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Freshman Scholarships & Financial Aid at IUPUI 2008

IUPUI administers over \$7 million in institutional financial aid and scholarships every year to thousands of IUPUI students to aid them in paying for their education. Scholarships, awarded to students through many different programs at IUPUI, are usually awarded based on academic performance and potential for future performance. Some programs also look at leadership, extracurricular involvement and community service.

Scholarships and Tuition at IUPUI

Scholarships at IUPUI are credited to the student account, usually split equally between fall and spring semesters. They are applied against the balance on the student account after registration and any remaining balance is sent to the student for use for other educational expenses like books, etc. Some scholarships, like the Diversity Research scholarships, are dedicated to tuition and fees only which are applied directly to the student's account and any additional remaining amount may not be refunded.

Taxes and Scholarships

Students receiving combinations of scholarships that exceed tuition and fees (direct costs) may need to consult with IRS publications #520 and #508 on tax liability for the difference. Please see the IRS website for downloadable copies or more information. (The Scholarship Office cannot provide information on tax advising.)

Scholarships — offsetting an already affordable

education: An IUPUI education offers many opportunities not available at other institutions because of its great location and partnerships with local businesses and neighborhood resources. When you add scholarships into the equation, the great deal just got better! Tuition at IUPUI is very competitive. For more information on tuition & fee rates visit the Bursar website at: www.bursar.iupui.edu. See how far your scholarship dollars can go!

The following scholarship opportunities are for incoming freshmen students. Eligibility is based on academic merit and/or extracurricular activities while some scholarships also consider financial need. For more information regarding these scholarships, please call the IUPUI Office of Student Scholarships (OSS) at 317-274-5516 or visit our campus office in Cavanaugh Hall, Room 103.

IMPORTANT NOTE: To qualify for the following scholarships, students must have applied for admission to IUPUI by the scholarship deadline and must eventually be admitted in unconditional status to remain scholarship eligible. So apply early for admission to ensure optimal scholarship eligibility!

IMPORTANT EXPLANATION ABOUT SAT SCORES:

Please note that the Writing section of the SAT will NOT be used as a scholarship eligibility criterion. Until more research is done on the efficacy and accuracy of this section, and best practices established about how to best evaluate this new section of the test, only the Math and Critical Reading portions of the test will be considered. Therefore when you review the scholarship eligibility information on this website and you see a required SAT score of 1200, for example, that represents the combined total of the Math and Critical Reading sections only.

Admission-Based Scholarships*

+Valedictorian and Salutatorian Scholarships

\$10,000 annually for 4 years

Students who have applied for admission by February 1, who are ranked first or second in their high school class with a 1200 SAT or 26 ACT score may qualify for this scholarship. In-state students who meet the required class rank but have a lower SAT/ACT score may be considered if they are receiving the Indiana Academic Honors Diploma. To be considered for renewal, students must attend full time and maintain a 3.3 GPA (no separate application is required).

+IUPUI Academic Excellence Scholarships (AES)

\$2,500 annually for 4 years

Students who have applied for admission by February 1 who have a minimum high school GPA of 3.75 (on a 4.0 scale) with a minimum 1200 SAT or 26 ACT score may be eligible for this scholarship. To be considered for renewal, students must attend full time and maintain a 3.0 GPA (no separate application required).

+IUPUI Dean of the Faculties Scholarships (DOFS)

\$2,000 annually for 4 years

Students who have applied for admission by February 1 who have a minimum high school GPA of 3.5 (on a 4.0 scale) and who score 1100 or higher on the SAT or 23 on the

ACT may be eligible for this scholarship. To be considered for renewal, students must attend full time and maintain a 2.75 GPA (no separate application required).

+First Generation Scholarships

\$1,500 annually for 4 years

Students who have applied for admission by February 1 who have a minimum high school GPA of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale) and who will be the first in their family of origin (mother or father) to graduate from an accredited college (Bachelor degree or higher) may be eligible for this scholarship. Students must have a minimum 1000 SAT or 21 ACT score to be eligible. Students who are eligible for another admission-based scholarship will be ineligible to receive this scholarship. To be considered for renewal, students must attend full time and maintain a 2.50 GPA (no separate application required).

IUPUI Outstanding GED Scholarships

\$1,500 annually, renewable for 2 years

Deadline: April 1, admission

Students who achieve an average standard score of 65 or higher on the GED Test and are unconditionally admitted to IUPUI are eligible to receive this scholarship (no separate application required). Renewable with maintenance of a minimum 3.0 GPA and full time enrollment.

* Please note that students receive only one admission-based scholarship.

+ Scholarships also available to IUPUC students.

IUPUI Honors Program

The Honors Program provides a challenging academic curriculum for enthusiastic and dedicated students seeking to grow both intellectually and personally. Our program is a coherent, campus-wide program for high achieving students from all academic disciplines. Honors Program students have the opportunity to enroll in smaller dynamic classes and to collaborate with faculty in independent study and research projects. Participants in the IUPUI Honors Program will be required to complete at least three credit hours of honors course work each semester. Honors faculty and staff are committed to providing the best educational experience for IUPUI's top students. Entering freshmen who have a combined SAT score of 1200 or an ACT composite score of 26, and who graduated in the top 10% of their high school class with a minimum 3.5 GPA are invited to apply to the Honors Program. To learn more about the IUPUI Honors Program or to download an application, please visit www.universitycollege.iupui.edu/honors/ or call (317) 274-2660.

IUPUI Honors Program Scholarships

Application Deadline - February 1 -- \$1,500 renewable.

The IUPUI Honors Program provides highly motivated and creative students with additional resources and opportunities that enhance their experiences both within the

classroom and beyond. Criteria: a minimum GPA of 3.75 or higher (or its recognized equivalent) on a 4.0 scale, excellent grades in challenging academic course work, and an SAT score of at least 1200 (Critical Reading and Math) or an ACT Composite score of 26. Visit www.uc.iupui.edu/honors or send a message to honors@iupui.edu for further information and application materials.

Bepko Scholars and Fellows Program

Scholarship & Admission Application Deadline: December 1 – In-state (rate) undergraduate tuition, fees, and books for four years of study, two years of on-campus housing, and up to \$5,000 per year for four years of graduate or professional study at IUPUI.

This highly competitive program provides financial, academic, and programming support to academically motivated and civically engaged students throughout their undergraduate and post-graduate years. Criteria: excellent SAT or ACT scores, outstanding performance in a rigorous college-preparatory curriculum, and extensive civic engagement endeavors are required. Finalists for the award must also complete an interview as the final step of the application process. (*Note: students residing outside Indiana will be interviewed by phone.*) Visit www.BepkoScholars.iupui.edu or send a message to bsfp@iupui.edu for further information and application materials.

Research Scholarship Programs

IUPUI Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program (UROP)

The Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program offers undergraduate research project and travel grants and conference travel funds to support and encourage undergraduates who participate in research and other creative projects with faculty in all disciplines, including music and art. Formal research credits may be earned toward graduation. Further information may be obtained from the UROP Program Director: Dr. Kathryn Wilson; email: kjwilson@iupui.edu; telephone: (317) 278-1028. Also visit the web site at <http://www.urop.iupui.edu>.

Summer Research Opportunity Program (SROP)

SROP offers outstanding undergraduates the opportunity to conduct research during an intensive 8 week session. Students that have traditionally been underrepresented in graduate school, in their field of study, first-generation college students, or students who have a particular interest in conducting research on topics that affect minority populations are encouraged to apply for this competitive summer research program. The program gives undergraduate student first-hand exposure to the experiences of graduate school by placing them with faculty whose work is closely related to their academic interests and career goals. The summer experience includes working with a faculty mentor on a research project, attending research related seminars and workshops, attending an annual summer research conference, and networking with a diverse group of student-fellows in a

variety of summer research programs. Fellows are awarded a stipend for their participation. Application deadline is February 29, 2008. For more information, visit the SROP website: <http://www.iupui.edu/~gradoff/srop/>, or send email to srop@iupui.edu, or call 317.274.1577.

Diversity Scholars Research Program (DSRP)

Full Tuition and Fees

Deadline: March 1, admission and application.

Beginning Freshman & Transfer Student Scholarship Requirements

The Diversity Scholars Research Program is aimed at attracting academically talented students pursuing an education in the research setting who will contribute to the diversity of IUPUI. This program began in the fall of 1997 and the first graduates finished in 2001. Students in the program are part of a group of undergraduate scholars who benefit from the research activities, individual support and scholarship funding leading to graduation with a four year degree. The research component is designed not only to acclimate students to a research setting, but also to actively involve them in undergraduate research in preparation for graduate studies. Research mentors from IUPUI faculty and the corporate sector help these scholars to structure their research programs. This award is made to students in a variety of majors at IUPUI and is highly competitive. Eligibility requirements:

- 1) Student must be in the top 25% of their graduating class and have at least a 1070 SAT (math and critical Reading sections only) or 23 ACT score.
- 2) Student must have at least a B grade in all math and science courses.
- 3) Student must supply at least two (2) letters of recommendation, one which must be from a math or science teacher.
- 4) Student must be an Indiana resident and/or be a US citizen or permanent resident. A scholar may continue in the program for up to 4 years if he/she maintains a cumulative 3.0 GPA.
- 5) Students from racial and ethnic populations who have been historically underrepresented in institutions of higher education in Indiana and whose presence will enhance the learning environment through increased diversity at IUPUI are encouraged to apply.
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Contact Dr. Rafael Bahamonde at 278-6223 or rbahamon@iupui.edu for more information and to request an application.

Please visit these links for additional information:

- [Diversity Scholars Research Program Application](#)
- [Diversity Scholars Research Program Recommendation Form](#)
- <http://www.opd.iupui.edu/Units/CRL/dsrpHome.asp> - For more information and downloadable application materials.

Diversity Scholarships

Norman Brown Diversity & Leadership Program

Up to \$3000 per academic year for merit or financial need

Up to \$6,000 per academic year for both merit and financial need

Deadline: March 1, admission and application.

The Norman Brown Diversity & Leadership Program is designed to recruit, retain and prepare serious, academically gifted students who have demonstrated a commitment and/or desire to develop leadership skills for today's multicultural world. Program participants are encouraged to attain academic success, engage in leadership and civic activities, and prepare for work force entry. All scholars are required to enroll full time; maintain a 3.0 cumulative GPA; participate in specific program functions; and meet on a regular basis with an assigned IUPUI faculty/staff mentor. Beginning freshman applicants must be an Indiana resident, meet IUPUI's regular admission criteria (Indiana Core 40/Academic Honors diploma or equivalent), have a SAT 950 or ACT 20 and a cumulative GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.

All applicants are required to submit the following items:

a) high school transcript b) two letters of recommendation, and c) personal essay which must be double spaced, typed, and no longer than THREE typewritten pages. The essay must address ALL of the following questions: 1) Why are you interested in being a Norman Brown Scholar? 2) What qualities do you feel are necessary to be a leader in a multicultural environment and how have you demonstrated these qualities in the past? 3) What challenges or obstacles have you overcome in order to pursue your dreams of going to college? 4) How will you utilize your education and leadership skills to support individuals from underserved communities?

This program is an integral part of IUPUI's efforts to foster the benefits of educational diversity, in part by assuring the obtainment of a critical mass of students from underrepresented minority backgrounds with a history of discrimination. As such, during the application process positive considerations are given to students from underrepresented minority backgrounds and whose presence will enhance the learning environment through increased diversity at IUPUI. Additional consideration is also given to students with significant financial need as defined by the FAFSA. Eligible applicants must be Indiana residents and/or U.S. Citizens or permanent residents. For more information and application materials call the Multicultural Outreach Office at (317) 274-5516.

IUPUI Top Competitive Scholarships

***Plater Distinguished Scholars Program**

Scholarship & Admission Application Deadline: December 1 -- \$7,500 per year for four years of study, also funding for a study abroad experience, and a partial housing stipend for living in International House for one year.

As a key component of the Plater International Scholars Program this highly competitive scholarship is available to exceptional incoming freshmen who are committed to combining academic excellence with global citizenship. Plater Scholars will be actively involved in international programming both on and off-campus. Criteria: minimum GPA of 3.75 or higher (or its recognized equivalent) on a 4.0 scale, excellent SAT or ACT examination results (applicants for whom English is not their native language

should also submit TOEFL results), and an application essay (addressing why you believe being a globally informed citizen is important in the 21st century as well as describing the qualities and/or experiences you have that will support you in your efforts to become such a citizen). Finalists for the award must also complete an interview as the last step of the application process. (*Note: students residing outside Indiana will be interviewed by phone.*)

*Adam W. Herbert Hoosier Presidential Scholars Program

\$9,000 annually for 4 years (in-state students)

Deadline: December 1st, admission and application

Indiana University's Hoosier Presidential Scholars Program offers Indiana's top high school graduates four-year renewable scholarships to attend one of IU's campuses throughout the state. IU has established a \$10 million endowment fund to support these awards for high achieving students in Indiana through the vision of the Lilly Endowment to recruit and retain intellectual capital for the state. IU will award up to 40 Hoosier Presidential Scholarships each year, with 10 of these awards going to students attending IUPUI.

Following are key features of the program:

- Nominees for the scholarship are selected from entering freshman students who have been admitted to an IU campus. They must be Indiana residents. These students apply for the scholarship, with recipients named in late January.
- Scholars receive other benefits, including a personal laptop computer and funding to be used for study abroad in their junior or senior year.
- Hoosier Presidential Scholars can choose any major offered at the campus that they are attending.
- Scholarships are offered by individual campuses and are **not** transferable between campuses.
- See the IUPUI Freshman Scholarship application for more details about eligibility.

* Asterisk indicates that the scholarship can be applied for using the general Freshman Scholarship application.

Competitive Scholarships

*Senior Academy Freshman Scholarship

Up to \$2,000

Deadline: March 1, admission and application

The Senior Academy at IUPUI has established a scholarship program designed to partially support tuition and books for beginning freshmen who show the potential for academic excellence in their IUPUI studies. The scholarship will be awarded in the second semester of the awardee's high-school senior-year for enrollment at IUPUI in the following fall semester. Applications will be reviewed and the awardees selected by the Senior Academy Scholarship Committee.

Applicants must (1) meet regular admissions requirements to IUPUI, (2) have graduated from a high school in the Indianapolis Public Schools system, (3) have a high school grade point average of at least 3.00 on a 4.00 scale, and (4) agree to enroll for at least 9 credit hours per semester. The applicant must also submit two letters of recommendation and complete an essay on your academic objectives and career goals.

***Mary E. Burns Scholarships**

Up to \$2,000

Deadline: April 1, admission and application

Students from Washington County High Schools are eligible to apply for this scholarship provided by the Mary E. Burns estate. Students with financial need are especially encouraged to apply.

Props Family Scholarship

Tuition, Fees and Books (Renewable 1 additional year)

Deadline: March 1, admission

Incoming freshman students who are unconditionally admitted to IUPUI with a 900 SAT or 19 ACT score and can show financial need as determined by the FAFSA may be eligible to apply for this scholarship. Applicants must be Indiana residents who have been employed for six continuous months in an entry-level position (preference will be given to McDonald's Restaurant employees). An employer letter of recommendation is required. Students must be enrolled full time (min. 12 credit hours) and must maintain a GPA of 2.5 to remain eligible for renewal for sophomore year. Contact the Office of Student Scholarships at (317) 274-5516 for more information or to request an application.

Nina Mason Pulliam Scholars Program

Full In-state tuition, fees, books and living allowance

Deadline: April 1

This scholarship was created to honor Nina Mason Pulliam who was a journalist, business leader, a humanitarian, and a lover of all creatures. This scholarship honors the memory of this modern pioneer and is available to incoming freshmen, ages 18-25, who have been raised through the child welfare system and have no form of financial support, or are college-age youth and adults with physical disabilities, or students who are 25 years or older who have dependents in their family unit. Applicants must be admitted to IUPUI, be a U.S. citizen and resident of Indiana, have previously completed no more than 24 college-level, degree-applicable credit hours, and be working toward their first college degree. Priority is given to applicants who have household incomes of 80% or less of the Marion County, Indiana median. Application requires an essay, an official academic transcript and demonstrable financial need as determined by the FAFSA and at least 2 letters of recommendation. If chosen as a finalist, an interview will also be required. Contact Charlie Johnson, program advisor, (317) 278-7878 or nina@iupui.edu for more information and/or to request an application.

Community Service Scholarships

Sam H. Jones Community Service Scholarship Program

***Freshman Service Scholarships**

\$2,500 - Deadline: February 1, priority date

The Sam H. Jones Community Service Scholarship Program recognizes IUPUI students for previous service to their high school, campus, or community, and supports their continued involvement in educationally meaningful service, leadership, and social advocacy. Sam H. Jones was a dedicated public servant who provided dynamic leadership as the Chief Executive Officer of the Indianapolis Urban League. The program honors Sam Jones' legacy as a community leader whose vision and dedication improved the quality of life for many in Central Indiana.

The Freshman Service Scholarship recognizes students who have demonstrated a commitment to voluntary service through high school and/or community-based organizations. Applicants must meet regular admissions standards. Freshman Service Scholars agree to enroll in at least 9 credit hours per semester, including a required service learning class, and participate in planned community service activities during the year.

Application requires a) IUPUI scholarship application, b) a personal essay, c) an official academic transcript, and d) two letters of recommendation, with at least one from a teacher who is familiar with your service involvement. The personal essay should describe your service activities, how the service contributed to your school and/or community, and the lessons you learned through your involvement with others. On campus interviews will be conducted for all finalists. Contact Patti Hair at (317) 278-2662, phair@iupui.edu, or visit the Center for Service and Learning website <http://csl.iupui.edu> for further information.

***“Make a Difference” Scholarship**

\$500

Deadline: March 1, admission and application

The Center on Philanthropy is pleased to offer a \$500 scholarship for students who have participated in school or community service and are interested in careers that “make a difference” and want to continue to be involved with helping others. Its purpose is to further develop leadership skills and connect the recipient with a network of other students with similar “service interests.” Applicants must meet regular IUPUI admission requirements, score at least 950 on the SAT or 20 on the ACT, and graduate in the top 50 percent of their high school class. The recipient must agree to enroll as a full-time student during their freshman year and maintain a 2.5 GPA.

Major-Specific Scholarships for Undergraduate International Students

***Hoosier Connection Scholarship in Engineering and Technology**

\$1,000 - \$6,000, Renewable

Priority Date for fall semester: May 1

Priority Date for spring semester: October 1, admission and scholarship application

This scholarship is available for foreign students that are admitted to an academic department within the School of Engineering and Technology.

Major-Specific Scholarships for Freshmen

*** Math & Science Education Scholarship**

\$2,500 per year, renewable up to 4 years

Deadline: March 1st

The Math and Science Teaching Scholarship Program offered by the Urban Center for the Advancement of Math/Science Education, is designed to encourage and to support outstanding high school graduates who desire to pursue a career in math or science teaching at the middle and/or high school level. Eligible students must be in the top 25% of their graduating class and have a minimum 1050 SAT (Math & Critical Reading Sections only) or 22 ACT score; have a minimum high school GPA of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale); and must be a citizen or permanent resident of the U.S. Eligible students from the under-represented minority groups are encouraged to apply.

***+Richard Rapala Scholarships**

Up to \$1,000

Deadline: March 1, admission and application

New students majoring in Chemistry, Cytotechnology, Medical Laboratory Sciences, or Nursing are eligible to apply for this scholarship. Emphasis will be placed on academic merit and financial need. All applicants must be admitted unconditionally and submit the FAFSA by March 1.

School of Science

***Dean of Science Scholarships**

Up to \$2,500 per year, Renewable for 4 years

Deadline: February 1, admission and scholarship applications

The School of Science Dean's Scholars Program is designed for beginning School of Science freshmen. These competitive scholarships provide awards of up to \$2,500 per academic year renewable up to \$10,000. Contingent upon availability of funds, a Dean's Scholar who is a beginning major may be supported for up to eight regular (fall/spring) semesters provided that the student continues in a degree program in the School of Science and maintains an overall GPA of at least 3.5. An applicant must be in the top 25% of the graduating class and have a minimum SAT score of 1200 or ACT score of 26. An award recipient may hold only one scholarship funded by the School of Science. Application, essay, transcript, and two letters of recommendation must be received by the Office of Student Scholarships by February 1.

***Health & Life Science Scholarship**

Up to \$2,500 in-state/\$5,000 out-of-state per year, renewable for 4 years

Priority Deadline: December 1st, admission and application

Secondary Deadline: February 1st, admission and application

The Health & Life Science Scholars Program is designed for beginning freshmen in the health and life science majors. Contingent upon availability of funds, a Health and Life Science Scholar who is a beginning major may be supported up to eight regular (fall/spring) semesters provided that the student continues in a degree program in a health or life science and maintains an overall minimum GPA of 3.5. An applicant must be in the top 25% of their graduating class and have a minimum SAT score of 1200 or ACT score of 26. An award recipient may hold only one scholarship funded by the School of Science. Application, essay, transcript, and two letters of recommendation must be received by the Office of Student Scholarships by one of the deadlines listed above.

School of Engineering and Technology

***Leadership Scholarship**

\$500 - \$2,000, Renewable (3.2 GPA)

Priority Date: February 1, admission and application

Requirements for scholarship eligibility vary - all applicants must be admitted to an academic unit within the School of Engineering and Technology. Scholarship requires volunteer activities that will enhance the student's leadership abilities.

***Melba Schumacher Scholarship for Mechanical Engineering**

\$500 - \$4,000, Renewable (3.2 GPA)

Priority Date: February 1, admission and application

The Melba Schumacher Scholarship is available for all traditional, full-time students that are admitted directly into the Mechanical Engineering program.

***Electrical and Computer Engineering Technology**

Project Lead the Way Scholarship (PLTW)

\$1,000 - not renewable

Priority Date: February 1, admission and application

The Electrical and Computer Engineering PLTW scholarship is a one-time scholarship available to traditional, full-time students that are directly admitted to either Electrical Engineering Technology or Computer Engineering Technology. Applicants must have completed the Digital Electronics PLTW course with a grade of B or better. (All applicants will receive university credit for this course at no cost). A letter of recommendation must be completed by the Digital Electronics instructor.

***Max Kade Scholarship for International Engineering**

\$2,000 - not renewable (3.0 GPA)

Priority Date: February 1, admission and scholarship application, and interview
One scholarship is available for a new student in the German/Engineering program each academic year.

***Commitment to Engineering Excellence**

\$2200 per academic year

Application deadline: February 1.

This is a scholarship for underrepresented students, specifically women and minority students whose presence will enhance the learning environment through increased diversity in the School of Engineering and Technology. Students must be directly admitted to School of Engineering and Technology. Preference will be given to students with a GPA of 3.5 and minimum SAT score of 1200 (Math and Critical Reading sections only). Students must complete the IUPUI scholarship application and an interview. This scholarship is renewable as long as a GPA of 3.2 is maintained. Students will also have opportunities for paid undergraduate research.

School of Engineering and Technology Admission-based Scholarships

The School of Engineering and Technology have admission-based scholarship offers that equal half the amount of some of the campus admission-based scholarships (at the in-state rate). If you are directly admitted to the School of Engineering and Technology and receive one of the following admission-based scholarships from IUPUI then you will also receive an additional admission-based scholarship from the school:

Academic Excellence Scholarship- (campus amount \$2,500) – Engineering & Technology amount - \$1,250

Dean of the Faculties - (campus amount \$2,000) – Engineering & Technology amount - \$1,000

First Generation Scholarship - (campus amount \$1,500) – Engineering & Technology amount - \$750

* Asterisk indicates that the scholarship can be applied for using the general Freshman Scholarship application.

Herron School of Art and Design

Freshmen Portfolio Scholarships

UP TO HALF TUITION FOR ONE YEAR

Deadline: April 1

Herron School of Art and Design awards 5-10 incoming freshmen from the state of Indiana annually with these scholarships, based on the student's portfolio of art work. To be considered for this scholarship, students must submit their portfolio, application form and an essay to Herron School of Art and Design by April 1. For more information about this scholarship and many others not listed here, please call Herron School of Art and Design at (317) 278-9400 or herrart@iupui.edu

Shared Heritage Scholarship

UP TO \$3000, RENEWABLE

Deadline: April 1

The Shared Heritage Scholarship was established in 1996 in conjunction with the Shared Heritage exhibition at the Indianapolis Museum of Art in recognition of four African-American artists: John W. Hardwick, William Majors, William E. Scott, and Hale Woodruff. Incoming freshmen or transfer students applying to be full-time students to Herron School of Art are eligible for this scholarship. This scholarship is renewable for students who maintain good academic standing in Herron courses (2.50 GPA). A portfolio application is required. Students that add to the diversity at Herron are encouraged to apply. For more information, call (317) 278-9400 or herrart@iupui.edu.

Herron Out-of-State Scholarship

UP TO \$8000, RENEWABLE

Priority Deadline: March 1

This scholarship is a multi-level scholarship awarded to incoming freshmen students who are categorized as non-residents by IUPUI's Undergraduate Office of Admissions. The student may apply based on either his/her academic achievements or his/her portfolio. To be considered for renewal students must attend Herron full time, maintain a 3.0 cumulative GPA and continue their status as a non-resident. For more information, call (317) 278-9400 or herrart@iupui.edu.

School of Liberal Arts

***Sam Masarachia Scholarships**

Full tuition and fees, renewable up to 4 years (in-state rate, 12-15 credit hours per semester)

Deadline: February 1, admission and application

New beginning full-time students in Liberal Arts interested in studies related to labor, senior citizens, and/or community activism are encouraged to apply for this scholarship. Recipients will participate in Masarachia seminars, internships, and related activities. All finalists will be interviewed and scholars will be selected based on academic merit, financial need, and evidence of commitment to and familiarity with one or more of the specified program areas.

Qualified applicants must have graduated in the top 40 percent of their high school class with a 1000 SAT or 21 ACT score. Application, essay, transcript, and two recommendation forms must be received by the Office of Student Scholarships by February 1. For more information regarding eligibility requirements or program obligations, please contact the Office of Student Scholarships.

James R. East Scholarship

\$1,000

Deadline: March 1st, admission and application

The James R. East Scholarship was established to promote and encourage former members of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Indianapolis (BGCI) to study in a degreed curriculum in the IU School of Liberal Arts at IUPUI. Applicants must be previous members of BGCI, be an incoming freshman with a C or higher high school GPA, be directly admitted to the School of Liberal Arts, have demonstrated financial need as determined by the FAFSA and have academic potential. The scholarship is renewable if a semester grade average of B or higher is maintained. Contact the School of Liberal Arts, Office of Student Affairs at (317) 274-2465 or sla@iupui.edu or Cavanaugh Hall, Room 401 for more information.

School of Informatics

***School of Informatics Freshman Scholarship**

\$1,000, Renewable up to 4 years

Priority date: March 1, admission and application

The School of Informatics is pleased to offer a \$1000 scholarship for beginning students who have graduated in the top 25% of their class and have received a minimum SAT score of 1070 or ACT 23. Submit essay and transcript with application.

***OfficeWorks Informatics Scholarship**

\$2,500, Renewable

Priority date: March 1, admission and application

The School of Informatics is pleased to offer a \$2,500 OfficeWorks Scholarship for beginning students pursuing a degree in Informatics or Media Arts and Science, and who have a record of academic excellence as demonstrated by a minimum GPA of 3.5 on a 4.0 scale. The recipient of the scholarship should be an Indiana resident of Hispanic decent. Submit essay and transcript with application.

School of Public and Environmental Affairs

***School of Public and Environmental Affairs Scholarship**

\$500

Priority date: March 1, admission and application

The School of Public and Environmental Affairs is pleased to offer a \$500 scholarship for a beginning student majoring in one of our programs, including: criminal justice, environmental science and health, public affairs management, health administration, or civic leadership. Qualified students must have graduated in the top 25% of their high school class and earned a minimum SAT score of 1000 (or 21 ACT score). Submit SPEA's essay and your transcript with application. Please contact Kristen Lively-Smith at (317) 274-4656 or email klivelys@iupui.edu for more information.

* Use Freshman Scholarship application to apply.

Kelley School of Business

***Kelley School of Business – Key Bank Scholarship**

\$1,500

Deadline: February 1, admission and application

This scholarship is for incoming students who have been directly admitted to the Kelley School of Business and enroll full time. Qualified applicants must have a minimum 3.0 high school GPA on a 4.0 scale. Preference will be given to under-represented populations whose presence will enhance the learning environment through increased diversity at IUPUI. Please contact Maureen Kinney at 274-2147 or maukinne@iupui.edu for more information.

***Kelley School of Business - Principal Financial Group Scholarship**

\$2,500

Deadline: March 1, admission and application

This scholarship is for incoming students who have been directly admitted to the Kelley School of Business and enroll full time. Qualified applicants must have a minimum 3.0 GPA. Preference will be given to underrepresented populations whose presence will enhance the learning environment through increased diversity at IUPUI. Please contact Mary Chappell at (317) 274-3980 or mchappel@iupui.edu for more information.

***Kelley School of Business**

Sam Jones Diversity Scholarship

\$2,500, annually

Deadline: March 1, admission and application

The Kelley School of Business Sam Jones Diversity Scholarship was established to encourage and promote students from diverse backgrounds to study in a degreed curriculum in the IU Kelley School of Business. Applicants must have received a minimum score of 1100 on the SAT or 24 on the ACT with a minimum GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale. Recipients must be directly admitted to the Kelley School of Business, enroll full time and maintain a 3.0 GPA. Students who are first-generation college students and/or are from diverse backgrounds whose presence will enhance the learning environment through increased diversity at IUPUI are encouraged to apply. Please contact Mary Chappell at (317) 274-3980 or mchappel@iupui.edu for more information.

School of Physical Education & Tourism Management

***School of Physical Education & Tourism Management Freshman Scholarship**

\$500

Priority Deadline: March 1st, admission and application

The School of Physical Education & Tourism Management is pleased to announce a \$500 scholarship for an incoming freshman student with a major within this academic school. Qualified applicants must have a minimum 2.5 GPA. Submit application, transcript and essay. Make sure that you list your school activities and/or community service on the application.

***Jeff and Susan Vessely Scholarship**

\$2,000

Deadline: March 1, admission and application

Incoming Physical Education majors with a high school GPA of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale are eligible to apply. Application, transcript, and essay outlining personal career goals and objectives must be submitted to the Office of Student Scholarships by March 1.

***Bo L. Hagood Scholarship**

\$500

Deadline: March 1, admission and application.

This scholarship is for an incoming freshman majoring in tourism, conventions, and event management with at least a 2.5 GPA on a 4.0 scale. The recipient must be working in the industry, whether in hotels, tourism, restaurants, or other hospitality and tourism fields. Diverse students are encouraged to apply. For more information regarding this scholarship, please contact Dr. Sotiris Avgoustis, Department Chair at 274-2599 for more information.

***Peter J. George Scholarship**

\$500

Deadline: March 1, admission and application.

Beginning or transfer students admitted to the Department of Tourism, Conventions and Event Management with a 3.25 GPA on a 4.0 scale in high school or college are encouraged to apply. Qualified applicants must submit an application, transcript, and a 500 word essay on personal interest in food service as a career and how they plan to use their degree to the Office of Student Scholarships no later than March 1. Contact Dr. Sotiris Avgoustis, Department Chair at 274-2599 for more information.

* Asterisk indicates that the scholarship can be applied for using the general Freshman Scholarship application.

+ Scholarships also available to IUPUC students.

MILITARY SCHOLARSHIPS

Army ROTC Scholarships

Tuition and Fees

Four-, three-, and two- year Army ROTC Scholarships will pay for full college tuition and fees. In addition, a grant for textbooks and a \$1,500 general subsistence allowance are added for each school year the scholarship is in effect. Four-year ROTC scholarships are awarded on a competitive basis to U.S. citizens who will enter college as freshmen. Applications postmarked by July 15, one year prior to starting college, are considered for early-cycle scholarships, with winners announced by Nov. 1. Applications postmarked after July 15, but no later than Dec. 1, are considered in the regular cycle, with winners announced by March 1. There is no military commitment until the start of the sophomore year. There are also two-year reserve forces duty scholarships offered at IUPUI. Contact the IUPUI Professor of Military Science at (317) 274-0073 or (317) 274-2691.

Navy Officer Scholarships

Health Professions Scholarship Program (HPSP) –

This program provides full tuition and fees, as well as a living stipend of \$1279 a month. Students must have at least a 3.0 GPA, for dental students a DAT score of at least 18 or for medical students an MCAT of 22, provide favorable references and be a U.S. citizen.

Health Services Collegiate Program (HSCP) –

Students in this program receive a minimum monthly allowance of \$2500, as well as full medical and dental benefits. Students in this program can be promoted and receive pay increases. Students must have at least a 3.0 GPA, rank in the top half of their high school class, provide favorable references and be a U.S. citizen.

The Dental Student Program –

This program offers a \$30,000 signing bonus upon completion of dental school and starting practice in the Navy as a Dental Officer. Students must have at least a 3.0 GPA, provide favorable references and be a U.S. citizen.

Nurse Candidate Program –

This program offers a \$10,000 signing bonus upon completion of nursing school and up to \$34,000 in scholarships. Students must have at least a 3.0 GPA, provide favorable references and be a U.S. citizen.

Baccalaureate Degree Completion Program –

Earn up to \$60,000 while in college and receive medical/dental coverage. College applies toward active duty retirement.

For more information on these and other officer programs available through the Navy, call (317) 596-1842, Ext. 104 to speak to a recruiter that can assist you. (NOT ROTC.)

Air Force ROTC Scholarships

Air Force ROTC offers a variety of ways to get the money you need for school while requiring only minimal time from you as a student. But the benefits extend well beyond graduation – starting with a career as an officer in the Air Force straight

out of school. Over 150 career fields are available. The Air Force currently has a high need for engineers and nurses. Air Force ROTC scholarships cover tuition, an annual textbook allowance, most lab fees and \$250-\$400 spending cash per academic month. The application deadline for high school students is December 1st of your senior year. There is no military commitment until the start of the sophomore year. Scholarships are also available for students currently in college.

Beyond that, the benefits of Air Force ROTC are priceless:

- Take part in experiences that you'll remember for a lifetime.
- Grow as an individual and gain a sense of belonging with a group of peers who share common interests.
- Visit Air Force bases in the United States and overseas (and get paid for it).
- Take part in extreme Air Force summer adventures.
- Get college credit for Air Force ROTC courses.
- Air Force ROTC is an excellent way to complement your college lifestyle without dominating it. You'll still have time for a job, to join a sorority/fraternity, or join other social clubs.

Manage your future:

- Get management experience you'll use as an Air Force officer or in corporate America
- Secure a management level job in over 150 officer career paths after graduation
- Develop managerial skills through hands-on practice running the cadet corps
- Develop a healthy and fit lifestyle

For more information, call 1-800-IUB-ROTC or email riaweddl@indiana.edu.

Get on our Prospective Student Listserv!

Update-Me@IUPUI is a mailing list for prospective students and incoming freshman students who are seeking scholarship information at IUPUI. To subscribe to the mailing list, send an email message to listserv@iupui.edu with the message subscribe Update-Me-L Your Name in the body of the email. (No subject, signature or other text should be in the message). Contact the Scholarship Office at 274-5516 or Escholar@iupui.edu if you need assistance with subscribing.

Private Sector Scholarship Searching

Scholarships come from many sources in the private sector such as businesses, civic, community and religious organizations.

How to inquire about Scholarship Opportunities

- Check out the up-to-date, FREE Internet scholarship searching databases like FastWeb, Collegeboard and WiredScholar. Do at least 2 searches in each database to maximize your results. The internet has become a great tool for identifying scholarship opportunities.
- Check out the scholarship resource books in your local libraries—get the most recent editions as scholarship information is constantly changing.
- Check with your local community and civic organizations to see if they offer any scholarships.
- Check with your (or your parent's) employer to see if they offer any educational assistance or scholarships.

- Check with the religious organization in which you are affiliated to inquire about scholarships.

Scholarship opportunities are becoming more prevalent each year, but it's your responsibility to do the research to find them. Remember, you won't be considered for a scholarship if you don't apply. Persistence in this arena literally pays off for most students!

Financial Aid

Students who wish to apply for financial assistance for college should fill out the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) ideally before the March 1st deadline to be given priority consideration for federal, state and university assistance. Please consult www.fafsa.ed.gov or the IUPUI Financial Aid website at www.iupui.edu/finaid for details on financial aid.

Federal and State Aid

IUPUI administers federal and state aid in the form of Pell grants, student loans and state-based grant programs. Apply using the FAFSA form by the March 1st deadline.

Americorps

Americorps provides an excellent opportunity to get paid for doing work that you feel good about, while earning money for college at the same time. Call 1-800-94-ACORPS for information on this program and how you can get involved.

America Reads/America Counts

Making a difference in the lives of others can be a meaningful way to pay for college expenses. If you qualify for Federal Work-Study, you can earn \$8.50 per hour tutoring elementary school students near campus. Flexible work schedules are built around your class schedule. Bilingual tutors are also needed for the Hispanic America Reads Program. Call (317) 278-3655 for more information.

Non Work-Study - Student Employment Opportunities

Many departments throughout campus also hire students who are not eligible for work-study. There are numerous benefits to working on campus and most employers allow for flexible work schedules that are built around your class schedule. Working on campus not only saves you time, but money as well. If you are interested in employment opportunities check out jag jobs on-line at www.career.iupui.edu or call the Career Center at (317) 274-2554.

Work-Study

Federal work-study is one of the best-kept secrets around! It is a great job opportunity to help you support yourself while gaining work experience in college. Eligibility is determined by submitting the FAFSA. See your financial aid counselor to determine if you are eligible. For additional information please contact the Career Center at (317) 274-2554 or www.career.iupui.edu.

What are the Benefits to Consider in Utilizing Work-Study?

- Flexible work schedule that is built around your class schedule
- Work on campus and save in transportation costs
- Earnings are exempt from Social Security taxes
- Earnings are excluded from income in calculating next year's financial need on the FAFSA form
- Gain valuable work experience to help you build your resumes
- Work-study helps to reduce student debt from loans

TIPS FOR APPLYING:

SAT/ACT scores: If you have retaken the SAT or ACT recently, be sure to include a copy of the new test scores, even if you have already supplied these to admissions. The Office of Student Scholarships (OSS) is not responsible for upgrading scholarship offers due to changes in SAT/ACT scores without notification from the student. If the OSS is not notified prior to May 1, 2008, then scholarship offers will not be upgraded due to changes in the SAT/ACT scores.

Essays: It goes without saying that essays should observe the general rules of English. It is also recommended that you put your name on each page of the essay. Cover pages, plastic report covers, etc. are not necessary and will be removed when we process them. Because faculty read the essays to understand you better and gauge your abilities, be sure to edit thoroughly, use spell check, and have someone else review your essay. Originality is encouraged, but observance of grammar rules is even more important!

Interviews: Some of the scholarships require interviews of the final candidates. If you live more than one hour from campus and are selected to interview for a scholarship, you may request a phone interview with the selection committee if necessary.

Recommendation forms: Forms must be completed by a teacher, high school counselor, faculty member or principal who can attest to your character and academic performance. If you have been out of school for some time, you may submit recommendation forms from clergy members or employers. Recommenders cannot be family members. If the recommenders write additional comments on a sheet of paper, this should be on letterhead and sealed with the recommendation form, then sent to our office. Note: Recommendations can be used for multiple scholarships if applicable. However, make sure the eligible criteria for the specific scholarship for which you are applying is reinforced by your recommender.