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**CNUCOP SCHOLARSHIPS & AWARDS**

***Introduction***

The California Northstate University College of Pharmacy offers several scholarships and awards to qualifying students enrolled in our four-year Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.) program. Scholarship and award criteria vary but are typically based on academic performance, financial need, community outreach involvement, and professionalism or leadership skills. Please review the scholarship criteria listed below to determine eligibility and/or visit their various websites. Please see the list on the next page.

***How to Use this Document***

This document lists and details information regarding scholarships/awards available through 1) California Northstate University’s Office of the President, and Office of the Dean, 2) CNU Scholarships from external sources 3) the Northern California Education Foundation (NCEF), and 4) other external scholarships and awards. Scholarship or awards are listed and the eligibility criteria, award amount (if applicable) and tentative deadlines are outlined. It is the responsibility of the student to verify criteria, eligibility and deadlines as these are subject to change.

***General Application Procedure for internal CNUCOP Scholarships & Awards***

For awards/scholarships ranked by the Scholarships and Awards Committee, students must individually apply to each scholarship and/or award and submit a cover letter listing the name of the scholarship or award to which he or she is applying. Each student must also submit two copies of the required application documents electronically to **COPScholarships@cnsu.edu**. Wherever possible, please submit as one consolidated PDF. **One copy of the application must be de-identified**, meaning the students name and identification number should not appear on any of the application materials. Instead, please replace this information with “xxxx.” The de-identified applications will be ranked by the Scholarships and Awards committee members based on rubrics. All scholarship and award recipients will be recognized and honored at the *Scholarship and Awards Ceremony* held in the spring of each year. Please note, many of the scholarships and awards have different deadlines. Transcripts will be provided to the Scholarships and Awards Chair, Dr. Shahanara Ahsan, by the registrar. There is no need to submit a copy yourself. Please direct any questions to Dr. Shahanara Ahsan, Chair of the Scholarship and Awards Committee, by emailing [COPScholarships@cnsu.edu](mailto:COPScholarships@cnsu.edu).

***Northern California Education Foundation Scholarships***

In addition to scholarships evaluated by the Scholarships and Awards Committee, there are multiple scholarships offered by third parties that specify their own application requirements and instructions. Of note, the Northern California Education Foundation (NCEF) offers one of the most tuition assistance and need based scholarships, and any student that would like to qualify for these scholarships should apply through [www.ncef-ca.org](http://www.ncef-ca.org). The deadline for applications to the Foundation is typically in early spring.

***CNUCOP Scholarships and Awards Committee for AY 2024-2025.***

Chair	Shanhanara Ahsan	Assistant Professor	CAS
Ex officio	Tiffany Kreys	Assistant Dean	Student Affairs
Member	Arooj Fatima	Assistant Professor	PBS
Member	Allison Hom	Assistant Professor	CAS
Member	Natalie Cerna	Clinical Affairs Coordinator	Student Affairs
Member	Xitlali Luna	Student Affairs Coordinator	Student Affairs
Member	Arvinder Singh	Administrative Assistant	PBS
Member	Judy Xiong	Staff	Finance

**SUMMARY OF SCHOLARSHIPS FOR AY 2024-2025**

**\*Note: This document is updated monthly and reflects the most updated dates for the listed scholarships. If the date has passed it will be updated when the new scholarship cycle opens.**

<b>Internal CNU Scholarships and Awards</b>			
<b>Organization</b>	<b>Scholarship</b>	<b>Target Applicants</b>	<b>Deadline</b>
President’s Scholarships	\$1,000 x 4	P1, P2, P3, P4	February 4 <sup>th</sup> , 2025
<b>Internal CNU Scholarships from the Office of the Dean</b>			
Academic Excellence Award	\$200 x 3	P1, P2, P3	February 4 <sup>th</sup> , 2025
Dean’s Student of the Year Scholarship Awards	\$500 x 4	P1, P2, P3, P4	February 4 <sup>th</sup> , 2025
Student Community Service and Leadership Award	\$200 x 3	P1, P2, P3	February 4 <sup>th</sup> , 2025
Student Researcher of the Year Award	\$200 x 4	P1, P2, P3, P4	February 4 <sup>th</sup> , 2025
<b>NCEF Scholarships and Awards</b>			
NCEF Tuition Assistance Scholarships	Multiple	Based on financial need	January 26 <sup>th</sup> , 2025
<b>CNU Scholarships from External Sources</b>			
Dr. Kevin Dong Memorial Scholarship	\$500	CNU-COP Student Pharmacist	February 4 <sup>th</sup> , 2025
Layla Kassem Scholarship	\$400	CNU-COP Student Pharmacist	February 4 <sup>th</sup> , 2025
Rite Aid Scholarship	2 x \$2,000	Serve underserved communities, advocate for the profession of pharmacy and plan to pursue community pharmacy career path	February 4 <sup>th</sup> , 2025
Walgreens Diversity and Inclusion Excellence Award and Scholarships	\$2,500	Per Walgreens Criteria (see below)	February 4 <sup>th</sup> , 2025
Walgreens Multilingual Scholarship	\$2,500	Per Walgreens Criteria (see below)	February 4 <sup>th</sup> , 2025
Viatrix Excellence in Pharmacy Award	Certificate and Award	P4; Top 25% in their class, student must have earned an “A” grade in the Drug Information Course	TBD
<b>Other External Scholarships and Awards</b>			
<b>Organization</b>	<b>Scholarship</b>	<b>Target Applicants</b>	<b>Deadline</b>
1000 Dreams Scholarship	Up to \$1000	Enrolled in a 4-year university	Closed for 2024

Aging Matters Scholarship	\$1,500	College student that currently cares for an aging loved one, works within the senior community or intends to pursue a career that will have an impact on the elder population.	May 15, 2025
Air Force Health Professions Scholarship	Full tuition + Expenses	US citizen enrolled in accredited graduate program	Ongoing
Air Force PharmD Scholarship Program	\$2608 per month, tuition, 2-3 years of PharmD	Any PharmD student with good moral character that meets physical/mental standards and is enrolled in/plans to enroll in a clinical track.	No deadline; continuous
Alaska Pharmacists Association: Francis C. Bowden Memorial Scholarship	\$1,500	Alaskan students	November 30th
American College of Healthcare Executives Scholarship	Multiple scholarships \$5,000 each	P3, P4	Closed for 2024
American Foundation for Pharmaceutical Education: Gateway to Research Award	\$5,000	This scholarship is for pharmacy students currently enrolled in an ACPE accredited School of Pharmacy ( <b>No more than 2 applications per school; reach out to Dr. Vinall if you wish to be considered</b> )	TBD
American Psychological Foundation – “APF Queen-Nellie Evans Scholarship”	One \$4,000 scholarship	Graduate students who are underrepresented who demonstrate financial need	January 31, 2025
APhA Institute on Alcoholism and Drug Dependencies	Two \$1,000 annually	Must be a student pharmacist attending the APhA Institute on Alcoholism and Drug Dependencies in Salt Lake, UT; member of APhAASP	TBD
APhA Foundation Student Scholarship Program (Multiple Scholarships Available)	\$1,000 - \$1,500 each	APhA (American Pharmacists Association) Member	TBD
Armenian American Medical Society Scholarship	\$2,500 - \$5,000 to eight students	Armenian descent or special interest in Armenian-related medical causes	October 15 <sup>th</sup> , 2024
The ASHP Student Leadership Award Program	\$2000 & plaque	ASHP Member	January 31 <sup>st</sup>
BHW Scholarship	\$3000	Women who are pursuing a degree and are majoring in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics during the 2023 school year	April 15 <sup>th</sup>

Catrina Celestine Aquilino Memorial Scholarship	\$500	First generation college student	October 11 <sup>th</sup> , 2024
Chick-fil-A Community Scholarship	Every year, twelve (12) \$25,000 scholarships	College/university undergraduate or graduate students or planning to enroll in full-time undergraduate or graduate study	October 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2024
CollegeAVE Student Loans Monthly Scholarship	\$1,000 monthly scholarship	Any PharmD student	Monthly Scholarship
CSHP: John J. Carbone Memorial Scholarship	\$2,500 & Plaque	Students with interest in pharmacy practice in health systems	June 30 <sup>th</sup>
CSHP: Joseph H. Beckerman Memorial Scholarship	\$2,500 & Plaque	Students with interest in pharmacy practice in health systems	June 30 <sup>th</sup>
CVS Health/ AACP Community Pharmacy Health Equity Award for Student Pharmacists	\$20,000	Students in P1 with financial barriers, 2.5 or greater GPA, and a US citizen	Closed for 2024
Dr. B. Olive Cole Graduate Educational Grant	\$2,500	Enrolled in a PharmD program, ranked in the upper half of their class, and in good standing with Lambda Kappa Sigma	TBD
@ESPDaniella Debt Grant	3 x \$1500	Has student debt	May 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2025
F.A. Davis Fall 2024 Scholarship	3 x \$1,000	Enrolled in upcoming academic year and have a 3.0 or higher GPA	October 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2024 11:45pm EST
Get up! Get Active!	\$1,000	Graduate Students	TBD
The GoodRx Pharmacy Innovation Scholarship	\$1,000	Doctor of Pharmacy candidate in at least their first year of professional studies at an ACPE-accredited college of pharmacy. Pharmacy technicians with pharmacy technician certification (CPhT) through the Pharmacy Technician Certification Board (PTCB) or the National Health career Association (NHA) within 6 months of the scholarship application deadline.	Closed for 2024
Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA)	Up to \$4,000	Medical students from disadvantaged backgrounds	Closed for 2024
IMANA Scholarship	\$5,000	All pharmacy students regardless of race, religion, or other background factors	March 15 <sup>th</sup> , 2025
Indian Health Services Scholarship	Recipients are awarded tuition,	Member of federally recognized American Indian tribe or an Alaska Native village or a member or descendant of a state recognized	February 28, 2025

	required fees, educational and living expenses	or terminated tribe. Minimum two years of service commitment at an approved site. One year of service per year of support for scholarship received thereafter.	
iVein Health & Wellness Scholarship	\$2,500	Enrolled in an accredited college or university Enrolled full time (12 credit hours for undergraduate students and 9 credit hours for graduate students) Cumulative GPA of at least 3.7	December 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2024
J.C. and Rheba Cobb Memorial Scholarship	\$2,000 & \$300 Travel Stipend to the NCPA Convention	Student pharmacist interested in government affairs, chosen on basis of leadership qualities, involvement in extracurricular professional activities, and academic achievement	TBD
Ken Baker Memorial Scholarship	Funding varies yearly based on operational funds available	The purpose of this scholarship is to support students in pharmacy and pharmacy law to attend the annual ASPL Developments in Pharmacy Law Seminar where they will: 1) attend up to 15 hours of continuing education sessions; and 2) network with industry professionals from across the country.	September 15, 2024
Max Gorin Scholarship	\$1000	Any student enrolled in an undergraduate or graduate program	Closed for 2024
The Nancy Etz Scholarship	\$1000	Any student enrolled in an undergraduate or graduate program	Closed for 2024
National Community Pharmacists Association Foundation Scholarships	Multiple Scholarships	NCPA Student Members	Closed for 2024
National Hispanic Health Professional Student Scholarship	Multiple Scholarships \$2,000 each	Hispanic Students or students with an affinity for the health of Hispanic communities	September 13, 2024
Nitro Scholarship Sweepstakes	\$2000	Enrolled in an accredited college or university in the U.S.	Last day of each month
Out to Innovate Scholarships	One \$5,000, One \$2,500, Two \$3,000, One \$2,000 (when funded)	Intended for undergraduate and graduate students pursuing degrees in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics (STEM) programs who are either lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, or an active ally of the LGBTQ+ community.	Closed for 2024
Paliwal Club of 100 STEM Scholars Fund	\$750 to \$1500	Female and enrolled in a 2 to 4-year university or graduate school with	December 13 <sup>th</sup> , 2024

		financial need	
Partners in Pharmacy (PIP)	\$2,000	Demonstrate commitment to Independent Pharmacy	Closed for 2024
Pharmacist Mutual	\$2,500	P2/P3s – Independent/Community Pharmacy	December 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2024
PLS-AFPE First-Year Graduate Scholarship	\$10,000	Final year of program, member of Phi Lambda Sigma, and US Citizen	May 15 <sup>th</sup> 11:59 PST
The Sacramento Hmong New Year Scholarships	\$1000	At least one biological parent of Hmong descent	TBD
Sacramento Valley Pharmacist Association (SVPhA) Student Leadership Scholarship	\$2,250 total 3 X \$750	Active SVPhA Student Members	TBD
Sacramento Vietnamese Medical Dental Pharmacy Association (SVMDPA)	\$1,000 x 2	Vietnamese student in financial need	Closed for 2024
The “Save a Life” Scholarship for Students of Healthcare and Education by The American Academy of CPR and First Aid	\$1,500 for Spring and Fall Scholarship	Students majoring in the healthcare and education fields	October 1 <sup>st</sup> and May 1 <sup>st</sup>
Soroptimist Scholarship	\$1,000	Female students	November 15, 2024
Tylenol Future Care Scholarship	Up to \$10,000	P1 –P3	Closed for 2024
Underrepresented Minority Gateway to Research Awards	\$5000	PharmD students who have a proposed research topic and have shown interest in scientific research	Closed for 2024
Walmart Health Equity Scholarship	\$5,000 x 7	P1, P2, or P3 interested in serving underserved communities	Closed for 2024
Willard B. Simmons Sr. Memorial Scholarship for Pharmacy Management	\$2,000	Student who is enrolled in an accredited school and is within 24 months of graduation	TBD

**INTERNAL CNU SCHOLARSHIPS & AWARDS**

**President’s Scholarship** (Deadline: February 4, 2025; Donor: President Cheung)

**a. Award: \$1,000 to a P1, P2, P3, & P4 Student**

**b. Criteria:**

- i. The student must have a minimum GPA of 3.5 on a 4.0 scale.
- ii. The student must demonstrate leadership qualities.

**c. Required Documentation:**

- i. Cover letter including name of scholarship you are applying to along with student name and ID number, and pharmacy class.
- ii. An essay of 500 words or less describing how you have demonstrated leadership inside or outside of the classroom; please submit a de-identified copy as well.
- iii. Email a copy of the essay with your name and ID number and a second de-identified copy to [COPScholarships@cnsu.edu](mailto:COPScholarships@cnsu.edu)

- iv. Transcripts will be provided to the Scholarships and Awards Chair, Dr. Ahsan, by the registrar. There is no need to submit a copy yourself.

### **INTERNAL CNU SCHOLARSHIPS FROM THE OFFICE OF THE DEAN**

#### **Academic Excellence Award (Deadline: February 4, 2025)**

- a. **Award:** Three \$200 scholarships for a P1, P2, and P3 student
  - b. **Criteria:**
    - i. The student must have a GPA of 3.5 to qualify for the scholarship.
    - ii. Scholarships will be awarded to the student based on GPA and their essay.
  - c. **Required Documentation:**
    - i. The student should submit a brief description, 200 words or less, of how they maintained academic excellence during their academic year.
    - ii. Cover letter including name of scholarship you are applying to along with student name and ID number, and pharmacy class. iii. Email a copy of the essay with your name and ID number and a second de-identified copy to [COPScholarships@cnsu.edu](mailto:COPScholarships@cnsu.edu)
    - iv. Transcripts will be provided to the Scholarships and Awards Chair, Dr. Ahsan, by the registrar. There is no need to submit a copy yourself.
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#### **Dean's Student of the Year Scholarship and Award (Deadline: February 4, 2025; Donors: Dean, Faculty)**

- a. **Award: \$500 to a P1, P2, P3, & P4 Student**
  - b. **Criteria:**
    - i. The student must have a GPA of 3.0 to qualify for the scholarship. ii. Every year the College of Pharmacy selects a P1, a P2, P3 and P4 student that has displayed leadership, service, professionalism, and served as an advocate for the profession of pharmacy to receive the coveted Dean's Student of the Year Scholarship Award.
  - c. **Required Documentation:**
    - i. Students may nominate themselves if they feel they are eligible for this award. The student will provide a narrative about themselves to a faculty member of their choice. If the faculty members agrees, the faculty member will then forward the narrative to the Scholarships and Awards Committee with a brief statement in support of the student's submission.
    - ii. The student should submit a brief (< 500 words) description of how the student has demonstrated leadership, service, professionalism, and how they have served as an advocated for the pharmacy profession. iii. Email a copy of the essay with your name and ID number and a second de-identified copy to [COPScholarships@cnsu.edu](mailto:COPScholarships@cnsu.edu)
    - iv. Transcripts will be provided to the Scholarships and Awards Chair, Dr. Ahsan, by the registrar. There is no need to submit a copy yourself.
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#### **Student Community Service and Leadership Award (Deadline: February 4, 2025, Donors: Dean, Faculty)**

This award is for a P1, P2, and P3 student who has demonstrated exceptional leadership skills and is actively engaged in community outreach through their role within a CNUCOP student organization.

- a. **Award:** Three \$200 scholarships for a P1, P2, and P3 student
- b. **Criteria:**
  - i. A minimum GPA of a 2.5 is required to apply for this award.

**c. Required Documentation:**

- i. Students applying for this award should provide a short narrative (500 words or less) describing the events they have been involved with and their corresponding role(s), such as chairing an event, volunteering at the event, etc. Students should also address how they have demonstrated leadership skills within their organization and/or at the events themselves. The number of activities/events you have been involved with, and your role at each activity or event should be described.
  - ii. Email a copy of the essay with your name and ID number and a second deidentified copy to [COPScholarships@cnsu.edu](mailto:COPScholarships@cnsu.edu)
  - iii. Transcripts will be provided to the Scholarships and Awards Chair, Dr. Ahsan, by the registrar. There is no need to submit a copy yourself.
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**Student Researcher of the Year (Deadline: February 4, 2025)**

- a. **Award:** Four \$200 scholarships for a P1, P2, P3 & P4
- b. **Criteria:** No professional issues or honor code violations within 12 months
- c. **Required Documentation:**
  - i. Reflection essay (< 500 words) detailing achievements in research and scholarly activities at CNU-COP. If available, a copy of presentations or publications related to research may be submitted. Examples may include but are not limited to: poster presentations, podium presentations, publications (review article, book chapter, etc.), lab time and other scholarly activities.
  - ii. Faculty member endorsement required. Students may nominate themselves if they feel they are eligible for this award. The student will provide a narrative about themselves to a faculty member of their choice. If the faculty members agrees, the faculty member will then forward the narrative to the Scholarships and Awards Committee with a brief statement in support of the student's submission. Faculty member should include average amount of lab time spent.

**NCEF SCHOLARSHIPS & AWARDS****Northern California Education Foundation (NCEF) (Deadline: February 4, 2025)**

NCEF provides financial scholarship opportunities to all students attending California Northstate University. Tuition Assistance Scholarships are available to all CNU students. For more information regarding NCEF scholarship opportunities please visit: <https://www.ncef-ca.org/scholarship.html>.

**Deadline:** TBD

- a. **Awards:** The Foundation offers awards based on financial need. ALL students that would like to be considered for a scholarship should apply!
- b. **Required Documentation:**
  - i. Please complete an application by visiting the Northern Education Foundation's Website available at: <https://www.ncef-ca.org/scholarship.html>
  - ii. Students must complete an application and submit it using the Foundation's online portal prior to the deadline set by the Foundation.

**CNU SCHOLARSHIPS FROM EXTERNAL SOURCES****Dr. Kevin Dong Memorial Scholarship (Deadline: February 4, 2025)**

- a. **Award:** One \$500 scholarship to a College of Pharmacy student



- b. **Criteria:** To qualify for this scholarship, the student must have:
- i. A minimum GPA of a 2.5
  - ii. An interest in pursuing a non-traditional career path in pharmacy
  - iii. Demonstrated extensive community service involvement
  - iv. A commitment to physical and mental health wellness
  - v. Demonstrated involvement in advocacy for the profession of pharmacy as evidenced by participation in local and/or state pharmacy organizations (e.g. SVPhA, CPhA, etc)

**c. Required Documentation:**

- i. Students applying for this award should provide a short narrative (500 words or less) addressing how they meet each of the criteria listed above.
  - ii. A copy of the essay with your name and ID number and a second de-identified copy should be emailed to [COPScholarships@cnsu.edu](mailto:COPScholarships@cnsu.edu)
  - iii. Transcripts will be provided to the Scholarships and Awards Chair, Dr., by the registrar. There is no need to submit a copy yourself.
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**Layla Kassem Scholarship (Deadline: February 4, 2025, Donor: Faculty)**

- a. **Award:** One \$400 scholarship for a CNU-COP Student
  - b. **Criteria:** P4 PharmD student with a GPA of  $\geq 2.75$  with financial need
  - c. **Required Documentation:**
    - i. Cover letter including name of scholarship you are applying to along with student name and ID number, and pharmacy class.
    - ii. An essay of 500 words or less describing why the student feels they should receive this scholarship due to financial needs and how the scholarship funds will be used.
    - iii. Email a copy of the essay with your name and ID number and a second de-identified copy to [COPScholarships@cnsu.edu](mailto:COPScholarships@cnsu.edu)
    - iv. Transcripts will be provided to the Scholarships and Awards Chair, Dr. Ahsan, by the registrar. There is no need to submit a copy yourself.
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**Rite Aid Scholarships (Deadline: Deadline: February 4, 2025)**

- a. **Award:** \$2,500 (2 scholarships available)
  - b. **Criteria:**
    - i. Minimum GPA  $\geq 2.5$
    - ii. Serve underserved communities
    - iii. Financial need
    - iv. Advocate for the profession of pharmacy
    - v. Plan to pursue community pharmacy career path
  - c. **Documentation Required:**
    - i. Students applying for this scholarship should provide a short narrative (500 words or less) describing their role in serving underserved communities and how they are an advocate for the profession of pharmacy. They must also plan to pursue a community pharmacy career path and show financial need.
    - ii. Email a copy of the essay with your name and ID number and a second de-identified copy to [COPScholarships@cnsu.edu](mailto:COPScholarships@cnsu.edu)
    - iii. Transcripts will be provided to the Scholarships and Awards Chair, Dr. Ahsan, by the registrar. There is no need to submit a copy yourself.
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**Walgreens Diversity Scholarship (Deadline: Deadline: February 4, 2025)**

- a. **Award:** \$2,500

**b. Criteria:**

- i. Minimum GPA  $\geq 2.5$
- ii. Minority status (student is disqualified if not of minority status)
- iii. Involvement in activities promoting diversity and serving minority populations
- iv. Plan to pursue community pharmacy career path
- v. Financial need

**c. Documentation Required:**

- i. Students applying for this scholarship should provide a short narrative (500 words or less) describing their minority status, involvement in activities promoting diversity and serving minority populations and financial need. They must also plan to pursue a community pharmacy career path.
- ii. Email a copy of the essay with your name and ID number and a second de-identified copy to [COPScholarships@cnsu.edu](mailto:COPScholarships@cnsu.edu)

Transcripts will be provided to the Scholarships and Awards Chair, Dr. Ahsan, by the registrar. There is no need to submit a copy yourself.

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**Walgreens Multilingual Scholarship (Deadline: Deadline: February 4, 2025)****a. Award: \$2,500****b. Criteria:**

- i. Minimum GPA  $\geq 2.5$
- ii. Multilingual ability
- iii. Use of their multilingual ability in their community or at outreach events
- iv. Plan to pursue community pharmacy career path

**c. Documentation Required:**

- i. Students applying for this scholarship should provide a short narrative (500 words or less) describing their multilingual ability, use of their multilingual abilities in their community or at outreach events, and financial need. They must also plan to pursue a community pharmacy career path.
  - ii. Please submit your nomination to [COPscholarships@cnsu.edu](mailto:COPscholarships@cnsu.edu).
  - iii. Please submit two versions of the essays, one with your name, student ID number and the year you are in, and a deidentified version.
  - iii. Transcripts will be provided to the Scholarships and Awards Chair, Dr. Ahsan, by the registrar. There is no need to submit a copy yourself.
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**P4 ONLY SCHOLARSHIPS & AWARDS**

\* Please note, P4 students are also eligible to apply for scholarships available through the Northern California Education Foundation.

**Viatrix Excellence in Pharmacy Award (Deadline: TBD)**

**Award:** \$250 honorarium for educational materials, certificate, and an engraved pharmacy photo **Criteria:**

1. Student must be a current P4 in the top 25% of the class
2. Student must demonstrate high professional motivation, unique ability to communicate drug information, and the intent to enter practice upon graduation
3. Student must have earned an "A" grade in the Drug Information Course **Documentation**

**Required:**

- a. Cover letter including name of scholarship you are applying to, along with student name and ID number, pharmacy class

- b. Brief statement of plans upon graduation (no greater than 500 words); please remember to provide a de-identified copy as well
- c. Transcripts will be provided to the Scholarships and Awards Chair, Dr.Ahsan, by the registrar. There is no need to submit a copy yourself.

### **OTHER EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS & AWARDS**

#### **The 1,000 Dreams Scholarship (Deadline: March 31, 2024)**

**Website:** <https://1000dreamsfund.org/programs/1000-dreams-scholarship-fund/>

**Award:** This is a \$1000 one-time award. The students eligible for assistance shall be women attending high school or a two-year or four-year college/university in the United States. Students must demonstrate financial need.

**Requirements:**

- Be a woman
- Two/four year university
- Financial need

**Applicants must provide**

- Two letters of recommendation
- Essay explaining how the grant would be used

**Questions:** [programs@1000dreamsfund.org](mailto:programs@1000dreamsfund.org)

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#### **Aging Matters Scholarship (Deadline: May 15, 2025)**

**Website:** <https://www.seniorcare.com/scholarship/>

**Award:** Each scholarship is worth \$1,500 **Eligibility**

**Requirements:**

- a. An existing college student or incoming freshman (to be enrolled in the Fall of 20223in good academic standing)
  - b. A \$1500 scholarship will be given annually to a selected college student that currently cares for an aging loved one, works within the senior community, or intends to pursue a career that will have an impact on the elder population.
  - c. Any existing student (or incoming freshman), in good academic standing, at a 2 or 4 year accredited college can apply for this scholarship. And the recipient will demonstrate a unique and admirable understanding and desire to show us that "Aging Matters" to them.
  - d. Judging will be based on the submission quality of the application, which will include a short, 1000 word or less essay on why Aging Matters to the applicant.
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#### **Air Force Health Professions Scholarship (Deadline: Ongoing)**

**Website:** <https://www.airforce.com/careers/specialty-careers/healthcare>

**Award:** Full tuition + expenses

**Eligibility Requirements:**

- a. US citizens enrolled in accredited graduate programs for pharmacists, optometrists, clinical psychologists, nurses, doctors, dentists, or public health officers
  - b. Must be a US citizen and have been accepted to an accredited graduate institution
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**Air Force PharmD Scholarship Program (No deadline; continuous)**

**Award:** \$2608 per month stipend, paid academic PharmD study, and other perks

**Eligibility Requirements:**

- Be of good moral character and meet initial physical/mental standards.
- Be accepted/enrolled in a PharmD program.
- Enrolled in or planning to enroll in a clinical track.

**Duties and Opportunities:**

Air Force pharmacists engage in the full spectrum of pharmaceutical services, most importantly ensuring prescriptions filled in their pharmacy are correct. They will run pharmacies ranging from two or three technicians in a small clinic to a 90 person staff in a large hospital. Air Force pharmacists do everything from dispensing over the counter drugs to preparing cytotoxic agents. They provide vital information on monitoring blood levels for drugs as well as how to prepare and administer drugs safely to physicians, nurses, and other members. Air Force pharmacists direct the operation of the intravenous admixture program and implement the unit dose drug distribution system. Air Force pharmacists provide drug information to patients and supervise the filling, labeling, and dispensing of all drug orders. They direct the procurement, storage, manufacture, distribution, control, and evaluation of drugs, as well as inspect stock supplies to maintain antidotes and other emergency care drugs. Air Force pharmacists teach and provide, in service training to medical, nursing, and pharmacy staff. In emergency or wartime conditions they meet challenges such as compounding sterile products that would normally be available through commercial sources. If they are assigned to a mobile hospital, they will be actively involved in selecting, distributing, and monitoring drug therapy.

To find out more information or about how to apply for this position, please contact:

TSgt Martin Gomez

707-684-0049

[Martin.Gomez@us.af.mil](mailto:Martin.Gomez@us.af.mil)

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**Alaska Pharmacists Association: Francis C. Bowden Memorial Scholarship (Deadline: November 30<sup>th</sup>)**

**Website:** <https://alaskapharmacy.org/resources/scholarships/>

**Award:**

1. \$1500 to Students who are Alaska residents and enrolled in a Professional Pharmacy program at an ACPE accredited school of pharmacy will be eligible to apply for this award.

**Purpose:** The purpose of the AKPhA Scholarship is to assist Alaskan students in completing their course of study in Pharmacy.

**Eligibility:** You must be an Alaskan resident who has completed pre-pharmacy courses of study and have been accepted into a Professional Pharmacy program at an ACPE accredited School of Pharmacy

**Selection:** Selected members of the Alaska Pharmacists Association will evaluate applicants on the following criteria:

1. Academic Achievements
2. Personal Qualities
3. (2) Letters of Recommendation
4. Completeness of the Application
5. Financial Need

**Instructions:** It is the applicant's responsibility to see that all supporting documents are submitted in one package or online in the order noted below.

1. Application form
2. Official School Transcript
3. Letters of recommendation
4. Personal statement

Online applications can be accessed at: <https://alaskapharmacy.org/resources/scholarships/>

Letters of recommendation can be emailed to [akpharmacistsassociation@gmail.com](mailto:akpharmacistsassociation@gmail.com) if the reference prefers, with the student's name in the topic line.

The Scholarship award will be announced at the AKPhA Annual Convention. Applicants will be notified of their status in December. No prior acknowledgements are made to applicants and all notifications are final. The winner of the scholarship will be required to submit an article to be published in the quarterly "The Alaska Pharmacy Newsletter," by April of the award year, addressing the current trends in pharmacy.

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### American College of Healthcare Executives Scholarship (Deadline: January 3<sup>rd</sup> - March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2025)

**Website:** <https://www.ache.org/about-ache/news-and-awards/dent-and-mcgaw-graduate-studentscholarships>

**Award:** Each scholarship is worth \$5,000

**Scholarship Criteria:**

1. Each year, the American College of Healthcare Executives offers up to a combined total of 15 Albert W. Dent and Foster G. McGaw Graduate Student Scholarships valued at \$5,000 each to students in the final year of a full-time healthcare management graduate program.
2. Students enrolled in their final year of a healthcare management program (dual PharmD Public Health or PharmD MBA, Healthcare Admin)
3. Minority Students only for Albert W. Dent Scholarship
4. Expected graduation date September 1, 2023, and August 31, 2024
5. Applicant must demonstrate financial need.
6. Applicant must be a U.S. citizen or lawful permanent resident; or a Canadian citizen.
7. Applicant cannot be a previous recipient of either scholarship.
8. If eligible for both, applicant may apply for both scholarships.

**Additional Information:** Each award may have its own individual criteria. For additional information, please visit <https://www.ache.org/about-ache/news-and-awards/dent-and-mcgaw-graduate-student><https://mail.cnsu.edu/owa/redir.aspx?C=dCHdA3Vbb5JuO9vp78WxZ18EHMnkVVAqdqZOIiys oGMhr5oAeHDYCA..&URL=https%3a%2f%2fwww.ache.org%2fabout-ache%2fnews-and-awards%2fdent-and-mcgaw-graduate-student-scholarships>[scholarships](#)

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### American Foundation for Pharmaceutical Education: Gateway to Research Awards (for Pharm.D. and undergraduate students) (Deadline: TBD)

This scholarship is for pharmacy students currently enrolled in an ACPE accredited School of Pharmacy. The primary goal of the Gateway to Research Scholarship program is to help students gain an understanding of the importance of research by enabling them to apply that knowledge to improve their clinical skills. This scholarship provides a unique opportunity for talented Pharm.D. and baccalaureate degree students to participate in a faculty-mentored research project. The Gateway to Research Scholarship also encourages students who have the aptitude and desire to pursue a career in research to continue their education in a Ph.D. program. This award helps students to learn to identify relevant research problems, generate a research hypothesis, analyze data, learn how to interpret, and use research results in practice, learn to effectively communicate research and clinical data to a broad audience, develop problem-solving skills, and sharpen critical thinking skills.

**Website:** <https://afpepharm.org/index.php/gateway-to-research-awards/>

**Award:** \$5,000

**Criteria:**

- i. Recommended by a faculty member
- ii. Demonstrated superior academic performance
- iii. Submitted a proposed research topic that is relevant
- iv. Provided a comprehensive mentoring plan
- v. Submitted letters of recommendation
- vi. Have shown interest in scientific research

**Eligibility:**

- A U.S. citizen or a permanent resident
- A full-time student who is enrolled in a Pharm.D. program
- Completed at least two years of college

Enrolled in at least the first year of the professional pharmacy curriculum at an ACPE accredited School of Pharmacy

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**APF Queen-Nellie Evans Scholarship (Deadline: January 31, 2025)**

**Website:** <https://www.apa.org/apf/funding/evans?tab=3>

**Award:** One \$4,000 scholarship

**Eligibility:** The APF Queen-Nellie Evans scholarship funds a scholarship to a graduate student from underrepresented groups who has a demonstrated financial need and is committed to improving the disparities in societal structures and issues that negatively impact communities of color, particularly communities of African descent, particularly:

1. Root causes
2. Interventions
3. Direct or indirect effects to individual mental and physical health and well-being
4. Broader negative social or psychological effects on the impacted population

Preference is given to those who:

1. Are preparing for a career in academia, clinical service delivery, or public policy;
2. See their work as helping to improve the condition of marginalized communities after the completion of their graduate studies;
3. Are members of the communities they seek to serve; or
4. Have demonstrated experience serving marginalized communities.

**Application Requirements:** The application submission page can be found on <https://www.apa.org/apf/funding/evans?tab=3> and applicants must submit

1. Personal statement
  2. CV
  3. Academic transcript
  4. Letter of recommendation
  5. Financial need verification documents (FAFSA, EFC, etc.)
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**APhA Institute on Alcoholism and Drug Dependencies (Deadline: Opens in January)**

**Website:** <https://www.aphafoundation.org/ron-williams-memorial-fund-campaign>

1. **Award:** Two \$1,000 scholarships awarded annually
  2. **Eligibility:** Must be a student pharmacist attending the APhA Institute on Alcoholism and Drug Dependencies in Salt Lake City, Utah. Scholarship recipients will be required to prepare a one-page publishable report for *Student Pharmacist* magazine on their experiences at the APhA Institute. **3. Criteria:** Applicants must be a member of the APhA Academy of Student Pharmacists (APhAASP), provide a letter of intent (750 words) describing why they wish to receive the scholarship, what they expect to gain from attending the APhA Institute, and how they intend to incorporate the knowledge of addiction and recovery into their academic experience and future practice. The Selection Committee will select recipients based on careful review of completed materials.
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**APhA Foundation Student Scholarship Program (Deadline: Opens September 2024)**

**Website:**

- a. Note this program offers a number of different scholarships with different names, visit the website to apply for each
- i. Some scholarships call for additional criteria and requirements
- b. <https://www.aphafoundation.org/student-scholarship-program>

**Award:**

- i. The program recognizes students who choose to invest time into their school's APhA-ASP chapter to help shape the future of the profession while managing the demands of a full-time pharmacy curriculum.
- ii. Applicants will be evaluated on their potential to become leaders for the profession of pharmacy, as demonstrated by involvement in school and community activities, and academic performance.

**Criteria:**

1. **Complete at least one academic year** in the professional sequence of courses.
2. Earn a **cumulative grade point average of at least 2.75** on a 4.0 scale (or equivalent grading system) in professional coursework during pharmacy school.
3. Be an **active member in the APhA Academy of Student Pharmacists (APhA-ASP)**. The applicant must show active participation in his or her chapter's activities but is not required to hold a leadership position.
4. Submit a **transcript** to verify your GPA. An unofficial transcript in PDF or Word format is acceptable.
5. **Two letters of recommendation** - one from a **college official or faculty member** who can speak to the applicant's leadership and involvement in APhA-ASP and one from **non-academic reference (i.e. pharmacist-employer, community service contact, pharmacy association or other membership association representative)** addressing the applicant's strengths in areas not involving academics or APhA-ASP involvement. Recommenders must submit the letters directly in OpenWater (application portal) in either .doc or .pdf format. Once applicants have entered the names and email addresses of the recommenders, they will receive an email prompting them to submit a letter of recommendation. It is the **student's responsibility** to ensure that these letters are submitted in OpenWater by the December 1<sup>st</sup> deadline.
6. Submit **current résumé or CV**.
7. Submit a **bulleted list of pharmacy and non-pharmacy related activities** that demonstrate community involvement and leadership skills. Please note activities for which academic credit was received.
8. Submit an **essay of no more than 500 words** addressing the following prompt:  
*You will experience obstacle throughout your pharmacy career that will require you to seize your moment. Please describe one setback that you have experienced as a student pharmacist, how you overcame that setback, and how the experience will impact your approach to patient care.*
9. Previous APhA Foundation Student Scholarship recipients are not eligible; however, previous applicants are welcome to reapply.

**The Armenian American Medical Society Scholarship (Deadline: October 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024)**

**Website:** [AAMS Scholarship Program For Students in Healthcare 2024-2025 Academic Year - Armenian American Medical Society Armenian American Medical Society \(aamsc.org\)](https://www.aamsc.org)

**Award:** Between \$2,500 and \$5,000 to eight (8) students enrolled in a U.S. healthcare program. \$5,000 scholarships are awarded based on either financial need or academic merit.

**Eligibility:**

- Be of Armenian descent or have a special interest in Armenian-related medical causes
- Be actively involved in community service benefiting the health and well-being of our community

- Be enrolled in a United States-accredited program in the fields of medical, pharmacy, dental, physician assistant, nursing, mental health, or other professional healthcare schools

#### **Application Requirements & Procedures:**

Submit a completed application package, post marked by October 15, 2024

- Completed application form
- Proof of acceptance to the school you are attending
- Sealed official transcripts
- Current academic reference letter
- Current reference letter attesting to Armenian community service
- Essay of no more than 500 words discussing your reasons for entering the healthcare profession and how you would like to use your profession to impact the healthcare of Armenians
- If you would like to be considered on the basis of financial need, provide the first 2 pages of the most recent tax returns for yourself and your parents
- The scholarship check will be disbursed upon completing 5 hours of community service during AAMS' annual Glendale Health Festival or at a similar event in the city of the professional school

#### **The ASHP Student Leadership Award Program (Deadline: Opens Fall 2024, Due January 31<sup>st</sup>)**

**Website:** <https://www.ashp.org/about-ashp/awards/student-awards/ashp-student-leadership-award>

#### **Award:**

1. An award plaque,
2. A \$2000 cash award provided by the ASHP Research and Education Foundation.

**Scholarship Criteria:** to be considered for the SLA, you will be expected to submit the following:

1. A completed Professional Activities questionnaire.
2. An essay of no more than 750 words conveying your thoughts on how, as a student leader, you would increase awareness and understanding of the emerging roles, care delivery models, and practice settings for pharmacists in the year 2030 among student colleagues. This should include a discussion of why the Practice Advancement Initiative is important for students and specific types of activities or programs that you believe would be most effective.
3. Three letters of recommendations: one from a faculty member, one from a pharmacist practitioner, and one from a student peer.
4. Three corresponding Recommendation Forms signed by each person writing the recommendation letter.
5. A resume or curriculum vitae.
6. A completed Certification and Acceptance signature page.

If you have any questions, please contact ASHP Pharmacy Student Forum at [students@ashp.org](mailto:students@ashp.org)

#### **Eligibility:**

- Applicants must be a full-time pharmacy student enrolled in a professional Doctor of Pharmacy program at an ACPE-accredited college of pharmacy.
- Applicants must be an ASHP member in good standing.
- Applicants must have a cumulative grade point average of a least 2.75 on a 4.0 scale (or equivalent grading system).
- Applicants must have completed at least one academic year in their professional pharmacy program.



- Students who have received an ASHP Student Leadership Award in the past or who are currently serving on an ASHP Council, the Commission on Affiliate Relations or the Pharmacy Student Forum Executive Committee are not eligible to apply.
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### **BHW Scholarship (Deadline: Opens in January, Due every April 15<sup>th</sup>)**

**Website:** <https://thebhigroup.com/scholarship>

**Award:** \$3000

**Requirements:** Women who are pursuing a degree and are majoring in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics during the 2023 school year. International students may apply as long as they are attending a US-based school.

**Application:**

Applicants must write an essay on either of the following topics. The essay should be between 500 and 800 words.

- Tell us about your favorite app and what you like about it.
- Tell us about a time an app played a significant role in improving your day.

**Contact Information:** [scholarship@thebhigroup.com](mailto:scholarship@thebhigroup.com)

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### **Catrina Celestine Aquilino Memorial Scholarship (Deadline: October 11, 2024)**

**Website:** <https://bold.org/scholarships/catrina-celestine-aquilino-memorial-scholarship/#ref=exclusivescholarships>

**Awards:** \$500

**Eligibility Requirements:**

1. Education Level: Undergraduate or graduate student
2. Background: First-generation student
3. Citizenship Status: US Citizen
4. Field of Interest: Law and/or medicine or healthcare

**Criteria:** 400-600 word essay. Essay topic: Please tell us a bit about yourself and how you plan to make a positive impact on the world through your medical or law career.

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### **Chick-fil-A Community Scholarship (Deadline: October 30<sup>th</sup>, 2024)**

**Website:** [chick-fil-a.com/communityscholars](http://chick-fil-a.com/communityscholars)

**Award:** Every year, twelve (12) \$25,000 scholarships will be awarded to students based on academic success, community service and financial need. Selected Community Scholars will also be invited to participate in the Chick-fil-A Scholars Program, an optional one-year engagement that includes mentoring and leadership development alongside our [Chick-fil-A True Inspiration Scholars](#). Through this program, we will recognize remarkable individuals who share our dedication to caring for others and caring for their communities. It is our pleasure to support the academic journeys of these future leaders.

**Eligibility Requirements:**

Applicants who are interested in applying to the Chick-fil-A Community Scholars program must meet the following criteria:

To apply to become a 2024 Chick-fil-A Community Scholar, you must:

1. Be a resident in the United States, Puerto Rico or Canada.
2. Be a postsecondary undergraduate or graduate student or planning to enroll in undergraduate or graduate study at an accredited two- or four-year college, university or vocational-technical school for the 2024-2025 academic year.

3. Be recommended by a teacher, coach, community leader or mentor, addressing the applicant's personal and/or professional achievement. Up to three recommendation letters will be accepted.
4. Show demonstrated care through community-service in the twelve (12) months prior to application. You will be asked to share in what ways you were able to make an impact on your community, friends and family.
5. Have a minimum cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale (or the equivalent). Academic awards and recognition will be considered. Applicants are required to upload a transcript that displays their name, school name, classes taken and GPA.
6. Demonstrate financial need.
7. Not be employed at a Chick-fil-A® restaurant or Chick-fil-A, Inc. at the time of application or the dependent or spouse of a Chick-fil-A, Inc. Employee or Operator.

All required information should be submitted to [chick-fil-a.com/communityscholars](http://chick-fil-a.com/communityscholars).

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### **CollegeAVE Student Loans Monthly Scholarship Opportunity: (Deadline: Monthly)**

Enter to win at [CollegeAve.com/scholarship](http://CollegeAve.com/scholarship) and you could win \$1,000 for school. One lucky winner will be chosen each month, so come back to the website each month to enter.

**Award: \$1,000**

**Eligibility:** “College Ave \$1,000 Scholarship” Sweepstakes (“the Sweepstakes”) is open only to (1) citizens or permanent residents of the fifty (50) United States and the District of Columbia who are at least the age of majority in their state of residence or an eligible minor at the time of entry and (2) who are enrolled in a high school or post-secondary educational institution or who are the parent or legal guardian of a person who is enrolled in a high school or post-secondary educational institution. Employees of College Avenue Student Loans, LLC and any of their respective parent companies, subsidiaries, affiliates, agents and agencies that are involved in this Sweepstakes, and the immediate family (spouse, parents, siblings, and children) and household members of each such employee are not eligible. The Sweepstakes is subject to all applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations and is void where prohibited by law.

**How to Enter:** Entrants may enter the Sweepstakes by completing and submitting the online registration form at <https://www.collegeavestudentloans.com/promotions/monthly-scholarship-award/>. You then will receive one entry into the Sweepstakes. A maximum of one entry per email account per person per calendar month is permitted. Entries will not be judged. Any use of robotic, automatic, programmed or similar entry methods or agents (including, but not limited to, contest entry services) will void all entries, current and future, by that entrant. In the event of a dispute as to any entry, the authorized account holder of the email address used to enter will be deemed to be the entrant. In the case of an email address, the “authorized account holder” is the natural person assigned the email address by an internet access provider, online service provider or other organization responsible for assigning email addresses for the domain associated with the submitted address. Proof of submitting entries will not be deemed to be proof of receipt by Administrator. By providing your email address, you consent to receiving marketing emails from the Administrator. All marketing emails from Administrator will have an “unsubscribe” link at the bottom of the email, and you may elect to unsubscribe from Administrator’s emails at any time. The Administrator will not sell, rent or share your email address.

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### **CSHP: John J. Carbone Memorial Scholarship (Deadline: June 30<sup>th</sup>)**

**Website:** <https://www.cshp.org/page/Scholarships>

**Award:** \$2,500 for one individual

**Eligibility:**

- b. Applicants must be a full-time pharmacy student enrolled in a California school or college of pharmacy with ACPE accredited programs (candidate or full accreditation status).
- c. Applicants must have completed at least one academic year in their professional pharmacy program at the time the Scholarship is awarded.

- d. Applicants must be in good academic standing as validated by the office of Student Affairs at the time of submitting the application.
- e. Applicants must be full time students at the time of the *presentation* of the award.
- f. Applicants must be CSHP members in good standing.
- g. Students who have received this award or the Joseph H. Beckerman Memorial Scholarship in the past are not eligible to apply.
- h. Students may only apply for one of the Scholarships awarded by the Foundation each year. We will not accept applications for more than one program scholarship.

**Criteria:**

Criteria for the Scholarship will be used in the recipient selection process. Applicants will be evaluated based on the following evenly weighed criteria:

1. *Health-System Pharmacy Achievement*: Evidence of interest, achievement and/or leadership in *health-system pharmacy leadership* as demonstrated by academic coursework, work experience, professional achievement(s) in hospital/health-system rotations, completion of research projects related to pharmacy and or management, commitment to service, and mentoring of others.
2. *Professional Organization Leadership*: Evidence of involvement, demonstrated accomplishments, and leadership position(s) held in CSHP and/or other student professional organizations and/or community service.
3. *Personal Leadership Attributes*: The applicant will provide a reference who can attest to the applicant's leadership experience and qualities. The reference should include contact information.
4. *Essay*: The following criteria will be evaluated: content, originality, grammar, clearness of thought, well developed reasoning and effective organization. Applicants must follow the required focus of the essay.

**Application Requirements & Procedures:**

Submissions must be submitted electronically via our submission portal at [https://www.cshp.org/CarboneScholarship\\_Portal](https://www.cshp.org/CarboneScholarship_Portal). Letters of Recommendation and Letter in Good Standing are to be submitted separately to [foundation@cshp.org](mailto:foundation@cshp.org).

1. Completed application form
2. A resume or curriculum vitae (clearly differentiate between experiential rotations, work experience, and/or volunteer experience).
3. An essay of no more than 750 words describing a contemporary issue impacting health-system pharmacy management/leadership and the perceived role of the applicant in helping to address that issue.
4. At least two (2) references submitted using the reference form template included with this application (at least one (1) of which must be from a pharmacy school faculty member). All reference submissions should address the applicant's ability to meet the Scholarship criteria, including attestation to the applicant's leadership experience and qualities, and must be submitted directly by the reference on the web portal, link as below. Weblink: [https://www.cshp.org/page/Foundation\\_CarboneSubmitRF](https://www.cshp.org/page/Foundation_CarboneSubmitRF)
5. The Letter of Good Standing from the applicant's school/college Office of Student Affairs must be signed by the concerned authority and submitted directly by the Office of Student Affairs to the Foundation submission portal.

**CSHP: Joseph H. Beckerman Memorial Scholarship (Deadline: June 30<sup>th</sup>)**

**Website:** [http://www.cshp.org/?page=F\\_JBScholarship](http://www.cshp.org/?page=F_JBScholarship)

**Award:** \$2,500 for one individual

**Eligibility:**

- Applicants must be a full-time pharmacy student enrolled in a California school or college of pharmacy with ACPE accredited programs (candidate or full accreditation status).

- Applicants must have completed at least one academic year in their professional pharmacy program at the time the Scholarship is awarded.
- Applicants must be in good academic standing as validated by the office of Student Affairs at the time of submitting the application.
- Applicants must be full time students at the time of the *presentation* of the award.
- Applicants must be CSHP members in good standing.
- Students who have received this award or the Joseph H. Beckerman Memorial Scholarship in the past are not eligible to apply.
- Students may only apply for one of the Scholarships awarded by the Foundation each year. We will not accept applications for more than one program scholarship.

### Criteria:

Criteria for the Scholarship will be used in the recipient selection process. Applicants will be evaluated based on the following evenly weighed criteria:

1. *Health-System Pharmacy Practice Achievement*: Evidence of interest, achievement and/or leadership in *health system pharmacy practice* as demonstrated by work experience, professional achievement in hospital/health-system rotations, commitment to service, completion of research projects related to pharmacy practice, and/or other special projects and professional accomplishments.
2. *Clinical Skills to Improve Patient Outcomes*: Examples of the applicants' clinical skills in demonstrating improved patient outcomes. The applicant will provide a reference who can attest to the applicant's clinical skills knowledge and experience in demonstrating improved patient outcomes. The reference should include contact information.
3. *Essay*: The following criteria will be evaluated: content, originality, grammar, clearness of thought, well developed reasoning and effective organization that supports the arguments.

### Application Requirements & Procedures:

Submissions must be submitted electronically via our submission portal at [https://www.cshp.org/BeckermanScholarship\\_Portal](https://www.cshp.org/BeckermanScholarship_Portal). Letters of Recommendation and Letter in Good Standing are to be submitted separately to [foundation@cshp.org](mailto:foundation@cshp.org).

1. Completed application form
2. A resume or curriculum vitae (clearly differentiate between experiential rotations, work experience, and/or volunteer experience).
3. An essay of no more than 750 words describing examples of the applicants' clinical skills in demonstrating improved patient outcomes.
4. At least two (2) references submitted using the reference form template included with this application (at least one (1) of which must be from a pharmacy school faculty member). All references should address the applicant's ability to meet the Scholarship criteria and must be submitted by the reference directly to the web portal, link as below: Weblink: [https://www.cshp.org/page/Foundation\\_BeckermanScholarshipSubmitRF](https://www.cshp.org/page/Foundation_BeckermanScholarshipSubmitRF)
5. The Letter of Good Academic Standing from the applicant's school/college Office of Student Affairs must be signed by the concerned authority and submitted directly by the Office of Student Affairs to the Foundation submission portal: [https://www.cshp.org/page/Foundation\\_BeckermanScholarshipSubmitLGF](https://www.cshp.org/page/Foundation_BeckermanScholarshipSubmitLGF)

### CVS Health / AACP Community Pharmacy Health Equity Award for Student Pharmacists

(Deadline: June 16, 2024)

**Website:** <https://www.aacp.org/resource/financial-aid-and-scholarships>

**Award:** a single \$20,000 scholarship

#### Eligibility Requirements:

Qualified applicants must meet the following requirements:

1. Students must be enrolled as a first (P1) year PharmD student for the 2023 entering class.

- NOTE: Students enrolled in a 0-6 PharmD program as a P3 (out of P6) student during the 2023-2024 (current) academic year are also eligible.
2. Students must be able to demonstrate that they face financial barriers in their pursuit of education. To qualify, students must have filed or be claimed as a dependent on the most recent Federal Income Tax Return Form 1040, 1040A, or 1040EZ with an adjusted gross income that falls below the Low-Income Level listed below. The Low-Income Level is based on 200 percent of the [U.S. Department of Health and Human Services poverty guidelines](#) U.S. Department of Health and Human Services poverty guidelines and used to determine what constitutes a low-income family. (Table 1)

Persons in Family or Household	Income Level
1	\$29,160
2	\$39,440
3	\$49,720
4	\$60,000
5	\$70,280
6	\$80,560
7	\$90,840
8	\$101,120
*For each additional person, add \$10,280	

3. Student must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident.
4. Students must demonstrate advocacy, leadership, academic success, and a commitment to advancing the pharmacy profession and patient care in underserved communities.
5. GPA for current degree program must be 2.5 or greater on a 4.0 scale. Applicants from schools with other grading systems are still eligible to apply for the scholarship.
6. Students must submit a completed application by the deadline.
7. A student may only receive the CVS Health / AACP Community Pharmacy Health Equity Award once.

**Dr. B. Olive Cole Graduate Educational Grant:** (Deadline: January 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022)

**Website:** <https://lkseducationaltrust.org/dr-b-olive-cole-graduate-educational-grant/>

**Award: \$2,500**

**Eligibility:**

1. Applicant must be enrolled in a Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.) OR applicant must be in joint degree program combining a Pharm.D. and a Master’s degree (M.S., M.A., M.B.A., M.P.H, etc.).  
Please Note: Applicants pursuing a joint Pharm.D. and Master’s degree are also eligible to apply for a Dr. B. Olive Cole Graduate Educational Grant.
2. In the United States, the curriculum must be in an Accreditation Council on Pharmacy Education (ACPE) accredited College or School of Pharmacy. (International programs must have accrediting certification by a unit of that country comparable to ACPE or U.S. regional standards.)
3. Applicant must rank in the upper half of their class academically.
4. Applicant must be in good standing with Lambda Kappa Sigma. (The Headquarters Office will verify current dues-paid status prior to grant release.)

**@ESPDaniella Debt Grant (Deadline: May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025)**

**Website:** <https://bold.org/scholarships/esp-daniella-debt-grant/>

**Award:** Three \$1500 scholarships. Student debt is an issue that plagues more than 43 million people in the United States alone. Americans now owe more than \$1.7 trillion in student loan debt, with each borrower owing an average of more than \$39,000. This scholarship seeks to alleviate the burden of student loan debt by helping current students, graduates, and those who dropped out to pay off their student debt.

**Eligibility Requirements:**

1. Any current undergraduate senior, graduate school student, college graduate, or previous student who dropped out of college and has student loan debt may apply for this scholarship.
2. Finalists for this scholarship will be asked to show proof of student loan debt to receive the award.
3. Financial Background: Has student debt

All required information should be submitted to <https://bold.org/scholarships/esp-daniella-debt-grant/>.

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**F.A. Davis Fall 2024 Scholarship (Deadline: October 31st, 2024 11:45PM EST)**

**Website:** <https://www.fadavis.com/scholarship>

**Award:** 3 Awards of \$1,000

**Eligibility:**

- Must be currently pursuing one of the following degrees or certifications: LPN/LVN, RN, BSN, RN-BSN, MSN, DNP, OT, OTA, OTD, PT, PTA, DPT, MLS, MLT, AT, MA, PA, CST, Respiratory Therapy, or comparable health science specialty.
- Must be enrolled in the upcoming academic school year (2024-2025).
- Must be a student in good standing with an overall GPA of 3.0 or higher.
- Must be a student in the U.S. or Canada (Must be a citizen, legal resident, or holder of a valid student visa)

**Requirements:**

- Proof of enrollment, delivered as one of the following: enrollment verification letter, acceptance letter, course registration for upcoming semester, screenshot of unofficial transcript.
  - Introduction: In 100-200 words, tell us about yourself. Why are you applying for this scholarship? Feel free to include fun facts, an appropriate photograph, or anything that you feel would make you stand out.
  - Short Essay: In 300-600 words, write about the following: Why have you chosen to pursue a career in health care and what are the key qualities you possess that will help you be successful?
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**Get Up! Get Active! (Financial Literacy) (Deadline: TBD)**

**Purpose of Award:** To encourage students to encourage students to increase their financial literacy skills and adopt positive habits for managing their personal finances both in college and beyond.

**Website:** [getupgetactive.org/scholarship/](http://getupgetactive.org/scholarship/)

**Award Description:** \$1,000 **Eligibility**

**Requirements:**

To be eligible to apply for this award, all of the following must apply:

1. Applicants must be current in current college, graduate school or adult learners.

2. Applicants must be committed to increasing their financial literacy skills and adopt positive habits for current college, graduate school or adult learners.
  3. Award can be used at any college to study any major as well as for books and living expenses.
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### **GoodRx Helps Equity in Pharmacy Scholarship (Deadline: May 16<sup>th</sup> to June 27<sup>th</sup>)**

**Website:** <https://www.goodrx.com/corporate/news/equity-in-pharmacy-scholarship-2022>

**Award:** \$5,000 each to 5 PharmD winners

**Award description:** Each year, we ask applicants how they would solve a specific problem in healthcare. For example, previous winners described how they might use technology to address health disparities in their communities. This year, applicants are asked to share their opinions on expanding pharmacists' prescribing responsibilities. Such policies are already in effect in several states and offer yet another way for pharmacists to impact patients' lives. The varying degrees of authority to assess and prescribe treatments to patients could redefine the pharmacist's role in patient care. In addition, applicants are invited to share career goals, work experience (if applicable), and education information.

**Eligibility:** Self-identify as a person from an underrepresented population in the healthcare field AND Have a minimum grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale (or its equivalent). Applicants should also be: Enrolled (in at least your first year) in a pharmacy doctorate program at a college of pharmacy accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE)

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### **Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) (Deadline: January 3rd, March 10<sup>th</sup>)**

Scholarships for Disadvantaged Students

**Website:** <https://www.hrsa.gov/grants/find-funding/HRSA-20-006>

**Award:** Varied (up to \$40,000)

**Eligibility:** Medical students from disadvantaged backgrounds, enrolled in accredited health programs (DO/MD, dentistry, veterinary medicine, pharmacy, etc.)

**Requirements:** Students from medically underserved and low-income communities

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### **Islamic Medical Association of North America (IMANA) (Deadline: Opens Fall 2024, March 15<sup>th</sup>)**

A merit-based award for a pharmacy student. All are welcome to apply regardless of race, religion, or other background factors

**Website:** <https://imana.org/scholarships/>

**Award:** \$5000 to one applicant **Criteria:**

- a. US Citizen, permanent resident, or DACA.
- b. Pursuing pharmacy degree at a US accredited

institution **Required Documentation:**

- a. Must create an account and submit the application online at: <https://imana.org/scholarships/>
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**Indian Health Service (IHS) Scholarship Program (Deadline: Opens on December 15, 2024, Due on February 28, 2025)**

**Website:** [https://www.ihs.gov/sites/scholarship/themes/responsive2017/display\\_objects/documents/ScholarshipWebinarPresentation-Fall2021.pdf](https://www.ihs.gov/sites/scholarship/themes/responsive2017/display_objects/documents/ScholarshipWebinarPresentation-Fall2021.pdf)

**Award:** **Tuition, fees, books and monthly stipend paid** with two-year commitment to work at an approved site and one year of service per year of support thereafter **Eligibility**

- You must be a US citizen (US-born or naturalized) or a US national.
- You must be:
  - A member or descendant of a federally recognized American Indian Tribe or an Alaska Native village (Category A, B, or D on Form BIA-4432) or
  - A member or descendant of a state-recognized or terminated Tribe.
- Men over the age of 18 must be registered with Selective Service.
- Must be enrolled in pharmacy graduate program by the scholarship deadline **How to Enter:**
- Application is online only (no mail accepted) and can be found here: <https://www.ihs.gov/scholarship/apply/>
- You will need to create an account before you begin where you will be asked to answer 3 questions to determine eligibility:
  1. Choose your US citizenship or national status.
  2. Confirm your status as a Tribal member or descendant and choose the name of your Tribe or Native village.
  3. Confirm whether your cumulative grade point average (GPA) is a 2.0 or above. Based on your responses, the system will determine your eligibility and for which scholarship you are eligible to apply. Once you agree you will be able to enter your information and create an account.

### **iVein Health & Wellness Scholarship (Deadline: December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2024)**

A study done by the researchers at Auburn University found that 70% of college students gain weight by graduation. Interventional Vascular and Vein Center (IVC), the trusted leader in preventing and treating vein disease, offers the iVein® Health and Wellness Scholarship to reward students who are committed to a lifetime of healthy habits.

**Website:** <https://www.ivein.com/scholarship/>

**Award description:** Two scholarships of \$2,500 each will be awarded annually. Recipients are only eligible to receive the scholarship once.

**Eligibility:** Students must provide official or unofficial transcripts showing the following requirements are met:

- Enrolled in an accredited college or university
- Enrolled full time (12 credit hours for undergraduate students and 9 credit hours for graduate students)
- Cumulative GPA of at least 3.7
- Students in pass/fail programs must provide proof of passing status
- Applicants must write an essay of 800- 1000 words, promoting a practical approach to healthy lifestyle during college years and how these habits can be sustained over a lifetime.

### **J.C. and Rheba Cobb Memorial Scholarship (Deadline: TBD)**

The NCPA Foundation J.C. and Rheba Cobb Memorial Scholarship will be made on the basis of the following priorities:

1. Demonstrated Interest in Government Affairs: The applicant must provide a separate one page description of his or her demonstrated interest in government activities. These qualities will be measured by the required supporting documents.



2. **Leadership Qualities:** Potential candidates will be evaluated by the NCPA Foundation Scholarship Committee on the basis of leadership qualities and accomplishments with a demonstrated interest in independent pharmacy, as well as involvement in extracurricular activities. These qualities will be measured by the required supporting documents.
3. **Academic Achievement:** Scholastic success is a necessary condition for consideration and will be measured using college transcripts.

**Website:** <https://www.ncpafoundation.org/rheba-cobb/>

**Award:** \$2,000

The scholarship is awarded on an individual basis and is non-transferable. A check for \$2,000 from the NCPA Foundation will be sent to each recipient's school to be put towards his/her account. NOTE: The award recipient must be present at the NCPA Annual Convention to receive this award. A complimentary registration to the NCPA Convention will be provided and up to a \$300 travel stipend.

**Purpose:** Each year, the National Community Pharmacists Association (NCPA) Foundation grants the J.C. and Rheba Cobb Memorial Scholarship for \$2,000 with a \$300 travel stipend to attend the annual convention for pharmacy student members who are currently enrolled in an accredited U.S. college of pharmacy on a full-time basis. Recipients will be chosen on the basis of demonstrated interest in governmental affairs, leadership qualities, involvement in extra-curricular professional activities, and academic achievement.

**Eligibility:** One scholarship will be awarded. All pharmacy students who are NCPA student members are eligible to apply for the NCPA Foundation Scholarships. The student must be enrolled in an accredited U.S. school or college of pharmacy on a full-time basis during the academic term that the scholarship is awarded. The student must be within 24 months of graduation.

Note: Students may apply for multiple scholarships but will not be awarded more than one scholarship per year and will not be awarded a particular scholarship more than once.

Children of NCPA Foundation Officers, NCPA Officers, or NCPA Executive Committee members are not eligible to participate in the program.

**Instructions:**

- i. **Most recent \*\*official\*\* transcript** (*May be sent separately*)
- ii. **Letter from School Official.** This letter should briefly describe the student's extracurricular accomplishments, leadership qualities and contributions to the school. (*May be sent separately*)
- iii. **Letter from Pharmacy Owner or Manager** (preferably an NCPA member). This letter should briefly describe the student's commitment to the pharmacy profession, and pharmacist's knowledge of applicant's interest in independent pharmacy as a career. (*May be sent separately*)
- iv. **Resume or CV** listing student's work experience, advanced pharmacy practice experiences (APPEs) and peer-reviewed research and other major publications.
- v. **J.C. & Rheba Cobb Memorial Scholarship Letter from Applicant.** Briefly describe:
  - a. School and civic accomplishments and goals for the future;
  - b. Demonstrated interest in independent pharmacy;
  - c. Description of interest in government activities

**Ken Baker Memorial Student Scholarship (Deadline: September 15, 2024)**

**Website:** <https://www.aspl.org/ken-baker-memorial-scholarship>

**Award:** The American Society for Pharmacy Law (ASPL) awards the Ken Baker Memorial Scholarship to support students in pharmacy and pharmacy law to attend the annual ASPL Developments in Pharmacy Law Seminar where they will: 1) attend up to 15 hours of continuing education sessions; and 2) network with industry professionals from across the country. Funding for this scholarship is subject to vary year to year based upon the operational funds available to ASPL.

**Eligibility Requirements:**

- Applicant must be a full-time student of an ACPE accredited entry-level pharmacy degree program in the U.S.
- OR

A full-time student enrolled in an ABA-accredited law school to pursue the JD degree.

- Applicant must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident of the U.S.
- Applicant must be actively enrolled in school November 2-5, 2023, during the Developments in Pharmacy Law Seminar.

**Application Package:**

- Academic transcripts from law school or college of pharmacy.
- Letter of reference from law school or pharmacy professor. • A brief essay (500 words or less) of the applicant’s interest in pharmacy law and how attendance at the conference will help in their career pursuits.
- ASPL may require additional information as part of the application process as it deems necessary to select a recipient who best meets the purposes of the scholarship.
- Financial need is not a criterion.

All required information should be submitted to:

American Society for Pharmacy Law

Scholarship Committee

3309 Robbins Road, #171

Springfield, IL 62704

Or by email to [administration@aspl.org](mailto:administration@aspl.org)

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**Max Gorin Scholarship (Deadline: June 30, 2024)**

**Website:** <http://maxgorinscholarship.com/>

**Award:** \$1000 Scholarship

**Eligibility Requirements:**

- The applicant must be enrolled in an undergraduate or graduate program by the scholarship deadline

**Application Package:**

- Application available online.
  - Must submit narrative addressing the following prompt: “Healthcare in America is a frequently debated topic. Do you believe an individual’s ability to obtain higher education can impact their long-term quality of health? Why or why not?” [A 400-word essay must be submitted to address this prompt.
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**Nancy Etz Scholarship (Deadline: February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024)**

**Website:** <http://nancyetzscholarship.com/>

**Award:** \$1000 Scholarship

**Eligibility Requirements:**

- The applicant must be enrolled in an undergraduate or graduate program by the scholarship deadline

**Application Package:**

- Application available online.
  - Must submit a 500-word essay that answers the following prompt. “Describe an area in your life where you demonstrated leadership and overcame obstacles in either your school, society, or family life “.
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**National Community Pharmacists Association Foundation Scholarships (Deadline: March 15, 2024)**

**Website:** <https://www.ncpafoundation.org/scholarships/>

**Eligibility Criteria:** All pharmacy students who are NCPA student members ([www.ncpa.org](http://www.ncpa.org)) are eligible to apply for NCPA Foundation Scholarships. The student must be enrolled in an accredited U.S. school or college of pharmacy on a full-time basis during the term that the scholarship is awarded. Note: Students may apply for multiple scholarships but will not be awarded more than one scholarship per year and will not be awarded a particular scholarship more than once. Children of NCPA Foundation Trustees, NCPA Officers, or NCPA Directors are not eligible to participate in the program.

**Award:** various amounts \$2,000-\$5,000

**Award Criteria:** Please visit [www.ncpafoundation.org](http://www.ncpafoundation.org) to review the scholarship award criteria for the scholarship for which you are applying. You should address the criteria in your letter to the Scholarship Committee.

**Application Process:** The Scholarship Application Form is on the next page and includes the maximum number of pages for the documents requested below.

Each applicant must complete and submit:

1. NCPA Foundation Scholarship Application Form
2. Most recent official transcript of his/her college grades.
3. Letter from a school official familiar with the student's activities. This letter should briefly describe the student's extracurricular accomplishments, leadership qualities, and contributions to the school. Letter from a pharmacy owner or manager, preferably an NCPA member. This letter should briefly describe the student's commitment to the pharmacy profession, and pharmacist's knowledge of applicant's interest in independent pharmacy as a career.
4. Letter from the applicant to the NCPAF Scholarship Committee outlining his/her school and civic accomplishments and goals for the future demonstrated interest in independent pharmacy, vision for the development of innovative pharmacy practices that stress quality care leading to improved patient health outcomes, or other relevant details pertaining to the scholarship for which you are applying.
5. Résumé or curriculum vitae listing the student's work experience, advanced pharmacy practice experiences (APPEs) and peer-reviewed research or other major publication.
6. If you choose to apply for more than one scholarship, please be sure to use your letter to provide details applicable to each named scholarship chosen. Questions? Contact: 800-544-7447 or [ncpaF@ncpa.org](mailto:ncpaF@ncpa.org).

**National Hispanic Health Foundation (Deadline: September 13, 2024)**

**Website:** <https://www.nhmafoundation.org/the-hispanic-health-professional-student-scholarship>

**Award:**

- a. Each scholarship is worth \$2,000
- b. One scholarship will be for \$5,000 annually for three years
- c. Up to 20 students receive a scholarship each year
- d. In 2004, NHHF established the National Hispanic Health Professional Student Scholarship program and its first Gala in New York City for medical, nursing, dental, public health, and pharmacy and health policy students with outstanding academic records, leadership, and who are committed to serving Hispanics.

**Scholarship Criteria:**

- Eligible students must be enrolled full time for the 2022-2023 academic year
- Affinity for the health of Hispanic communities ○ Not required to be Hispanic
- Participation in NHHF Scholars Alumni activities
- Member of the National Hispanic Pharmacy Association ○ \$25 membership for students
- US Citizenship, permanent residency or DACA required ○ 3.0 GPA required
- Application usually opens in March
  - a. REQUIRED SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:
    - Personal Statement or essay, including career goals (double-spaced, two (2)-page maximum)

- Current curriculum vitae or resume
- One (1) letter of recommendation\*
- Unofficial transcripts\*\*
- Proof of U.S. Citizenship, Residency, or DACA status (i.e., passport, birth certificate, naturalization certificate, driver's license, or Form I-797C). Please blackout any sensitive information before submitting your proof of residency.

\*If your reference prefers that he/she submit the letter of recommendation to NHHF, please have them either mail or email the letter. The letter MUST BE RECEIVED by the application deadline, NOT by postmark date.

**Additional Information:** Applicants should have exceptional academic performance, documented leadership activities, and have a commitment to a career providing healthcare services to the Hispanic community in the US.

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### **\$2000 Nitro Scholarship Sweepstakes (Deadline: Last day of each month)**

**Website:** [https://www.nitrocollege.com/nitro-scholarship-application?utm\\_source=cpc&utm\\_medium=schol360&utm\\_campaign=schol360\\_2k\\_main](https://www.nitrocollege.com/nitro-scholarship-application?utm_source=cpc&utm_medium=schol360&utm_campaign=schol360_2k_main)

**Award:** \$2000

#### **Requirements:**

The \$2,000 Nitro Scholarship Sweepstakes is only open to legal residents of the 50 United States, the District of Columbia and any US Territory age 17 or older at the time of entry, and who meet one (1) of the four (4) following eligibility requirements at the time of entry:

1. A parent who currently has a child enrolled in an accredited college or university located within the United States.
  2. A student who is currently enrolled in an accredited college or university located within the United States.
  3. A parent who currently has a child enrolled as a high school senior located within the United States.
  4. A student who is currently enrolled as a high school junior or senior who intends to enroll in an accredited college or university located with the United States, within a year of graduating high school.
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### **Out To Innovate Scholarships for LGBTQ STEM Students (Deadline: June 1, 2024)**

**Website:** <https://www.outtoinnovate.org/scholarships>

**Award:** One \$5,000, One \$2,500, Two \$3,000, One \$2,000 (when funded)

#### **Award Description:**

The Out to Innovate™ Scholarships, established in 2011, are intended for LGBTQ+ undergraduate and graduate students pursuing degrees in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics (STEM) programs. The scholarships are designed to promote academic excellence and increased visibility of talented LGBTQ+ students in STEM careers. We are pleased to announce that Motorola Solutions Foundation has funded the Out to Innovate Scholarships for the 2023-2024 academic year for technology and engineering students, which includes first (\$5000) and second (\$2500) place graduate and undergraduate scholarships. BHE Foundation has funded several \$5000 scholarships for engineering students. And individual philanthropy has funded two general STEM scholarships for \$3000.

We have a new permanent addition to our scholarship portfolio: The Amy A. Ross Scholarship in Bioscience. Applicants to this scholarship must demonstrate a commitment to furthering LGBTQ+ visibility, diversity, and inclusion in the biosciences. This is a \$2000 scholarship.

#### **Eligibility Requirements:**

- a. Identify as a member of the LGBTQ+ community
- b. Cumulative grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.75 on a 4-point scale
- c. Be an active supporter of and participant in programs or organizations that promote

- LGBTQ+ inclusion and visibility
- d. Successful completion of a minimum of two years of post-high school education in an accredited U.S. College or university.
- e. Must be eligible for fall term registration at an accredited U.S. college or university and must not be under disciplinary sanction.
- f. A declared major in an accredited STEM or STEM-related teaching field. STEM is Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math.

**Application Package:**

- a. The reference requests section asks you for contact information for at least two people who have agreed to write a letter of recommendation for you. One of these references must be a faculty member who is familiar with your academic accomplishments; the other two references may be people who are familiar with your community/volunteer activities.
- b. Incomplete or late application submissions will not be evaluated.
- c. **Applications submitted via email or outside the application cycle window will not be evaluated**

**Paliwal Club of 100 STEAM Scholars Fund (Deadline: December 13<sup>th</sup>, 2024)**

**Website:** <https://1000dreamsfund.org/programs/paliwal-club-of-100/>

**Award:** 5 or more grants of at a minimum of \$750 to a maximum of \$1,500 will be awarded each semester. Grants are not renewable, however, non-selected applicants may re-apply.

**Eligibility Requirements:**

1. Must be female and currently enrolled in a two-year, four-year college/university or graduate school in the U.S.
2. Applicant must demonstrate financial need.
3. Must include 2 letters of recommendation and an essay explaining how the grant would be used.
4. Selection will be based on applicant content, financial need and information gathered from letter(s) of recommendation. Previous recipients are not eligible to reapply.

**Partners in Pharmacy (PIP) (Deadline: TBD)**

**Website:** [www.ncpafoundation.org/partners](http://www.ncpafoundation.org/partners)

**Award Description:** This scholarship recognizes pharmacy students for their exemplary academic performance, community service, and a demonstrated commitment to independent pharmacy. PIP offers \$2,000 awards with a \$300 travel stipend for attending the annual convention.

**Eligibility Requirements:** The Partners in Pharmacy Scholarship will be made on the basis of the following priorities:

- i. **Leadership Qualities:** Potential candidates will be evaluated by the PIP Scholarship Committee on the basis of leadership qualities and accomplishments with a demonstrated interest in independent pharmacy, as well as involvement in extracurricular activities. These qualities will be measured by the required supporting documents.
- ii. **Academic Achievement:** Scholastic success is a necessary condition for consideration and will be measured using current college transcripts.
- iii. **Demonstrated Interest:** Scholarships are awarded to students based on career goals and objectives and established interest in independent pharmacy as a career option.
- iv. **All pharmacy students who are student's members of NCPA are eligible to apply for the Partners in Pharmacy Scholarship.**

- v. The student must be enrolled in an accredited U.S. school or college of pharmacy on a full-time basis during the academic term that the scholarship is awarded. **The student must be within 24 months of graduation.**
- vi. Students may only receive this award one time.
- vii. Children of Partners in Pharmacy Officers, NCPA Foundation Officers, NCPA Officers, or NCPA Executive Committee members are not eligible to participate in the program.

### Application Procedure

Please provide the following documents (documents should be a pdf, 2-page limit, except the transcript):

2. **Most recent \*\*official\*\* transcript** (*May be sent separately*)
3. **Letter from School Official or Pharmacy Owner/Manager** (Preferably from an NCPA member) (*May be sent separately*) Should include:
  - An introduction that identifies the recommender and their relationship with the student.
  - Why the student should receive a scholarship including:
    - General observations and thoughts about the student's strengths, relevant qualities, experiences, and skills, including their commitment to independent pharmacy.
    - Specific examples that support those observations and thoughts.
    - Why the student is a good fit for this particular scholarship.
4. **Resume or CV** listing student's work experience, advanced pharmacy practice experiences (APPEs) and peer-reviewed research and other major publications, as well as extracurricular activities.
5. **Partners in Pharmacy (PIP) Letter from Applicant.** Briefly describe:
  - School and civic accomplishments and goals for the future; ○ Demonstrated interest in independent pharmacy;
  - Description of career goals and objectives and established interest in independent pharmacy as a career option

### Pharmacist Mutual Scholarship (Deadline: October 1 - December 1, 2024)

**Website:** <https://phmic.com/scholarship/>

**Award Description:** This scholarship is sponsored by the Pharmacists Mutual. This award provides \$3000 each and up to \$60,000 in scholarships may be awarded annually. This program acknowledges students interested in serving in an independent or small chain community pharmacy, or in an underserved geographic area. **Eligibility Requirements:**

To be eligible to apply for the 2024-2025 Pharmacists Mutual Community Pharmacy Scholarship, students must meet the following criteria:

- a. Be a current P2 or P3 pharmacy student that will be a P3 or P4 pharmacy student in the 2024-2025 academic year.
- b. Eligible students must plan to practice in one of the following settings:
  - a. An independent or small chain community pharmacy
  - b. An underserved geographic area or cultural community, preferably in an independent or small chain community pharmacy
- c. Interested students must submit an electronic application, college transcript, letter of recommendation from a faculty member or advisor, and an essay describing their interest in practicing in an independent or small chain community setting, or in an underserved community.
  - a. Their essay should describe steps they have taken to prepare themselves for their chosen practice setting.
- d. The application window will open from October 1, 2023 to December 1, 2023.

**PLS-AFPE First-Year Graduate Scholarship (Deadline: May 15th at 11:59 PST annually)**

**Website:** <https://philambdasigma.org/awards/pls-afpe/>

**Award:** \$10,000

**Eligibility:**

1. Applicant must be in their final year of an ACPE-accredited Doctor of Pharmacy program
2. Applicant must be a member of Phi Lambda Sigma
3. Applicant should have plans to enroll in a Ph.D. program upon graduation or be currently enrolled in a dual Pharm.D./Ph.D. program.
4. Applicants should be a U.S. citizenship or permanent resident.

**Application and submission procedures:**

Complete the AFPE First-Year Graduate Scholarship Application Form.

Application components include:

1. Curriculum Vitae
2. Letter of Intent
3. Letters of recommendation from two college faculty members who are acquainted with the student and his/her potential for graduate study.
4. Name of the graduate school that the student plans to attend.
5. An official transcript of all collegiate grades and copies of GRE scores. In the absence of GRE scores an applicant can submit SAT or other national achievement test scores

**The Sacramento Hmong New Year Scholarships (Deadline: November 4<sup>th</sup>, 2024)**

**Website:**

[https://www.sacramentohmongnewyear.com/uploads/3/4/9/2/34924231/scholarship\\_application\\_grad2023-2024.pdf](https://www.sacramentohmongnewyear.com/uploads/3/4/9/2/34924231/scholarship_application_grad2023-2024.pdf)

**Award:** This scholarship is a one-time (non-renewable) \$1,000 scholarship. These scholarships are awarded to Hmong undergraduate students who are residents residing in the County of Sacramento or primary/secondary home is residing in the County of Sacramento.

**Requirements:**

Applicant must:

- Be a Hmong graduate student whose primary or secondary home reside in the Sacramento County
- Be enrolled to a U.S. Accredited Graduate Program
- Be an enrolled full-time or part-time student for the fall semester of 2023
- At least one biological parent of Hmong descent
- Have a minimum of 3.0 GPA.

Applicants must provide the followings:

- Completed application form
- Official proof of academic standing (official transcript)
- One letter of reference from either a guidance counselor or a teacher

Send completed application, official transcript(s), and letter of reference in clasp envelope ATTN to:

Sacramento Hmong New Year, Inc.  
Scholarship Committee  
PO BOX 232118  
Sacramento, CA 95823

Contact scholarship committee to physically submit application:

Alisa Xiong | 916-490-9268 | [alisaxiong@sacramentohmongnewyear.com](mailto:alisaxiong@sacramentohmongnewyear.com)

**Sacramento Valley Pharmacists Association Leadership Scholarship (SVPhA) (Deadline: November 16<sup>th</sup>, 2024)**

**Website:** <https://cpha.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/05/SVPhA-Scholarship.pdf>

**Award:** 3 scholarships: Each up to \$750; A single application process will be used to select recipients for the \$750 SVPhA Student Scholarship and the \$1,000 Tom Nelson Memorial Scholarship. Student scholarship recipients will be notified and presented their scholarships at the annual SVPhA Crabfeed in 2024.

**Eligibility:**

- Current enrollment in a California doctor of pharmacy program
- Student in good academic standing
- Attendance for at least 3 SVPhA Board of Directors meetings in 2023 (required for the \$750 SVPhA Student Scholarship but not a requirement for the \$1,000 Tom Nelson Memorial Scholarship)
- Location - preference may be given to students who have resided for at least 2 years in the Sacramento Valley (El Dorado, Nevada, Placer, Sacramento, Yolo, Yuba, Sutter, or Colusa counties). However, a scholarship may still be given without a local residency requirement
- An interview may be required
- Must attach 1 letter of recommendation and complete one essay to [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc6GyaqeOZThw7Fhttps://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc6GyaqeOZThw7F-msu9Hh9vouGz9\\_Yw3XuPLPkaw95MDIYg/viewformmsu9Hh9vouGz9\\_Yw3XuPLPkaw95MDIYg/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc6GyaqeOZThw7Fhttps://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc6GyaqeOZThw7F-msu9Hh9vouGz9_Yw3XuPLPkaw95MDIYg/viewformmsu9Hh9vouGz9_Yw3XuPLPkaw95MDIYg/viewform)

**Application Requirements:**

- Application Form
- Current Transcript (Unofficial transcript is acceptable)
- One Letter of Recommendation ○ Scholarship Essay Prompt (Choose one):
  - If you received a \$1000 grant to initiate any pharmacy project, this may be related to an existing project that you can expand on or a new idea, what steps would you take to ensure your project was sustainable for years to come without additional funds? Give as much detail as possible with a breakdown on cost, and forecast of the impact it will have on the community.

**OR**

- In alignment with the CPhA goal of expanding the knowledge and skills of pharmacy professionals, where do you see valuable opportunities for the development of pharmacy students and practitioners? How have you personally made efforts to expand your educational experiences?
- Full Curriculum Vitae including:

- Local, State, or National Pharmacy Association activities or meetings
- Student Leadership activities, events, and positions
- Community outreach involvement
- Work experience in a pharmacy

Email all documents to [sacvalleypha@gmail.com](mailto:sacvalleypha@gmail.com).

**SVMDPA Scholarship (Deadline: TBD)**

**Website:** <https://svmdpa.org/>

**Award:** \$1000 to one (1) Vietnamese College Student (must be a US citizen) **Scholarship**

**Criteria:**

Vietnamese College Student (must be a US citizen) with either one of the below criteria:

- Currently attending college and/or university in Sacramento, Placer, Yolo or San Joaquin county.
- A student originally from the Sacramento, Placer, Yolo or San Joaquin county attending college and/or university outside Sacramento, Placer, Yolo or San Joaquin.



Official Transcripts required. Good academic standing (minimum of 3.0 out of 4.0 GPA) with Financial Need.

Is not related or affiliated with any current or past SVMDDPA/YND member, not a previous scholarship recipient

Acceptance letter from a professional school sent as a PDF file.

One letter of recommendation sent as a PDF file.

A 250-word max essay on why the student is interested in the chosen field. Please attached essay in PDF form and include applicant name as part of the file name.

A current Curriculum Vitae.

Phone or FaceTime interview may be required during the final selection process.

**Additional Information:**

All scholarship applications and all accompanying requirements are to be completed and submitted online at <https://svmdpa.org/>

Please include applicant's last name as part of all file names.

**The American Academy of CPR and First Aid: The “Save a Life” Scholarship for Students of Healthcare and Education (Deadline(s): Fall: October 1<sup>st</sup> and Spring: May 1<sup>st</sup>)**

**Website:** <https://www.onlinecprcertification.net/scholarship.php>

**Award:** \$1,500 for one individual

**Eligibility:**

1. Any student currently enrolled in, or applying to enroll within the next academic year, in a degree program in the fields of healthcare or education, at an accredited U.S. university, is eligible to apply.
2. You must provide your school GPA.
3. You must be at least 18 years old.
4. We take a broad view of what counts as a “healthcare field,” and that can include students pursuing mental health degrees or occupations, as well as administrative and non-profit programs. Applicants will have the opportunity to make their case for why their chosen field of study can be classified as healthcare or education-focused as part of their essay.
5. If you aren't selected, that doesn't mean we aren't interested in your story — we still want to hear from you! Unsuccessful applicants may re-apply in subsequent scholarship rounds. Scholarships will only be awarded one time to each winner. Past winners are not eligible to apply again.
6. Please do not send emails asking if your essay was received. Unless you receive a failure to deliver message, then we have received your submission.
7. Please read the full submission instructions before contacting us with questions related to the scholarship. If you need further assistance, please contact [admin@aacprfirstaid.com](mailto:admin@aacprfirstaid.com)
8. Applicants will not be notified if they were not selected. Please do not email us asking if or when a winner has been selected. Winners are selected approximately 30 days after each scholarship deadline.
9. Scholarship winner will need to submit a photo copy of government issued state identification card or driver license.

**Application Requirements & Procedures:**

1. Qualifying applicants will submit the following information via email to [scholarship@onlinecprcertification.net](mailto:scholarship@onlinecprcertification.net)
2. Your name, address, phone number, and email
3. Your scholarship essay of between 750 and 1,000 words, explaining your career aspirations, how you plan to advance healthcare and/or education through your work, and what inspired you to commit yourself to this field. Your scholarship essay can be attached as a Word file, or linked as a Google Doc.
4. Submit your essay before each deadline. Essays received after the deadline will not be considered.
5. Fall Scholarship Deadline - October 1st, 2020
6. Spring Scholarship Deadline - May 1st, 2021

7. A copy of your most recent academic transcript to prove enrollment in a qualifying degree program from accredited US institutions.  
or —
  8. A copy of your letter of acceptance, proving future enrollment in a qualifying degree program from accredited US institutions
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**Soroptimist Scholarship (Deadline: January, 2025 – March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025 & August 1, 2024 - November 15, 2024)**

**Website:** <https://soroptimistsacramento.com/awards-scholarships> and <https://www.soroptimist.org/ourwork/live-your-dream-awards/apply-for-the-live-your-dream-awards.html>

**Award:** Up to 16,000 tuition costs, purchase books, get transportation, or find reliable childcare

**Eligibility: You are eligible to apply for the Soroptimist *Live Your Dream Awards* if you are a woman who:**

1. Provides the primary financial support for yourself and your dependents. Dependents can include children, spouse, partner, siblings and/or parents.
  2. Has financial need.
  3. Is enrolled in or has been accepted to a vocational/skills training program or an undergraduate degree program.
  4. Is motivated to achieve your education and career goals.
  5. Resides in one of Soroptimist International of the Americas' member countries/territories (Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Canada, Colombia, Ecuador, Guam, Japan, Korea, Mexico, Northern Mariana Islands, Palau, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Taiwan, United States of America, Venezuela).
  6. Has not previously been the recipient of a Soroptimist *Women's Opportunity* or *Live Your Dream Award*.
  7. Does not have a graduate degree.
  8. Is not a Soroptimist member, an employee of Soroptimist International of the Americas or immediate family of either.
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**Tylenol Future Care Scholarship (Deadline: August 1, 2024)**

**Website:** <https://www.tylenol.com/news/scholarship>

**Award:**

- Ten (10) \$10,000 scholarships will be awarded annually and are not renewable.
- Twenty-five (25) \$5,000 scholarships will be awarded annually and are not renewable.
- The scholarships will be applied to tuition, fees, and books, supplies & equipment required for a fulltime course load.
- Institutions must be accredited, nonprofit colleges/universities in the United States

**Eligibility:** Applicants must meet all of the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Be a resident of the 50 United States, Puerto Rico or the District of Columbia.
- Be a graduate student or be a college senior who will be enrolling in graduate school during the 2020-21 Academic year.
- Provide proof of enrollment to a graduate program in medical school, nursing, and/or pharmacy.
- Have one or more years of school remaining.

*Scholarships will be awarded to students and practitioners who are seeking a degree to actively treat patients. Employees of Johnson & Johnson Consumer Inc., McNeil Consumer Healthcare Division, ISTS, Inc., their affiliates, subsidiaries, advertising and promotion agencies and the families of each are **not eligible**.*

**Criteria:**

- i. College GPA
  - ii. Academic records in medical school, nursing and/or pharmacy
  - iii. Community involvement/volunteer service
  - iv. Essay content
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### Underrepresented Minority Gateway to Research Awards (Deadline: November 2024 – January 2025)

**Website:** <https://afpepharm.org/index.php/gateway-to-research-awards/underrepresented-minority-gateway-research-award/>

This scholarship is for pharmacy students currently enrolled in an ACPE accredited School of Pharmacy. The primary goal of the Gateway to Research Scholarship program is to help students gain an understanding of the importance of research by enabling them to apply that knowledge to improve their clinical skills. This scholarship provides a unique opportunity for talented Pharm.D. and baccalaureate degree students to participate in a faculty-mentored research project. The Gateway to Research Scholarship also encourages students who have the aptitude and desire to pursue a career in research to continue their education in a Ph.D. program. This award helps students to learn to identify relevant research problems, generate a research hypothesis, analyze data, learn how to interpret and use research results in practice, learn to effectively communicate research and clinical data to a broad audience, develop problem-solving skills, and sharpen critical thinking skills. Overall, the exposure to and understanding of research enables them to improve their clinical skills to facilitate better communication with patients and medical team members, thus equipping them for the changing healthcare workforce.

**Award:** \$5,000

**Criteria:**

- Recommended by a faculty member
- Demonstrated superior academic performance
- Submitted a proposed research topic that is relevant
- Provided a comprehensive mentoring plan
- Submitted letters of recommendation
- Have shown interest in scientific research

**Eligibility:**

Eligible applicants must be:

- a U.S. citizen or a permanent resident
- a full-time student who is
  - a) enrolled in a Pharm.D. program
    - completed at least two years of college
    - enrolled in at least the first year of the professional pharmacy curriculum at an ACPE accredited School of Pharmacy

OR

- b) enrolled in a Baccalaureate degree program (undergraduate)
    - completed at least one year of the degree program in an ACPE accredited School of Pharmacy.
      - Enrolled for at least 1 full academic year after the initiation of the award
      - Nominated and mentored by a faculty member who is employed by either an ACPE-accredited school of pharmacy OR any college awarding baccalaureate degrees, provided the faculty member is actively undertaking research in the pharmaceutical sciences. The nominating faculty must agree to mentor the student's proposed research for the entire year of the award duration
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### Walmart Health Equity Scholarship for Pharmacy Students (Deadline: July 29, 2024)

**Website:** <https://www.aacp.org/resource/walmart-health-equity-scholarship-pharmacy-students>

**Award:**

- i. Support the financial need of PharmD students who plan to serve in rural areas, medically underserved areas, or Health Profession Shortage Areas upon graduation
- ii. Applicants will be evaluated on their leadership, academic success, and commitment to serving rural or medically underserved patient populations
- iii. Seven \$5,000 awards

**Criteria:**

1. **Enrolled as a P1, P2, or P3**
2. Earn a **cumulative grade point average of at least 2.00** on a 4.0 scale on your most recent transcript
3. Demonstrate leadership, academic success, and commitment to serving underserved areas after graduation
4. Submit a **transcript** to verify your GPA. An unofficial transcript in PDF is acceptable
5. **Two letters of recommendation** - one from a **college official or faculty member** and one from a **second recommender (pharmacists, employers, faculty, colleagues, etc.)** addressing the applicant's attributes as related to the scholarship goals.
6. Submit **current résumé or CV**.
7. Submit an **essay of no more than 750 words** addressing the following prompt:

*Describe how your life experiences influenced your decision to pursue a pharmacy career and desire to serve in rural areas, medically underserved areas or populations (MUA/Ps), or Health Professional Shortage Areas (HPSAs). Include any key volunteer, extracurricular, employment, or academic experiences that solidified and/or demonstrate your commitment to these communities. Describe how you envision contributing to health equity as a pharmacist in these communities.*

**Willard B. Simmons Sr. Memorial Scholarship for Pharmacy Management: (Deadline: TBD)**

**Website:** <https://www.ncpafoundation.org/simmons/>

**Award:** \$2,000

**Eligibility:**

1. All pharmacy students who are national NCPA student members are eligible to apply for NCPA Foundation Scholarships.
2. The student must be enrolled in an accredited U.S. school or college of pharmacy on a full-time basis during the academic term that the scholarship is awarded.
3. The student must be within 24 months of graduation.

**Award Criteria:**

The NCPA Foundation Willard B. Simmons Sr. Memorial Scholarship will be made on the following basis:

1. **Independent Pharmacy Management:** Demonstrated interest in independent pharmacy management and entrepreneurship. These qualities will be measured by the required supporting documents.
2. **Leadership Qualities:** Leadership qualities and accomplishments with a demonstrated interest in independent pharmacy, as well as involvement in extracurricular activities. These qualities will be measured by the required supporting documents.
3. **Academic Achievement:** Scholastic success is a necessary condition for consideration and will be measured using current college transcripts.

Please provide the following:

1. **Most recent \*\*official\*\* transcript** (*May be submitted separately*)
2. **Letter from School Official or Pharmacy Owner/Manager** (Preferably from an NCPA member) (*2-page max; May be submitted separately*) Should include:
  - o An introduction that identifies the recommender and their relationship to the student.

- Why the student should receive a scholarship including:
  - General observations and thoughts about the student's strengths, relevant qualities, experiences, and skills, including their commitment to independent pharmacy.
  - Specific examples that support those observations and thoughts.
  - Why the student is a good fit for a scholarship.
- 3. **Resume or CV** listing student's work experience, advanced pharmacy practice experiences (APPEs) and peer-reviewed research and other major publications, as well as extracurricular activities.
- 4. **Willard B. Simmons Sr. Memorial Scholarship Statement from Applicant.** (*up to 500 words*) Briefly describe:
  - School and civic accomplishments and goals for the future;
  - Demonstrated interest in independent pharmacy;
  - Description of interest in independent pharmacy management and entrepreneurship