

## Funding Opportunities Available to AB 540 Students

### General Scholarships & Fellowships Not Specific to Field of Study

Point Foundation: College Scholarships for LGBT Students

[www.pointfoundation.org/point-apply/apply-now/](http://www.pointfoundation.org/point-apply/apply-now/)

CSU Chancellor's Doctoral Incentive Program

<http://www.calstate.edu/hr/cdip/apply/>

Educators for Fair Consideration (E4FC) New American Scholars Program

<http://e4fc.org/scholarsprogram.html>

California Strawberry Scholarships

[www.californiastrawberries.com/scholarships](http://www.californiastrawberries.com/scholarships)

Student Advocates for Higher Education (SAHE)

<http://www.sahesjsu.org/scholarship/>

Bay Area Gardener's Foundation

<http://www.bagsf.org/>

Davis-Putter Scholarship Fund

<http://www.davisputter.org/>

Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute

<http://www.chci.org>

Manos de Esperanza (Hands of Hope)

[www.manosdeesperanza.org/](http://www.manosdeesperanza.org/)

MALDEF's DREAM Act Student Activist Scholarship

<http://www.maldef.org/leadership/scholarships/>

Atlas Shrugged Essay Contest

<http://essaycontest.aynrandnovels.com/AtlasShrugged.aspx?theme=blue>

Adsum Education Foundation Scholarship

<http://www.adsumsb.org/application.html>

Ford Foundation Postdoctoral Fellowship Program

<http://sites.nationalacademies.org/PGA/FordFellowships/index.htm>

Ford Foundation Predoctoral Fellowship Program

<http://sites.nationalacademies.org/PGA/FordFellowships/index.htm>

Hispanic Scholarship Fund-General College Scholarships

<http://hsf.net/en/scholarships/programs/general-college-scholarships>

CustomMade Scholarship

<http://www.custommade.com/scholarships/>

### Field of Study-Specific Scholarships & Fellowships

#### **BUSINESS**

David C. Lizárraga Fellowship

<http://telacu.com/telacu-education-foundation/graduate-school-support/david-c-lizarraga-fellowship/>

Denny's Hungry for Education Scholarship

<http://www.hacu.net/hacu/scholarships.asp>

#### **HUMANITIES, ARTS, AND SOCIAL SCIENCES**

Hayek Fund- Career Development Grants

<http://www.theihs.org/hayek-fund>

Hispanic Community Affairs Council Scholarship Fund

<http://hcac-ac.org/index.php/scholarship>

Humane Studies Fellowship

<http://www.theihs.org/humane-studies-fellowships>

DPDF Student Fellowship Competition

<http://www.ssrc.org/fellowships/dpdf-fellowship/#eligibility>

Jack Kent Cooke Foundation Fellowship Award

<http://www.jkcf.org/scholarships/graduate-scholarships/jack-kent-cooke-dissertation-fellowship-award/>

La Unidad Latina Foundation Scholarship

<http://www.lulfoundation.org>

NASW Foundation Awards

<http://www.naswfoundation.org/gosnell.asp>

CCNMA: Latino Journalists of California Scholarship

<http://www.ccnma.org/>

Asian American Journalists Association

<http://www.aajasf.org/scholarship/>

Byron Hanke Fellowship

<http://www.cairf.org/scholarships/hanke.aspx>

Phi Delta Kappa International Graduate Fellowships

<http://pdkintl.org/programs-resources/scholarships-awards/graduate-fellowships/>

Jack Kent Cooke Foundation Graduate Arts Award

<http://www.jkcf.org/scholarships/graduate-scholarships/graduate-arts-award/>

Kate Neal Memorial Fellowship  
<https://faa.illinois.edu/alumni-friends/kate-neal-kinley-memorial-fellowship>

**SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, AND MATH  
(INCLUDES HEALTH AND MEDICINE)**

LMSA-National Scholarship for U.S. Medical Students -  
-MED  
<http://lmsa.net/resources/scholarships>

Oliver Goldsmith, M.D. Scholarship MED  
<http://community.kp.org/be-informed/program/oliver-goldsmith-scholarship-program>

eQuality Scholarship Collaborative MED  
<http://www.equalityscholarship.org>

David C. Lizárraga Fellowship ENGINEER  
<http://telacu.com/telacu-education-foundation/graduate-school-support/david-c-lizarraga-fellowship/>

The Pisacano Scholars Leadership Program MED  
<http://www.pisacano.org>

CANFIT Scholarship HEALTH/NUTRITION/etc  
<http://canfit.org/scholarships/>

Chinese Medical Society Scholarships MED  
<http://chineseamericanmedicalsociety.cloverpad.org/Default.aspx?pageId=1070535>

Great Minds in Stem Henaac Awards GENERAL  
<http://www.greatmindsinstem.org/college/henaac-scholarship-application-guidelines>

SHPE Foundation Scholarship Program  
<http://scholarships.shpe.org/>

Jane Delano Student Nurse Scholarship  
<http://www.redcross.org/support/get-involved/scholarships>

Fresno County Medical Society Scholarship Foundation  
<http://www.fmms.org/Programs/AffiliatedOrganizations/ScholarshipFoundation.aspx>

Tylenol Future Care Scholarship  
<https://www.tylenol.com/news/scholarship>

SALEF Health Careers Scholarships  
[http://www.salef.org/#!\\_awards-and-scholarship-banquet](http://www.salef.org/#!_awards-and-scholarship-banquet)

Sierra Sacramento Valley Medical Society  
<http://www.ssvms.org/Programs/MedicalStudentScholarshipFund.aspx>

Stan Beck Fellowship  
<http://www.entsoc.org/about/awards-honors>

Amelia Earhart Fellowship  
<http://www.zonta.org/WhatWeDo/InternationalPrograms/AmeliaEarhartFellowship.aspx>

**LAW**

Donald W. Banner Diversity Scholarship for Law Students  
<https://bannerwitcoff.com/about-us/faq/>

Raza Lawyers Association- Central Valley Chapter Hon. Mario G. Olmos Memorial Scholarship Application  
<http://larazalaw.com/events/banquet.html>

Japanese American Bar Association Educational Foundation Scholarship Association  
<http://www.jabaonline.org/scholarships/>

MALDEF Law School Scholarship Program  
<http://maldef.org/leadership/scholarships/index.html>

Humane Studies Fellowship  
<http://www.theihs.org/humane-studies-fellowships>

Maggio Immigrants' Rights Fellowship  
<http://www.maggiofellowship.org/application.html>

Virginia S. Mueller Scholarship  
<http://womenlawyers-sacramento.org/scholarships/>

Fredrikson & Byron Foundation Minority Scholarship Program  
<https://www.fredlaw.com/>

DRI Law Student Diversity Scholarship  
<https://www.dri.org/About>

Dominican Bar Association Scholarship  
<http://www.dominicanbarassociation.org/>

Byron Hanke Fellowship  
<http://www.cairf.org/scholarships/hanke.aspx>

California Bar Foundation—Diversity Scholarship  
<http://www.calbarfoundation.org/11-diversity-scholarship.html>

Latham & Watkins-Diversity Scholars Program  
<http://www.lw.com/AboutUs/Diversity>

Women Lawyers of Sacramento: WLS Scholarship  
<http://womenlawyers-sacramento.org/scholarships/>

Wallace (Wally) R. David Memorial Scholarship Fund  
<http://www.ochba.org/scholarships>

American Bar Association  
[http://www.americanbar.org/groups/young\\_lawyers/awards\\_scholarships/haiku\\_contest\\_for\\_law\\_students.html](http://www.americanbar.org/groups/young_lawyers/awards_scholarships/haiku_contest_for_law_students.html)

The Richard Linn American Inn of Court Mark T. Banner Scholarship  
<http://www.linninn.org/Pages/scholarship.shtml>

### **School-Specific Scholarships & Fellowships**

#### **CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITIES**

Graduate Equity Fellowship  
[http://www.sjsu.edu/gradstudies/student\\_funding/graduate\\_equity\\_fellowship/index.html](http://www.sjsu.edu/gradstudies/student_funding/graduate_equity_fellowship/index.html)

CIRM Bridges to Stem Cell Research Awards  
<http://biology.sfsu.edu/faculty-pages/cirm-bridges-stem-cell-research-awards>

#### **UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SCHOOLS**

UC Mexus-CONACYT Doctoral Fellowship for Mexican Nationals  
[http://ucmexus.ucr.edu/funding/prospective-fellows-info/doctoral\\_prospective.html](http://ucmexus.ucr.edu/funding/prospective-fellows-info/doctoral_prospective.html)

#### **UC BERKELEY:**

Albert Newman Fellowship for Visually Impaired Students  
<http://grad.berkeley.edu/news/funding/newman-fellowship/>

Bancroft Library Studies Award  
<http://www.lib.berkeley.edu/libraries/bancroft-library/fellowships-and-awards>

Bay Area Water Quality Fellowship  
<http://grad.berkeley.edu/news/funding/water-quality-fellowship/>

Mellon/ACLS Dissertation Completion Fellowships  
<https://www.acls.org/programs/dcf/>

#### **UC DAVIS:**

Townsend Dissertation Fellowships  
<http://townsendcenter.berkeley.edu/funding/townsend-dissertation-fellowships>

UC Davis Travel Awards  
<http://gradstudies.ucdavis.edu/ssupport/internal-travel.html>

#### **UC SAN FRANCISCO:**

Fletcher Jones Fellowship  
<http://graduate.ucsf.edu/jones-fellowship>

Matilda Edlund Scholarship  
<http://graduate.ucsf.edu/edlund-scholarship>

Ralph Kellogg Endowed Chancellor's Fellowship  
<http://graduate.ucsf.edu/kellogg-fellowship>

Rosenberg-Hill Graduate Research Fellowship  
<https://graduate.ucsf.edu/rosenberg-hill-fellowship>

#### **UC LOS ANGELES:**

Charles F. Scott Fellowship  
<http://www.grad.ucla.edu/asis/entsup/fellgrnt.htm>

David Geffen Medical Scholarship  
<http://medschool.ucla.edu/davidgeffenmedicalscholarships>

Dr. Ursula Mandel Scholarship  
<http://www.grad.ucla.edu/asis/entsup/fellgrnt.htm>

Eugene V. Cota-Robles Fellowship  
<http://www.gdnet.ucla.edu/asis/entsup/cotarobles.htm>

Gordon Hein Memorial Scholarship  
<http://www.grad.ucla.edu/asis/entsup/fellgrnt.htm>

Graduate Opportunity Fellowship Program (GOFP)  
Karekin Der Avedisian Memorial Endowment Fund  
<http://www.grad.ucla.edu/asis/entsup/fellgrnt.htm>

Kasper and Siroon Hovannisian Fellowship  
<http://www.grad.ucla.edu/asis/entsup/fellgrnt.htm>

Steven J. Sackler Scholarship  
<http://www.grad.ucla.edu/asis/entsup/fellgrnt.htm>

Will Rogers Memorial  
<http://www.grad.ucla.edu/asis/entsup/fellgrnt.htm>

UCLA Faculty Women's Club Scholarship  
<http://www.grad.ucla.edu/asis/entsup/fellgrnt.htm>

# Fellowship Directories

Available in the  
 UCLA Graduate Division Fellowships & Financial Services Office 1228 Murphy Hall  
 UCLA Scholarship Resource Center 233 Covell Commons  
 UCLA Young Research Library Reading Room  
 Your Local Public Library

Title	Year	Publisher
Directory of Financial Aids for Women 2014–2016 .....	2014.....	Reference Service Press
Financial Aid for African Americans 2014–2016 .....	2014.....	Reference Service Press
Financial Aid for Asian Americans 2014–2016.....	2014.....	Reference Service Press
Financial Aid for Hispanic Americans 2014–2016 .....	2014.....	Reference Service Press
Financial Aid for Native Americans 2014–2016.....	2014.....	Reference Service Press
Financial Aid for Students of Armenian Descent.....	2006 .....	Armenian Assembly of America
Financial Aid for Persons with Disabilities and Their Families 2012–2014.....	2012.....	Reference Service Press
Financial Aid for Veterans, Military Personnel & Families 2012–2014 .....	2012 .....	Reference Service Press
Foundation Fundamentals: A Guide for Grant Seekers .....	1980.....	The Foundation Center
Funding for Persons with Visual Impairments: Large Print Edition .....	2011 .....	Reference Service Press
Funding for United States Study .....	2014.....	International Institute of Ed.
Graduate School Companion .....	2007.....	Random House Inc.
List of Graduate Scholarships and Fellowships .....	2014.....	www.e4fc.org.
That Do Not Require Proof of U.S. Citizenship or Legal Permanent Residency		
Money for Graduate Students in the Arts & Humanities 2010–2012.....	2010.....	Reference Service Press
Money for Graduate Students in the Biological Sciences 2010–2012.....	2010.....	Reference Service Press
Money for Graduate Students in the Health Sciences 2010–2012.....	2010.....	Reference Service Press
Money for Graduate Students in the Physical & Earth Sciences 2010–2012.....	2010.....	Reference Service Press
Money for Graduate Students in the Social Sciences 2010–2012 .....	2010.....	Reference Service Press

## **Funding Opportunities Available to International Students**

### **Grants, Scholarships and Fellowships**

Africa–American Institute  
[www.aionline.org/programs/](http://www.aionline.org/programs/)

American Association of Petroleum Geologists  
(Grants-In-Aid) – Multiple Opportunities  
<http://foundation.aapg.org/students/graduate/gia-program.cfm>

American Association of University Women  
[www.aauw.org/what-we-do/educational-funding-and-awards/international-fellowships/](http://www.aauw.org/what-we-do/educational-funding-and-awards/international-fellowships/)

American-Scandinavian Foundation  
[www.amscan.org/fellowships\\_grants.html](http://www.amscan.org/fellowships_grants.html)

CONACYT – The Mexican Council on Science and Technology  
[www.conacyt.gob.mx/index.php/becas-y-posgrados](http://www.conacyt.gob.mx/index.php/becas-y-posgrados)

East–West Center  
[www.eastwestcenter.org/scholarships-fellowships](http://www.eastwestcenter.org/scholarships-fellowships)

ETS Fellowship and Internship Programs  
[www.ets.org/research/internship](http://www.ets.org/research/internship)

Georges Lurcy Charitable and Educational Trust  
[www.lurcy.org/bourses.html](http://www.lurcy.org/bourses.html)

Inter American Press Association – IAPA  
Scholarships (Journalism)  
<http://en.sipiapa.org/contenidos/want-a-scholarship.html>

International Union Against Cancer – UICC  
Fellowships  
[www.uicc.org/fellowships](http://www.uicc.org/fellowships)

Josephine de Karman Fellowship Trust  
[www.dekarman.org/](http://www.dekarman.org/)

NVIDIA Graduate Fellowship Program  
<http://research.nvidia.com/graduate-fellowships>

P.E.O. International – Education Opportunities for Women  
[www.peointernational.org/](http://www.peointernational.org/)

Smithsonian Institution: <http://www.si.edu/>  
Fellowship Opportunities:  
<http://www.smithsonianofi.com/fellowship-opportunities/>

Social Science Research Council – International  
Dissertation Research Fellowships  
[www.ssrc.org/programs/idrf](http://www.ssrc.org/programs/idrf)

UC MexUS (University of California, Riverside –  
open to students at all UC campuses)  
[www.ucmexus.ucr.edu/](http://www.ucmexus.ucr.edu/)

### **Governmental & Non-Profit Organizations**

Fulbright Program for Foreign Students/Institute  
of International Education  
<http://foreign.fulbrightonline.org/>  
[www.fundingusstudy.org/](http://www.fundingusstudy.org/)

Government of Canada  
[www.scholarships-bourses.gc.ca/scholarships-bourses/index.aspx?lang=eng](http://www.scholarships-bourses.gc.ca/scholarships-bourses/index.aspx?lang=eng)

Organization of American States (OAS/OEA)  
[www.oas.org/en/scholarships/](http://www.oas.org/en/scholarships/)

Population Council  
[www.popcouncil.org/fellowships](http://www.popcouncil.org/fellowships)

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council  
of Canada  
[www.sshrc-crsh.gc.ca/funding-financement/index-eng.aspx](http://www.sshrc-crsh.gc.ca/funding-financement/index-eng.aspx)

UNESCO (United Nations Educational, Scientific  
and Cultural Organization) Fellowships, Study and  
Travel Grants  
[www.unesco.org/new/en/fellowships](http://www.unesco.org/new/en/fellowships)

U.S. Department of State Hubert H. Humphrey  
Fellowships  
<http://humphreyfellowship.org>

WorldWideStudies Project of the Victor Pinchuk  
Foundation  
<http://pinchukfund.org/en/>

### **Resources Available Through Other Institutions**

#### *U.S. Universities*

These resources have been compiled by other universities, but most of the fellowships listed are nationally competitive and do not require students to be enrolled in that particular university.

Harvard University -Funding Sources for International Students

[www.gse.harvard.edu/financialaid/international/outside](http://www.gse.harvard.edu/financialaid/international/outside)

Harvard School of Graduate Education (emphasis on Africa, but not all programs are Africa-specific)

<http://chora.virtualave.net/harvard-africa.htm>

University of Iowa – International Programs

<http://international.uiowa.edu/funding>

### **Scholarship/Fellowship Searches and Resources**

These sources are provided for your information. UCLA is not responsible for their content, nor does their inclusion constitute an endorsement by UCLA.

Edupass – the Smart Student Guide to Studying in the USA (Financial Aid for International Students)

[www.edupass.org/finaid/](http://www.edupass.org/finaid/)

Foreignborn.com

[www.foreignborn.com/study\\_in\\_us/8-paying4school.htm](http://www.foreignborn.com/study_in_us/8-paying4school.htm)

International Scholarships

<http://www.internationalscholarships.com/>

## Financial Aid Options for Undocumented Graduate Students in California

1. **Private loans** -Students have been able to successfully take out private loans, however, most banks will require a citizen or permanent resident individual to co-sign the loan. It's been tough for students to find someone to co-sign loans because the sum is so large for an individual to take the responsibility in case the student defaults on the loan.

Below are the banks we know have given loans to undocumented students

- Sallie Mae
- Discover Bank

2. **Scholarships/Fellowships:** There are some many scholarships available to graduate undocumented students. Denisse Rojas co-authored a guide for Educators for Fair Consideration, a non-profit in San Francisco that holistically supports undocumented students:

[www.e4fc.org/resources/scholarshiplist.html](http://www.e4fc.org/resources/scholarshiplist.html)

The guide contains a lengthy list of scholarships and fellowships open to undocumented graduate students. The list includes scholarships/fellowships for students generally attending graduate school (including professional schools) and then the list is divided by field of study.

Two great scholarships/fellowships open to Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) recipients is:

Paul & Daisy Soros Fellowship ([www.pdsoros.org](http://www.pdsoros.org); open to students pursuing any graduate degree and will finance in full two years of graduate study)  
Usually due Nov. 1

Ford Foundation Diversity Fellowship Programs  
(<http://sites.nationalacademies.org/pga/fordfellowships>; various fellowships for individuals pursuing graduate study)  
Deadlines vary, mid-November

3. **Individual fundraising:** A popular crowd funding website has been gofundme.com

4. **Loan Repayment Program:** The Health Professions Education Foundation, a statewide foundation, has a loan repayment programs for health professionals ([www.oshpd.ca.gov/HPEF/applications.html](http://www.oshpd.ca.gov/HPEF/applications.html)) and is open to DACA recipients. The program repays your commercial or government loans (from \$4,000 to \$105,000) in exchange for services in a medically underserved area in California.

Eligible professions include: various allied health professions, Licensed Vocational Nurse, Bachelor's of Science Nursing, Nurse Practitioners, Dentists, Dental Hygienists, Certified Nurse Midwives, Physician Assistants, and Physicians.

Example program for Physicians:

**[Steven M. Thompson Physician Corps Loan Repayment](http://www.oshpd.ca.gov/HPEF/STLRP.html)**

[\(www.oshpd.ca.gov/HPEF/STLRP.html\)](http://www.oshpd.ca.gov/HPEF/STLRP.html): is open to DACA recipients. It will repay up to \$105,000 in educational loans (commercial or government loans) in exchange for three years of services in a medically underserved area in California. Open to Osteopathic and Allopathic physicians.

5. **Institutional Loans:** Some schools have institutional loans they award students. For example, UCSF has created a small loan for their first undocumented medical student; they expressed this was an option for other UC medical schools.

6. **Institutional Scholarships:** Some UC schools have generous scholarships open to undocumented students, and others do not. It varies greatly school by school. For school-specific scholarships, please see the list of fellowships in the E4FC Graduate Guide above!

7. **CA Dream Act:** Individuals applying to public schools in California must fill out the California Dream Act (<https://dream.csac.ca.gov>) the year they intend to matriculate in a graduate program. This will allow schools to evaluate prospective students' financial need since individuals are not eligible to fill out FAFSA. The California Dream Act also allows public schools to provide private funding through scholarships/grants to students; however, the amount varies greatly by school.

8. **Dream Loan Program (SB1210):** A new state bill was recently signed into law 9/28/2014 by Governor Brown that establishes a state loan program for eligible undocumented students. However, this program is NOT open to graduate students in case you receive inquiries about this! The program allows students to take loans in the amount of \$4,000/semester of no more that \$20,000 in total.





# Graduate Peer Mentors for Extramural Fellowships

<http://bit.ly/2iSC9pgp>

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- Interact with previous fellowship awardees

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- Pre-application / application advising

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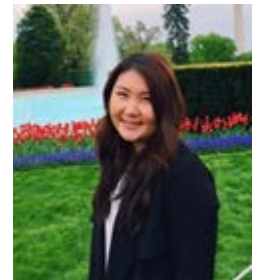


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### Spring 2018 Drop-In Hours

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**Tuesday:** 9am–11:30am, Graduate Student Resource Center, B-11 Student Activities Center  
2pm–5pm, Student Activities Center, Conference Room 4, B Level  
6pm–8pm, Louise M. Darling Biomedical Library, First Floor

**Wednesday:** 9am–Noon, Louise M. Darling Biomedical Library, First Floor

**Thursday:** 6pm–8pm, Louise M. Darling Biomedical Library, First Floor

**Friday:** 1pm–3pm, Louise M. Darling Biomedical Library, First Floor

**SEARCH FOR FELLOWSHIPS**

[Grad.ucla.edu/funding](http://Grad.ucla.edu/funding)

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