature of Award: Any field; Humanities given special attention; US grad or professional
- b. Deadline: January 31 (postmark)
- c. Number of Awards: 10
- d. Eligibility:
 - i. Non-US citizens who are enrolled in US university
 - ii. Junior (entering senior year) undergraduate
- e. Nomination Procedures:
 - i. Application
 - ii. Transcript
 - iii. Two letters of recommendation
- f. Length of Award: One academic year (not renewable)
- g. Amount of Award: \$8000 for undergraduate students (does not cover travel expenses)
- h. Website: www.dekarman.org

Undergraduate Study Abroad

1. Congress-Bundestag Youth Exchange for Young Professionals (CBYX)

- a. Nature of Award: Supports one year of work/study in Germany. Designed primarily for those in business, technical, vocational and agricultural fields.
- b. Deadline: December 1
- c. Eligibility:
 - i. US citizens between 18 and 24
 - ii. Must have high school diploma
 - iii. Must have clear career goals and related work experience
 - iv. Must possess strong sense of American identity, flexibility, and diplomacy
- d. Application/Nomination Procedures:
 - i. Signed application
 - ii. Resume
 - iii. Copy of high school diploma
 - iv. College transcript
 - v. Responses to 6 essays
 - vi. Two letters of recommendation, one academic and one professional
 - vii. Copy of passport or US birth certificate

- e. Length of Award: 1 year. Has three parts: 2-month intensive German language study, 4-month study at a German university of applied sciences or professional schools, and 5-month internship with a German company.
- f. Website: www.cdsintl.org/cbyx

2. DAAD Summer Course Grant

- a. Nature of Award: Supports 3-4 weeks of summer study language courses at German universities which focus on literary, cultural, political, and economic aspects of modern and contemporary Germany
- b. Deadline: November 1, 2006 and May 1, 2007
- c. Eligibility:
 - i. Students pursuing full-time study at US or Canadian college or university
 - ii. Must have at least junior standing
 - iii. Completion of 4 semesters of college level German language study
 - iv. US or Canadian citizen (some exceptions made)
 - v. Younger than 32
- d. Application/Nomination Procedures:
 - i. **Campus Nomination Required**
 - ii. Application form
 - iii. Autobiographical essay in German
 - iv. Detailed statement of intent of study
 - v. 1 letter of recommendation
 - vi. DAAD language evaluation form
 - vii. Transcript
- e. Length of Award: minimum of 3 week course
- f. Amount of Award: approximately \$1200 to cover tuition, room/board, travel
- g. Website: www.daad.org

3. Freeman Asia

- a. Nature of Award: Any field of study; Supports study of language and culture in 15 different Asian countries
- b. Deadline: April 2007
- c. Eligibility:
 - i. US citizens
 - ii. Must be enrolled at undergraduate institution (must have one term of enrollment at home institution upon completion of award)
 - iii. Must be in good academic standing
 - iv. Must have verifiable need for financial aid
 - v. Award limited to study in these countries: Cambodia, China, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Japan, Korea, Laos, Macao, Malaysia, Mongolia, Philippines, Singapore, Taiwan, Thailand, Vietnam
 - vi. Must have applied to or have been accepted by a study abroad-based program that awards academic credit through US accredited university
 - vii. Must have little or no previous experience in country in which study is planned; must have spent no more than 6 weeks in the country in last 5 years
 - viii. Must fulfill service requirement within 3 months of completion
- d. Application/Nomination Procedures:
 - i. On-line application
 - ii. Information about Study Abroad program to which student has applied or has been accepted
 - iii. Name and Contact of Study Abroad advisor
 - iv. Statement of Financial Need
 - v. Name and Contact of Financial Aid Advisor
 - vi. Personal statement (no longer than 500 words)
 - vii. Summary of previous travel to Asia
 - viii. Service proposal
- e. Length of Award: One semester or academic year
- f. Amount of Award: \$5,000 per semester; \$7000 for academic year
- g. Website: www.iie.org/programs/freeman-asia

4. Gilman

- a. Nature of Award: Any field of study; One year study abroad in eligible countries for students of limited financial means
- b. Deadline: April (for Fall study); September 26 (for Spring study)
- c. Eligibility:
 - i. Full-time sophomore or junior pursuing degree at accredited institution
 - ii. Only undergraduates who are receiving Pell grant may apply
 - iii. Applicant must have been accepted or be applying to a study abroad program for which the student can receive academic credit at home institution
 - iv. Description of Follow-on Project (to be completed after student returns from study abroad)
 - v. Must plan to study in regular academic year (not summer) for at least 4 weeks
 - vi. GPA of at least "B" and in upper fourth of class
 - vii. US citizen or permanent resident
- d. Application/Nomination Procedures:
 - i. Completed Online application that includes Statement of Purpose
 - ii. Study abroad certification submitted by campus representative
 - iii. Financial need certification submitted by campus representative
 - iv. Transcript
- e. Length of Award: At least 4 weeks, although longer term projects are given priority
- f. Amount of Award: up to \$5000 (may receive additional \$3000 for intensive language instruction in critical needs languages: Arabic, Chinese, Turkic, Persian, Indic, Korean, Russian)
- g. Website: www.iie.org/programs/gilman

5. NSEP/Boren

- a. Nature of Award: Any field; Supports undergraduate study in specific world region, its language and culture (particularly non-Western) at any US university. Can study overseas, domestically, or both
- b. Deadline: Feb. 13, 2007 (campus: January 26, 2006)
- c. Eligibility:
 - i. US citizen
 - ii. Demonstrated academic potential and potential to succeed in proposed program
 - iii. Willingness to make service commitment to Depts of Defense, Homeland Security, State, or Intelligence Community
 - iv. Proposed study-abroad experience that meets home institution requirements
 - v. Study of foreign language must be integral to project
 - vi. Program must end before student graduates
 - vii. Freshmen and Sophomores may apply for full-year, semester or summer (or applied science and engineering students); Juniors and Seniors may apply for full-year and semester
- d. Application/Nomination Procedures:
 - i. **Campus Nomination required**
 - ii. Online application
 - iii. Statement of Purpose
 - iv. 2 letters of reference (3 optional)
 - v. transcript
- e. Length of Award: Full academic year; Summer language immersion
- f. Amount of Award: \$20,000 for fulltime academic year (\$10,000 per semester); \$8,000 for summer
- g. Website: www.iie.org/programs/nsep

6. Phi Kappa Phi Study Abroad Grants

- a. Nature of Award: Support undergraduates in study abroad
- b. Deadline: February 15, 2007
- c. Number of Awards: 38
- d. Eligibility:
 - i. Must attend institution with Phi Kappa Phi chapter
 - ii. Minimum of 30 credit hours and maximum of 90 (including AP, etc)
 - iii. 3.5 GPA
 - iv. 2 semesters in residence after study abroad

- v. Acceptance into study abroad program
- vi. Study abroad should relate directly to academic preparation
- e. Application/Nomination Procedures:
 - i. Application
 - ii. Personal Statement
 - iii. Letter of acceptance into accredited study abroad program
 - iv. Transcript
 - v. Letters of reference
- f. Length of Award: One semester
- g. Amount of Award: \$1000
- h. Website: www.phikappaphi.org/scholarships

7. Rotary

- a. Nature of Award: Any field; Supports study abroad in any country where there is a Rotary Club
- b. Deadline: Set up by each Rotary Club (Rotary Clubs must present nominated candidates by Oct. 1 two years before proposed project is to begin)
- c. Eligibility:
 - i. Citizen of country where there are Rotary Clubs
 - ii. Completion of at least 2 years of college-level coursework or equivalent professional experience
 - iii. May not be Rotarian or lineal descendent of Rotarain
 - iv. May not be used to continue studies that have already begun
 - v. Must be proficient in language of host country (some exceptions)
 - vi. Maturity and demonstrated commitment to organizational participation and leadership
- d. Application/Nomination Procedures:
 - i. Must apply through Rotary Club in legal or permanent residence or place of full-time study or employment (limit of two nominees per club)
 - ii. Statement of Purpose
 - iii. Description of Project
 - iv. Application or acceptance to institution where course work will occur
- e. Length of Award: Academic year (multi-year and shorter term also available)
- f. Amount of Award: Travel funds, tuition, room and board, and some educational supplies (Maximum amount is \$26,000)
- g. Website: www.rotary.org

Undergraduate Research Awards

1. Amgen Scholars Summer Research program

- a. Nature of Award: Opportunity for undergraduates to be involved in hands-on research in biology, biotechnology, physiology, and statistics at one of 10 leading research institutions
- b. Deadline: February 2007 (varies by research site)
- c. Number of Awards: 25 per site (250 total)
- d. Eligibility:
 - i. US citizen or permanent resident
 - ii. Full-time student at accredited 4 year institution
 - iii. Sophomore, junior, or nongraduating senior status
 - iv. Students interested in pursuing graduate school (PhD or MD) in science or engineering
 - v. Minimum 3.2 GPA
- e. Application/Nominations Procedures:
 - i. Students apply to individual research sites
 - ii. Transcript
 - iii. Personal Statement
 - iv. Letter of recommendation
- f. Length of Award: 8-10 weeks (varies by research site)
- g. Amount of Award: Varies by research site, but all include competitive stipend, travel, room and board
- h. Website: www.amgenscholars.com

2. DAAD Studies Research Grant

- a. Nature of Award: Supports short term research in either N. America or Germany; encourages the study of cultural, political, historical, social, and economic aspects of modern and contemporary Germany
- b. Deadline: November 1, 2006 and May 1, 2007
- c. Eligibility:
 - i. Undergraduates with at least junior standing
 - ii. Completion of two years of college level German language study
 - iii. Completion of a minimum of 3 courses in German Studies
 - iv. US citizen enrolled full-time
 - v. Younger than 32
- d. Application/Nomination Procedures:
 - i. **Campus Nomination Required**
 - ii. Application form
 - iii. Vitae
 - iv. Detailed description of research project, including research plan and itinerary
 - v. Budget statement
 - vi. List of German language and German Studies courses taken
 - vii. 2 letters of recommendation
 - viii. DAAD language evaluation form
 - ix. Transcript
- e. Length of Award: One time cash award
- f. Amount of Award: \$1500-\$2500
- g. Website: www.daad.org

3. DAAD Undergraduate Scholarship

- a. Nature of Award: Supports undergraduates who want to study, do research, or complete an internship in Germany
- b. Deadline: January 31, 2007
- c. Eligibility:
 - i. Current sophomores and or juniors at accredited US/Canadian institution
 - ii. Outstanding academic record and personal integrity
 - iii. Able to achieve academic credit at home institution
 - iv. Must have completed minimum of 3 courses in German Studies
 - v. Completion of two years of college level German language study
 - vi. US or Canadian citizens; Foreign nationals if been full-time student for more than 1 year in US/Canada.
 - vii. Well defined study, research, or internship plan
 - viii. Younger than 32
- d. Application/Nomination Procedures:
 - i. **Campus Nomination Required**
 - ii. Online Application form
 - iii. Vitae
 - iv. Detailed description of project plan
 - v. 1 letter of recommendation
 - vi. Evidence of contact with German Institution
 - vii. DAAD language evaluation form
 - viii. Transcript
- e. Length of Award: 4-10 months
- f. Amount of Award: approximately \$750 per month, health insurance, travel subsidy
- g. Website: www.daad.org

4. Institut Pasteur Undergraduate Internship Program (Paris)

- a. Nature of Award: Summer Internship for undergraduates interested in biosciences and biomedical research
- b. Deadline: December 15, 2006 – postmarked (2 letters of recommendation); January 5, 2007 –received (full application)

- c. Eligibility:
 - i. Undergraduates with strong interest in biosciences and biomedical research
 - ii. Must have completed two full years (4 semesters) of college work by start of internship
 - iii. Must not have received undergraduate degree at time of application
 - iv. US citizens only
 - v. Some knowledge/desire to learn French preferred
- d. Application/Nomination Procedures
 - i. Two letters of recommendation sent prior to full application
 - ii. Application form
 - iii. Personal Statement
 - iv. Resume that includes lab experience
 - v. Transcript
 - vi. 2 passport-sized photographs
- e. Length of Award: 10 weeks
- f. Amount of Award: \$400/week living allowance; \$300 subsidy for travel
- g. Website: www.pasteurfoundation.org/zuccaire.html

5. Sigma Xi

- h. Nature of Award: To support undergraduate students in the pursuit of mentored research in all areas of science and engineering
- i. Deadline: October 15 and March 15
- j. Eligibility:
 - i. Undergraduates enrolled in degree seeking programs
 - ii. Membership in Sigma Xi is not required, but 75% of funds go to members
 - iii. Projects in any scientific field accepted; may fund travel to research site, equipment purchase, reimbursement for human subject compensation
- k. Application/Nomination Procedures:
 - i. Online application
 - ii. Project Proposal
 - iii. Budget
 - iv. 2 letters of recommendation
- l. Length of Award: one time cash award
- m. Amount of Award: \$100-\$1000 (grants up to \$5000 available in Astronomy; \$2500 in vision research)
- n. Website: www.sigmaxi.org

Undergraduate Internships

1. Bard College Internship in New York City

- a. Nature of Award: Semester internship and coursework in Globalization and International Affairs; students work 20-25 hours per week in diverse areas of global concern, including governmental, nonprofit, media, and corporate entities. All students take core seminar on Globalization and International Affairs
- b. Deadline: February 1, 2007 (Summer); March 1, 2007 (Fall); November 1, 2007 (Spring)
- c. Eligibility:
 - i. Students in third or fourth year of college (in exceptional cases, 2nd year students will be considered)
 - ii. Demonstrated maturity and professionalism
- d. Application/Nomination Procedures
 - i. Application
 - ii. Transcript
 - iii. Adviser/Dean recommendation
 - iv. 2 academic recommendations
 - v. Resume
 - vi. 2 one page essays
 - vii. Physician's medical statement/applicant's health statement
- e. Length of Award: One semester, but may extend for a second semester (12-15 weeks)
- f. Program COST: \$7,790
- g. Website: www.bard.edu/bgja

2. Pamela Harriman Foreign Service Fellowship

- a. Nature of Award: Summer internship in US Dept of State for undergraduates interested in a career in public service
- b. Deadline: November 1, 2006
- c. Number of Awards: 3 (2 reserved for a William and Mary student)
- d. Eligibility:
 - i. Juniors and seniors at accredited undergraduate institutions
 - ii. Completion of relevant coursework
- e. Application/Nomination Procedures:
 - i. Application
 - ii. Statement of interest
 - iii. Transcript
 - iv. Foreign language ability where applicable
 - v. Security clearance
 - vi. 3 Letters of reference, at least two from faculty
 - vii. **Campus nomination required by President, Provost, School Dean**
- f. Length of Award: 11 weeks in summer
- g. Amount of Award: \$5000
- h. Website: www.wm.edu/harriman

2. Intercollegiate Studies Institute

- a. Nature of Award: One year experience that allows promising undergraduates to receive personal intellectual mentoring from elite professors committed to the honest exploration of achievements of Western Civilization; Students attend a summer conference
- b. Deadline: March 30, 2007
- c. Eligibility:
 - i. Must be a member of the Intercollegiate Studies Institute
 - ii. US citizens or US nationals
 - iii. Must be enrolled as full-time undergraduate
- d. Application/Nomination Procedures
 - i. Honors Program application form
 - ii. Resume
 - iii. 2-3 page Personal Essay
 - iv. 5-10 page academic writing sample
 - v. 2 Letters of recommendation from faculty
 - vi. Transcript
- e. Length of Award: One year
- f. Amount of Award: travel expenses to summer conference
- g. Website: www.isi.org/honors

3. Lagrant Foundation

- a. Nature of Award: Provides internships at Tyco in advertising, marketing, and public relations for minority students
- b. Deadline: February 28, 2007
- c. Number of Awards: 10
- d. Eligibility:
 - i. Current full-time undergraduate (freshman – non-graduating senior) at accredited institution
 - ii. Minimum GPA 2.75
 - iii. Must be majoring in field of study related to public relations, marketing, or advertising
 - iv. US citizen
 - v. Member of one of the following: African American, Asian Pacific American, Hispanic American, Native American
- e. Application/Nomination Procedures
 - i. Application
 - ii. Essay

- iii. 1 letter of reference
- iv. Resume
- v. Transcript
- f. Length of Award: 12 weeks
- g. Amount of Award:
- h. Website: www.lagrantfoundation.org

4. Charles B. Rangel Summer Enrichment Program

- a. Nature of Award: To provide students with deeper appreciation of current issues and trends in international affairs; takes place at Howard University
- b. Deadline: February 16, 2007
- c. Eligibility:
 - i. US citizen
 - ii. Full-time undergraduate who have completed sophomore year
 - iii. 3.2 GPA
 - iv. Particularly encourage minority student applications
- d. Application/Nomination Procedures:
 - i. Transcript
 - ii. 3 letters of recommendation
 - iii. 500 word essay explaining applicant's interest
 - iv. Completion of pgs 7 and 8 of Howard's Undergraduate Application Form
 - v. Proof of citizenship
- e. Length of Award: 6 week summer program that includes coursework
- f. Amount of Award: tuition, travel, room and board, and stipend
- g. Website: www.howard.edu/rjb

5. Smithsonian Institute Minority Awards Program

- a. Nature of Award: Internships to increase participation of US minority groups in Smithsonian scholar programs in research conducted at the Smithsonian and its museums
- b. Deadline: February 1, 2007 (for Summer and Fall); October 1 (for Spring)
- c. Eligibility:
 - i. Full-time undergraduate or graduate students with minimum GPA of 3.0
 - ii. Statement of relevance of internship to students career goals
- d. Application/Nomination Procedure:
 - i. Application
 - ii. Transcript
 - iii. 2-4 page essay
 - iv. 2 letters of reference
 - v. resume
- e. Length of Award: 10 weeks
- f. Amount of Award: \$400 per week
- g. Website: www.si.edu.ofg

6. Washington Semester Internship: University of South Carolina

- a. Nature of Award: To provide internship experience in Washington DC for SC undergraduates
- b. Deadline: February 15, 2007 for Fall 2007 semester; September 20, 2007 for Spring 2008 semester
- c. Number of Awards: Approximately 15
- d. Eligibility:
 - i. Must be in Honors program in SC
 - ii. Degree seeking junior or senior undergraduate (sophomores may be considered)
 - iii. Minimum 3.3
- e. Application/Nomination Procedures:
 - i. 500 word essay
 - ii. Transcript
 - iii. 3 letters of recommendation
 - iv. Statement from Honors Director that student is in good standing in Honors program

- f. Length of Award: One semester
- g. Amount of Award: \$5000
- h. Website: www.ipspr.sc.edu

7. James E. Webb Internship Program for Minority Students in Business and Public Administration

- h. Nature of Award: Residential internships at the Smithsonian for minority juniors and seniors in Business and Public Administration to promote excellence and diversity in the management of not-for-profit scientific and cultural institutions.
- i. Deadline: February 1, 2007 (for Fall); October 1, 2007 (for Spring)
- j. Eligibility:
 - i. Full time junior or senior undergraduate students
 - ii. Minimum 3.0 GPA
 - iii. Demonstrated relevance of internships to career interest
- k. Application/Nomination:
 - i. Application Form
 - ii. Transcript
 - iii. 2-4 page essay
 - iv. Resume
 - v. 2 letters of reference
- l. Length of Award: 10 weeks
- m. Amount of Award: \$450 per week, plus travel allowance
- n. Website: www.si.edu.ofg/applications/WEBB