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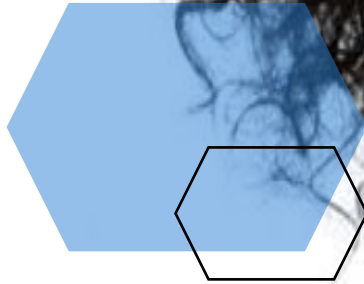
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# OPPORTUNITIES AWAIT

## WHY SCHOLARSHIPS?

- College costs add up quickly
- Parents have a hard time helping with tuition
- One less bill for the future
- “It’s Free Money!” 😊



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# UNIGO™

<https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships>

**Unigo Scholarships, up to \$13,000 in Dec and Jan**

Go to this website and work on one of the following scholarships

## SCHOLARSHIP

**\$10,000 Unigo Scholarship, D: Dec. 31, 2019**

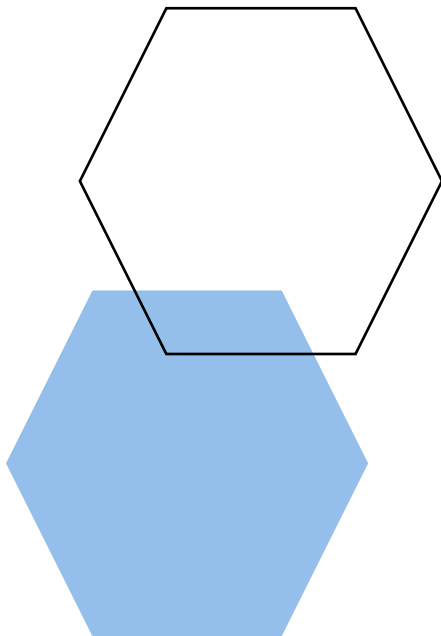
**\$1,500 Top Ten List Scholarship, D: Dec. 31, 2019**

**\$1,500 I Have a Dream Scholarship, D: Jan 31, 2020**

To apply for these scholarships, you will have to complete a profile at Unigo.com, which will show you more scholarships you can apply for.

You will have to click on **APPLY NOW** to find the scholarship prompt.

Also, if you click on **PREVIOUS WINNERS** found on the right-hand side, you will see past prompts and entries that won the scholarships over the years.



# TOBI

## SCHOLARSHIP

[https://www.tobi.com/tobi\\_cares/scholarship\\_program](https://www.tobi.com/tobi_cares/scholarship_program)

### **\$3,000 Tobi Cares Scholarship Program, D: Dec 31, 2019**

Selected criteria from webpage:

“We are proud to offer our \$3,000 Tobi Cares Scholarship to help female students across the country, in addition to \$200 in Tobi.com store credit. The scholarship will be awarded to one student and transferred directly to the student's school to cover tuition fees.

Eligibility Requirements:

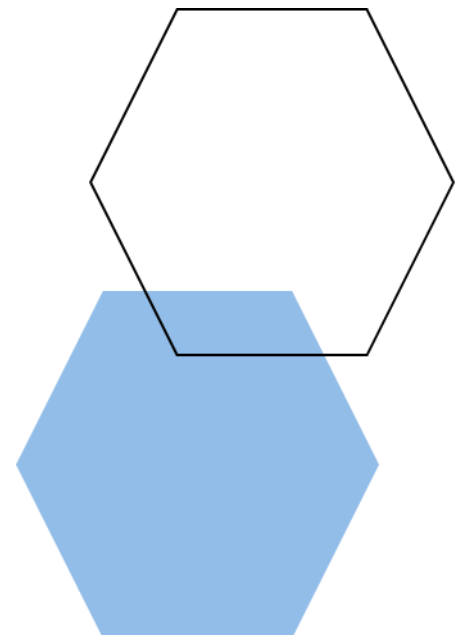
- Applicant must be a woman enrolled or enrolling as an undergraduate student in a four year college or community college in the United States.
- Applicant must be an incoming freshman, sophomore, junior, or senior to qualify.
- Applicant must submit their application by December 31, 2019.
- Applicant must answer all essay questions on our application form.

Selection of Winner:

Grammar, punctuation, and sentence structure will be taken into account alongside the originality of the essay's contents.

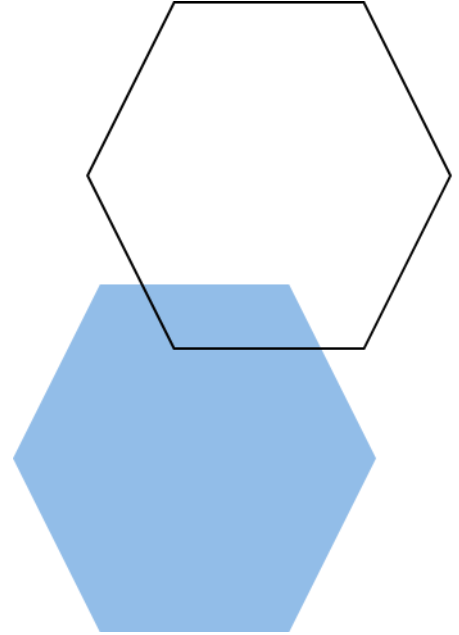
Please note that the essay question requires a minimum of 500 words and a maximum of 700 words.

Winner agrees to be interviewed and/or photographed by Tobi.com as well as any other media outlet(s). The winner also agrees to provide an approved picture of themselves wearing their Tobi shopping spree clothing to be posted across Tobi.com social media channels.”





# SCHOLARSHIP



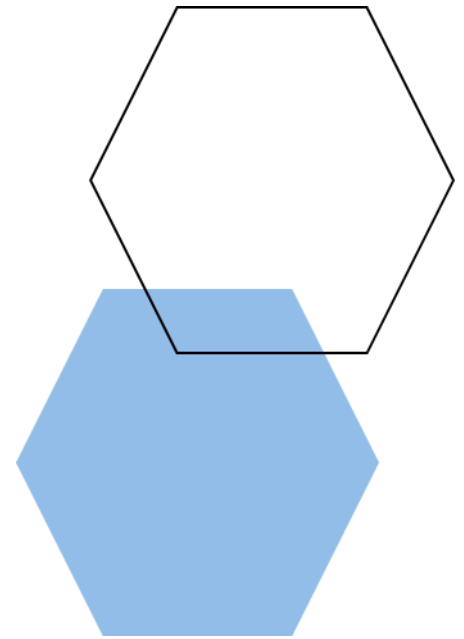
<http://www.collegeispower.com/scholarship.cfm>

**\$1,000 College is Power (C.I.P) Scholarship, D: Dec. 31, 2019**

From webpage:

“A scholarship to help you pay for college! The "College Is Power" scholarship is open to students age 17 and older who are currently in college or plan to start college within the next 12 months. Use the scholarship to pay for tuition, books, room and board, computers or anything else related to your education!

In 150 words or fewer, please answer: "What is your primary goal for going to school?"



# SCHOLARSHIP

<https://www.tmcf.org/our-scholarships/current-scholarships>

**Thurgood Marshall College Fund Scholarships, \$14,000 or more in scholarships available.**

Tennessee State University is a Thurgood Marshall College Fund school. More criteria and details at the link above; also, more scholarships.

**Some current scholarships are:**

## **PTFoundation - Patent Quality Education & Training Foundation Scholarship**

**Application Deadline: January 6, 2020**

*Selected scholars will receive a one-year scholarship of up to \$5,000 for the 2019-2020 academic school year, which will be applied in the 2020 spring semester.*

## **TMCF | GCM Grosvenor Spring Scholarship**

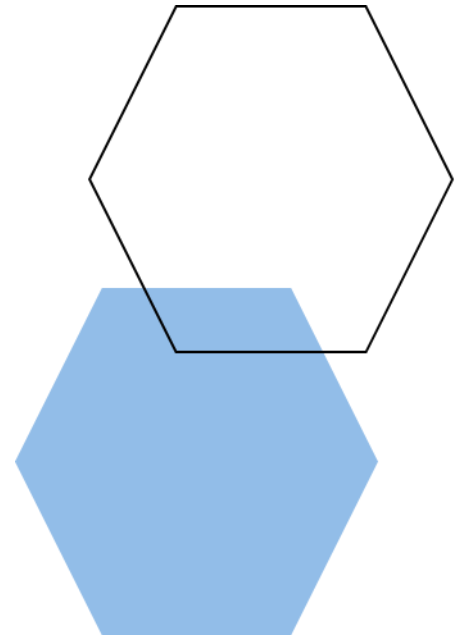
**Deadline: January 19, 2020**

*Selected scholars will receive a one-year scholarship of up to \$8,500 for the 2019-2020 academic school year to cover the costs of tuition and fees, on-campus room and board and required textbooks purchased from TMCF member-schools.*

## **TMCF | GCM Grosvenor Spring Emergency Scholarship**

**Deadline: January 19, 2020**

*Selected scholars will receive a one-year scholarship of up to \$500 for the 2019-2020 academic school year to cover the costs of tuition and fees, on-campus room and board, and required textbooks purchased from a TMCF member school.*



<https://www.tacobellfoundation.org/live-mas-scholarship/>

**\$25,000, \$10,000, and \$5,000 Taco Bell Live Mas Scholarship, D: Jan. 23, 2020**

Create a 2 minute or less about your passion and you might earn this scholarship

Selected criteria from website:

Ages 16-24, legal resident of the U.S., no third-party infringement (read the rules to understand)

“Submit a video that addresses these questions:

- What post-secondary education program, college or certificate/degree program are you attending?
- What impact will following your passion have on your local community or the world?
- How do you plan to achieve your passion through your educational goals?
- What is your dream college, school or next step in your education?

#### TECHNICAL STUFF

Your submission video must be between 30 seconds and 2 minutes in length. Think about filming this video on your phone, computer, tablet, school or library’s computer lab, or any other MP4 video-enabled camera to which you have access. It could be a short film, animation, or a simple testimonial. This isn’t about how well you can make a film—we want to learn more about you and your passion.”



## SCHOLARSHIP

<https://www.dosomething.org/us/about/easy-scholarships>

**DoSomething.Org—No GPA required, only good works, up to \$15,000 in Dec and Jan**

DoSomething.Org is for people ages 13-25 and encourages young people to do something, to complete social action through campaigns.

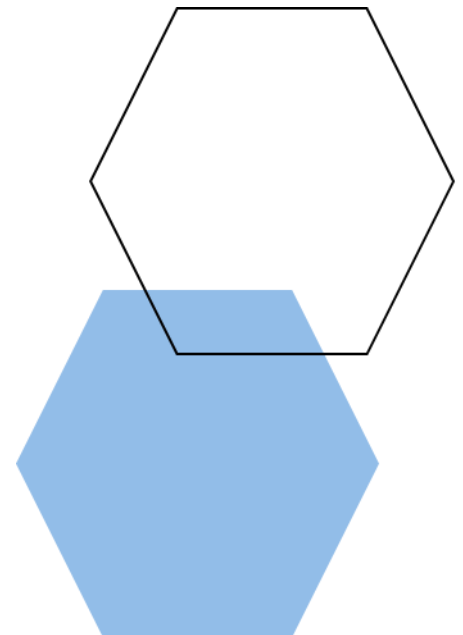
Scholarships and opportunities are ongoing throughout the year, some times as much as \$10,000.

Some scholarships you will find on this page are

**\$5,000 The Hit We Will Take Scholarship, D: Dec. 31, 2019**

**\$2,500 Not Safe for Wheels Scholarship, D: Dec. 31, 2019**

**\$5,000 Give Mas, Get Mas, D: Jan 6, 2020**





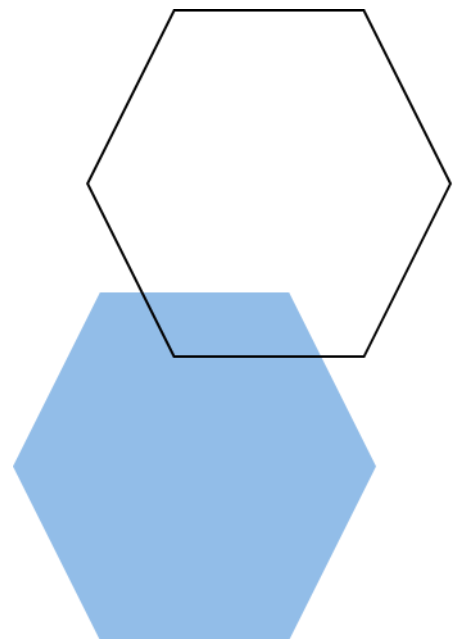
## SCHOLARSHIP

<http://www.return2college.com/awardprogram.cfm>

**\$1,000 Return to College Scholarship, D: Jan 31, 2020**

Applicants:

- U.S. citizen or legal resident
- Starting a program of higher education (college or graduate school) within the next 12 months or currently full- or part-time students
- Age 17 or older
- Answer in three sentences or less, “Why are you getting your degree?”





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**BEARDED**

**SCHOLARSHIP**

<https://livebearded.com/pages/scholarship>

**\$2,500 LiveBearded.com Scholarship, D: Feb 1, 2020**

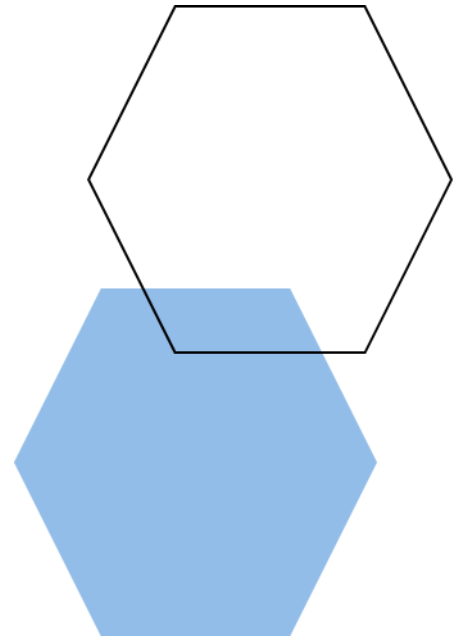
Submit a video, more details above

From webpage:

**“ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS**

In order to be considered, applicants must meet the following criteria:

- Must be enrolled in a College or University at the time of the next deadline
- For applicants under the age of 18, you must have permission from a parent or a legal guardian.
- Must apply to the scholarship via the link provided. You must provide your full name, .edu email, target graduation year and the name of your academic institution.
- Our \$2,500 scholarship can be used for any education-related expense, including: tuition, textbooks, course material and any other education-related expense that you may come across.”





## SCHOLARSHIP

<https://www.borenawards.org/>

**Up to \$20,000 Boren Scholarships for Undergraduate Students, D: Feb 5, 2019**

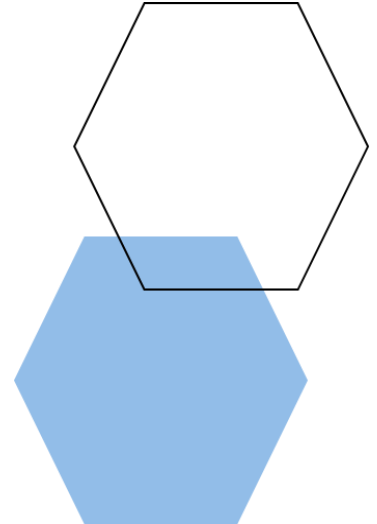
Description:

“Available to: Current undergraduates in the United States with an interest in studying less commonly taught languages in countries critical to U.S. national security.

Details: Earn up to \$20,000 to study abroad. Preference is given to students who want to pursue a career in national security and can make a commitment to work for the federal government for at least a year after graduation.”

Description taken from the following article: <https://thekrazycouponlady.com/tips/money/44-college-scholarships-that-you-didnt-know-existed-21608>

***For graduate students: check out the Boren Fellowships for Graduate Students, D: Jan 29, 2020 at the link to the Boren Awards above.***



# SCHOLARSHIP

<https://www.ciee.org/go-abroad/college-study-abroad/scholarships/frederick-douglass-global-fellowship>

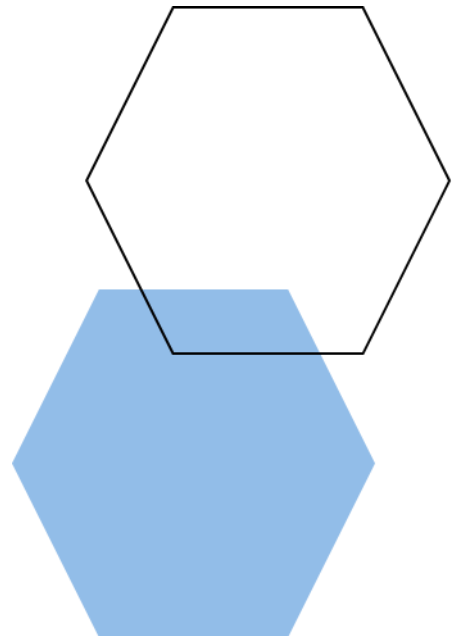
**Frederick Douglass Global Fellowship Program, D: Feb 14, 2020**

Selected criteria from website:

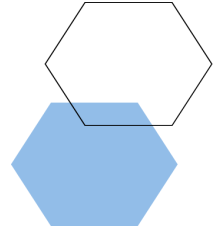
“To be eligible for the Frederick Douglass Global Fellow scholarship, applicants must:

- Be a current undergraduate freshman or sophomore attending a Minority Serving Institution
- Be Federal Pell Grant eligible
- Have a minimum GPA 3.00
- Reside in the U.S. with student status or be a U.S. citizen, U.S. national or permanent resident.”

More information can be found at the link above.



# Undergraduate Security Scholarship



## SCHOLARSHIP

<https://www.iamcybersafe.org/s/undergraduate-scholarships>

**\$1,000-\$5,000 Undergraduate Security Scholarship, D: Feb 24, 2020**

Selected criteria from website:

- “Must be pursuing, or plan to pursue, a degree with a focus on cybersecurity or information assurance.
- You may be a senior in high school, or an undergraduate student who is currently a junior, freshman, sophomore or senior who will be pursuing an undergraduate degree in the fall. If you will have graduated with your undergraduate degree by the fall then please apply for the [\(ISC\)<sup>2</sup> Graduate Scholarship](#) if appropriate.
- GPA must be at least 3.3 on a 4.0 scale (or an analogous rank based on a comparable scale).
- You may be a citizen of any country (US citizenship not required)
- May be attending on campus or online.
- May be attending full time or part time
- May be attending in the US or Internationally
- You do not currently need to be enrolled, however no awards will be disbursed until the recipient is enrolled in a college or university.
- If awarded: the award will be sent to the school with instructions that it be applied to tuition, fees and books.”

# Graduate Security Scholarship

## SCHOLARSHIP

<https://www.iamcybersafe.org/s/graduate-scholarships>

**\$1,000-\$5,000 Graduate Security Scholarship, D: Mar 2, 2020**

Selected criteria:

- “Must be pursuing, or plan to pursue, a degree with a focus on cybersecurity or information assurance.
- Must be pursuing a Master’s Degree program or doctoral studies
- GPA must be at least 3.5 on a 4.0 scale (or an analogous rank based on a comparable scale)
- Note: If you have just been accepted to Graduate School, or are just beginning classes, you will use the final cumulative GPA from your undergraduate degree transcript to meet this criteria
- You may be a citizen of any country (US citizenship not required)
- May be attending on campus or online
- May be attending full time or part time
- May be attending in the US or Internationally
- You do not currently need to be enrolled, however no awards will be disbursed until the recipient is enrolled in a college or university.
- If awarded: the award will be sent to the school with instructions that it be applied to tuition, fees and books.”

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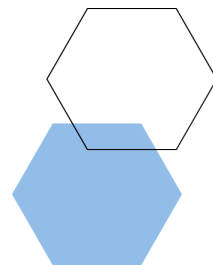
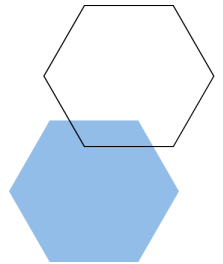
## SCHOLARSHIP

<https://www.gallerycollection.com/greeting-cards-scholarship.htm>

**\$10,000 Create a Greeting Scholarship, D: Mar 2, 2020**

From webpage:

- Submit original photo, artwork or computer graphics for the front of a greeting card.
- Winner will be announced May 6th, 2020.
- Age Eligibility: Must be 14 years or older at time of entry and be enrolled in High School, College, University or Homeschool.
- The finalists will again be decided by voting!



**More Scholarships (Year-Round—use these resources)**

<https://scholarshipamerica.org/students/browse-scholarships/>

**Scholarship America Open Scholarships**



<https://jlvcollegecounseling.com/scholarships/>

I find a lot of scholarships at this very reliable scholarship directory—**JLV College Counseling**

<https://www.unigo.com/scholarships>

Browse millions of scholarships at **Unigo's Scholarship Directory** at the above link.



<https://www.salliemae.com/student-loans/graduate-school-information/graduate-school-scholarships/>

Graduate School Scholarship Search Engine



<https://www.chegg.com/scholarships>

Browse over 25,000 scholarships in the **Chegg Scholarship** database



<https://www.scholarshipdesk.com/>

Though **Scholarship Desk** is full of ads, I have found some good scholarships on it.



<https://yescollege.com/guides/weird-scholarships/>

**200 Unique and Weird Scholarships Worth Applying For** (Updated for 2018 and 2019)—there are some interesting scholarships on this list.



***SKIP THE ADS! (Some of the ads are legitimate, but sadly I can't vouch for them all. Avoid the single mom or single dad scholarships—I and a few other students have received calls, and some of the operators are not scrupulous, trying to pressure students in pursuing degrees at for-profit colleges and to take on heavy student loans.)***



## Grants to Individuals Online database

There is a little known resource called **Grants to Individual Online database**, accessible to students and others through **Funding Information Network Locations**.

If you happen to be in Nashville, TN, this summer, then the **Nashville Public Library at 615 Church St, Nashville, Tennessee 37219, Phone: (615) 862-5800** is one of those locations.

<http://grantspace.org/find-us>



By putting in your **zip code at the website** at the above link, you can **find libraries or places you can go to access this database**.

Have the librarians teach you everything that the Grants to Individual Online database has available.

<http://gtionline.foundationcenter.org/>—This is the official page to look once you get to one of those libraries. I believe if one of these libraries aren't close to you, it costs about \$20 to access for one month.

## Benefits.gov--Looking for Scholarships, Internships, and other Government Programs

<https://www.benefits.gov/>



Benefits.gov is the portal for information about government benefits, which incorporates state information.

**Students, and also parents, can choose to answer questions in the Benefit Finder Tool and find benefits, including scholarships, internships, and government programs, they can apply for.**

**Also, under Benefits, you can choose “Browse Benefits” to explore benefits by category.**

Some programs I saw in the past:

American Music Abroad Program,

Advanced Education Nursing Traineeships, and

Undergrad Scholarship Program for Individuals from Disadvantaged Backgrounds, in which “individuals must pursue a course of study which prepares them for professions needed by the National Institutes of Health (NIH). The maximum scholarship per academic year is \$20,000. Scholarship funds may only be used for tuition/educational and living expenses incurred while attending school.”



*In other words, explore this resource for wonderful possibilities!*

You can find more scholarship opportunities at the Scholarship Tigers blog:

<https://scholarshiptigers.com/>

***How to Receive Entire Blog Entries from ScholarshipTigers.com as They are Published***

On the right hand side of the webpage, scroll down until you see the words, EMAIL SUBSCRIPTION.

If you enter your email address and click on the box, SIGN ME UP, you should receive an email, and then all you have to do is confirm it.

You will then receive blog updates with scholarships, PDFs, and clues so that you can discover more college money and aim for less student debt.

***Writing Help and Scholarship Coaching at the TSU Writing Center***

As a Tennessee State University student, if you need help with scholarship applications, essays, or any other writing concern, know that the Writing Center at Tennessee State University, found in room 310, Student Success Center, also known as the Harold M. Love Learning Resource Center (LRC), is available to you.

During the Spring 2020 semester, hours are Monday-Friday, 8:00 am-6:00 pm, 615.963.5102

For online scheduling: <http://mywco.com/tnstate>

Register for an account, and schedule your appointment!

For personal scholarship coaching, choose Mr. Michael Turner, signing up for 30 minutes or an hour, and we will look for scholarships that pertain to your major and your personal circumstances.