# AFRICAN AMERICAN SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarship open to African American or Black students.

#### Bimbo Bakeries Student Professional Development Program

Sponsor: Bimbo Bakeries | UNCF

**Amount**: Up to \$5,000

Closing Date; - extended to November 30, 2023

**Description**: Scholarship is open to African American college sophomores who are majoring in a program associated with Accounting, Business Administration, Engineering, Finance, Marketing, Mathematics, Mechanical Engineering, Robotics, Science, or Technology. Applicant must have at least a 3.0 GPA and preference will be given to students attending a HBCU.

#### New Beginnings Esthetics Scholarship

Sponsor: Dermalogica | Beauty Changes Lives Foundation

Amount: \$5,000

Closing Date: November 30, 2023

**Description**: Scholarship is open to students who are newly accepted or currently enrolled in an esthetics program at a Dermalogica partner school, and identify as Black, Indigenous, or persons of color.

#### **CBS Sports HBCU Scholarship**

**Sponsor**: CBS Sports | UNCF **Amount**: Up to \$4,250

Closing Date: December 1, 2023

**Description**: Scholarship is open to African American college juniors who exemplify strong leadership abilities, and demonstrate an interest in sports, media, or entertainment.

# Ron Brown Scholar Program

**Sponsor**: Ron Brown Scholar Program

**Amount**: \$10,000

Closing Date: December 1, 2023

**Description**: Scholars program is open to African-American/Black high school seniors who excel academically and demonstrate a keen interest in public service, community engagement, business entrepreneurship and global citizenship.

### WebstaurantStore Scholarships

Sponsor: WebstaurantStore

Amount: \$5,000

Closing Date: December 1, 2023

**Description**: Scholarship is open to current college students majoring in Culinary Arts, Hospitality Management, or a closely related field. In addition to the general scholarship, there is a scholarship open to ethic minority students.

# 100 Black Men of Upstate SC, Inc. Scholarship

Sponsor: Denny's | 100 Black Men of Upstate SC, Inc.

**Amount**: \$2,000

Closing Date: December 11, 2023

Description: Scholarship is open to students who will be full-time students at accredited and

Deleted: November 15, 2023

post-secondary institutions. Grades and academic performance will serve as indicators of potential; however, preference will be given to African American male youth.

#### **BD** Scholarship

Sponsor: Becton, Dickinson and Company | UNCF

**Amount**: \$10,000

Closing Date: December 11, 2023

**Description**: Scholarship is open to current juniors and seniors who are enrolled full-time at any UNCF member institution, other HBCU, or any accredited four-year college or university. Applicant must major in one of the following academic disciplines/area of study: biomedical science, biology, life sciences, microbiology, global health, nursing, pharmacy, or science technology. Preference shall be given to students who are residents of the following states: New Jersey, New York, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Illinois, Georgia, South Carolina, North Carolina, Alabama, Florida, Oklahoma, Missouri, California, Indiana, Utah, Arizona, Texas, or Nebraska.

### NGLCC - Denny's Hungry for Education Scholarship

Sponsor: Denny's | National LGBT Chamber of Commerce

Amount: \$2,000

Closing Date: December 11, 2023

**Description**: Scholarship is open to college students residing in the US who identify as a member of the LGBT community. LGBT students of color, those who identify as transgender or non-binary, LGBT students with disabilities and those with geographic diversity are strongly encourage to apply.

#### Tom Joyner Foundation - Denny's Hungry for Education Scholarship

 $\textbf{Sponsor} \colon \mathsf{Denny's} \ | \ \mathsf{Tom} \ \mathsf{Joyner} \ \mathsf{Foundation}$ 

Amount: \$3,200

Closing Date: December 11, 2023

**Description**: Scholarship is open to students enrolled in an accredited Historically Black College or University educational institution in the United States or Puerto Rico.

### **HBCYOU Scholarship**

Sponsor: Procter & Gamble | HBCU

**Amount**: Up to \$2,500

 $\textbf{Closing Date} : December \ 14, \ 2023$ 

**Description**: Scholarship is open to full-time students who have a 3.0 of higher GPA enrolled at select HBCUs in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, North Carolina, Tennessee,

Virginia, or Washington, DC.

## **UNCF Social Justice Scholarship**

Sponsor: UNCF Amount: Up to \$5,000

Closing Date: December 14, 2023

**Description**: Scholarship is open to students who are from New York, New Jersey, Vermont, and Connecticut who are committed to social justice. Applicant must be African American and be currently enrolled in college with at least a 2.5 GPA. Although all majors are encouraged to apply, those students who are political science, criminal justice or in a course of study toward the preparation of law school will be given preference.

## **AWWA Scholarships**

Sponsor: American Water Works Association

Amount: Varies

Closing Date: December 19, 2023

**Description**: Scholarships are open to current undergraduate and graduate students with an interest in working in the water industry (engineering, research, etc.). In addition to the general scholarships, there are scholarships specifically for female students and minority students.

## **GFOA Scholarships**

Sponsor: Government Finance Officers Association (GFOA)

Amount: Varies

Closing Date: December 29, 2023

**Description**: Scholarships are open to students who plan to pursue a career in state/provincial or local government finance. Multiple scholarships available with different requirements. See website for details. In addition to the general scholarship, there is a scholarship specifically to minority students.

#### John Lennon Endowed Scholarship

**Sponsor**: UNCF | Yoko Ono **Amount**: Up to \$5,000

Closing Date: January 4, 2024

**Description**: Scholarship is open to undergraduate students attending a UNCF member institution and majoring in communications, mass communications, mass media arts, music or performing arts.

# Nevada-UNCF Scholarship

Sponsor: UNCF Amount: Varies

Closing Date: January 9, 2024

**Description**: Scholarship is open to African American 2023 high school graduates who attend a HBCU. Applicant must be a permanent resident of the metropolitan Las Vegas region in the state of Nevada and must have at least a 2.5 GPA.

# **Jackie Robinson Foundation Scholarship**

**Sponsor**: Jackie Robinson Foundation **Amount**: Up to \$30,000 over four years **Closing Date**: January 10, 2024

**Description**: Scholarship is open to graduating, minority high school seniors who plan on attending an accredited and approved four-year institution within the United States. Applicant must show leadership potential, dedication to community service, and evidence of financial need.

# Fidelity Scholars Program

Sponsor: UNCF | Fidelity

Amount: Varies

Closing Date: January 11, 2024

**Description**: Scholarship is open to students ages 16 to 24 who are permanent residents of Florida, Massachusetts, New Mexico, North Carolina, New Jersey, Texas, or the District of Columbia. Applicant must plan to attend a four-year accredited, non-profit college or university as a first-time, incoming freshman in their permanent state or residence.

## **Amtrak Academic Scholarships**

Sponsor: Amtrak Amount: Up to \$5,000

Closing Date: January 24, 2024

**Description**: Scholarship is open to incoming and current undergraduate and graduate students with at least a 2.8 GPA. There are a total of 11 scholarships with specific requirements. There are scholarships open to the following majors: Business, Finance, Marketing, Supply Chain, Computer Science, Engineering, Math, Science. There are also scholarships open to students who are African American/Black, Hispanic/Latinx,, Native American, or Asian/Pacific Islander.

### FOSSI Scholarship

Sponsor: Future of STEM Scholars Initiative

**Amount**: \$10,000 for four years **Closing Date**: January 31, 2024

**Description**: Scholarship is open to graduating high school seniors who are planning to attend an HBCU during the next academic year. Applicant must be pursing their studies in a STEM major, with preference given to students majoring in Chemical Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Chemistry, Computer Science, Material Science, Sustainability, Environmental Science, Agriculture Science, Physics, or Biology.

### **LPGA Scholarships**

Sponsor: LPGA Foundation

Amount: Varies

Closing Date: January 31, 2024

**Description**: Scholarships are open to female graduating high school seniors who played golf in high school. There are scholarships for students who are planning on playing collegiate golf and for students not planning on playing collegiate golf. In addition to general scholarships, there are scholarships open to minority female students.

# Barbara Jordan Historical Essay Competition

Sponsor: University Interscholastic League

Amount: Varies

Closing Date: February 14, 2024

**Description**: Competition is open to any student in grades 9-12 who attends a UIL member high school (Texas). Applicant must submit an essay on the following prompt: "African

Americans in Texas: Past and Present."

## **UNCF General Scholarship**

Sponsor: UNCF Amount: Varies

Closing Date: March 28, 2024

**Description**: Scholarship is open to students enrolled full-time at one of the 37 UNCF member institutions during the 2023-2024 academic year. Applicant must have a demonstrated financial

need as verified by the financial aid office and have a minimum GPA of 2.5.

## TMCF | Sallie Mae Fund Completing the Dream Gap Scholarship

**Sponsor**: The Sallie Mae Fund

**Amount**: Up to \$2,500 **Closing Date**: June 28, 2024

**Description**: Scholarship is open to students who's degree or program will end Spring 2024 semester. Applicant must have at least a 2.75 GPA and have an unpaid school balance up to \$2,500.

# $\underline{\operatorname{art}+\operatorname{biz}\operatorname{Scholarship}}$

Sponsor: Barrel and Flow Fest

Amount: Varies Closing Date: Rolling

**Description**: Scholarship is open to residents of Western Pennsylvania who identify as Black or African American, Indigenous, or as a Person of Color. Applicant must be currently pursuing an

undergraduate degree in a visual arts, performing arts, or culinary arts.