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La Unidad Latina	Undergraduate four-year college and graduate students	Must reside in the U.S.	\$500 to \$1,000	October 15, 2015	https://www.lulf.org
Elie Wiesel Prize in Ethics Essay Contest	Full-time college juniors and seniors attending U.S. colleges or universities	International and non-U.S. citizen students are eligible	\$500 to \$5,000	December 14, 2015	www.eliewieselfoundation.org/entercontest.aspx
Byron Hanke Fellowship	Graduate students	Students must be working on topics related to community organizations	\$2,000 to \$5,000	May, 1, 2016	http://www.cairf.org/scholarships/hanke.aspx
Davis Putter Scholarship Fund	Undergraduate and graduate students	Citizenship is not a consideration; applicants must be living in the U.S. and planning to enroll in school in the US to apply	\$8,000	April 1, 2016	http://www.davisputter.org/about/contact-us/
Google Lime Scholarship Program	Undergraduate and graduate students at universities in the U.S. or Canada	No citizenship requirements; students with disabilities who are pursuing a degree in computer science, or a closely related technical field	\$10,000 5,000 CAD (for those studying in Canada)	January 18, 2016	https://www.google.com/edu/scholarships/the-google-lime-scholarship/
Scholarship for Prospective Educators	High school seniors	Planning on majoring in education	\$500 to \$2,000	April 1, 2016	http://pdkintl.org/programs-resources/scholarships-awards/prospective-educator-scholarships/



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Golden Doors Scholars	High school students or recent high school graduates	Interest in the STEM fields and demonstration of strong leadership skills	N/A	N/A	http://www.goldendoor-scholars.org
Ayn Rand We the Living Essay Contest	10 th , 11 th , and 12 th graders worldwide	No citizenship requirements	\$300 to \$3,000	October 23, 2015	http://essaycontest.aynrandnovels.com/WeTheLiving.aspx
Ayn Rand Anthem Essay Contest	8 th , 9 th , and 10 th graders worldwide	No citizenship requirements	\$200 to \$2,000	March 25, 2016	https://www.aynrand.org/students/essay-contests#anthem-1
Ayn Rand The Fountainhead Essay Contest	11 th and 12 th graders worldwide	No citizenship requirements	\$1,000 to \$10,000	April 29, 2016	https://www.aynrand.org/students/essay-contests#thefountainhead-1
BMI Student Composer Award	Under the age of 28 as of time of submission	Citizens of a country in the Western Hemisphere; currently studying music, either in an educational institution or privately	N/A	N/A	http://bmifoundation.org/programs/info/bmi-student-composer-awards
Berrien Fragos Thorn Arts Scholarship	Enrolled in school	Must demonstrate an interest in pursuing further development of their talents	\$2,500	November 1, 2015	http://www.migrant.net/migrant/scholarships/thorn.htm



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Mexican American Dream Scholarship	Undergraduates at an accredited 4-year university or a 2-year program at a community college	Be an AB-540 student; ¹ must reside or attend school in the following counties only: Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, Inland Empire, and Ventura.	\$500 to \$1,000	N/A	http://www.cofem.org/Resources/Documents/2014+-+2015+Mexican+American+Dream+Scholarship.pdf
Good Tidings Foundation Community Service Scholarship	High school seniors	Reside in one of the following California counties: Alameda, Contra Costa, Marin, Monterey, Napa, Sacramento, San Benito, San Francisco, San Joaquin, San Mateo, Santa Cruz, Santa Clara, Solano, Sonoma, Stanislaus, or Yolo	\$5,000	October 27, 2015	http://www.goodtidings.org/index.php?id=23

¹ To learn more about AB 540 eligibility, please see http://www.csac.ca.gov/pubs/forms/grnt_frm/cal_grant_dream_act_faqs.pdf.



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Dr. Juan Andrade, Jr. Scholarship for Young Hispanic Leaders	Must be enrolled or accepted for enrollment as a full-time student, in a four-year or two-year institution in the U.S. or U.S. territories	At least one parent must be of Hispanic ancestry	\$1,000	December 31, 2015	https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/all/dr--juan-andrade-scholarship-for-young-hispanic-leaders/1004012
Princeton Prize in Race Relations	9 th , 10 th , 11 th , and 12 th graders	Students of participating regions	\$1,000	January 31, 2016	http://www.princeton.edu/pprize/faq/
MALDEF Law School Scholarship Program	Law school students	Record of service to the Latino community	\$1,000 to \$5,000	September 1, 2015	http://www.maldef.org/leadership/scholarships/index.html
MALDEF Dream Act Student Activist Dream Scholarship Program	College and graduate students	Record of activism around immigrant rights and/or active in the Dreamer movement	\$5,000	N/A	http://maldef.org/leadership/scholarships/
TheDream.US	High school graduates	Have come to the United States before reaching your 16 th birthday; demonstrated financial need	Covers tuition and fees for an associate's or bachelor's degree at partner colleges	February 15, 2016	http://www.thedream.us



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New Leader Scholarship	Students who have attended the school for one academic year or more, with 60 units or more, 24 of which were attained at the present university	Enrollment in one of the following Bay area public universities: California State University, East Bay Campus; San Francisco State University; San Jose State University; Sonoma State University; or University of California at Berkeley	\$8,000	March 10, 2016	http://newleaderscholarship.org/apply/
10,000 Degrees Undergraduate Scholarship	Enrolled in an average of 12 academic units per term during 2016-17 academic year	Demonstrated financial need	N/A	March 2, 2016	http://www.10000degrees.org/students/scholarships/undergraduate-scholarships/
Chicano Organizing & Research in Education–Que Llave Café Scholarship	High school graduates who will enroll for the first time in an accredited college or university in the U.S. or Puerto Rico.	All students in all U.S. States and Puerto Rico	N/A	N/A	http://www.ca-core.org/que_llave_cafe_scholarship_program
Illinois Latino Council of Higher Education (ILACHE)	High school seniors or a continuing undergraduate level college students	Latino/a students in Illinois	\$1,000	N/A	http://ilache.com/scholarship.html