

Scholarship Resources for CED Undergraduates

See the UCB Financial Aid Office (<http://students.berkeley.edu/finaid/>) for standard financial aid resources and information.

CAMPUS-WIDE SCHOLARSHIPS (go to The Scholarship Connection scholarships.berkeley.edu for more info):

Beinecke Scholarship: Spring deadline
Boren Scholarship: Fall deadline
Churchill Scholarship: Fall deadline
Cooke Scholarship: Spring deadline
Global Leaders Program: Fall deadline
Goldwater Scholarship: Fall deadline
KAUST Discovery Scholarship: Spring deadline
Marshall Scholarship: Summer deadline
Merage Fellowship for the American Dream: Fall deadline
Mitchell Scholarship: Summer deadline
Rhodes Scholarship: Summer deadline
Strauss Scholarship: Spring deadline
Truman Scholarship: Fall deadline
Udall Scholarship: Spring deadline

ADDITIONAL CAMPUS-WIDE PROGRAMS

Center for Race and Gender grants. The Center for Race and Gender (CRG) at the University of California Berkeley, awards grants of \$100 to \$1,000 to fund undergraduates for research or creative projects that address issues of race and gender. <http://crg.berkeley.edu/content/undergraduate-grants-program>

The Haas Scholars Program. The Robert & Colleen Haas Scholars Program funds financial aid eligible, academically talented undergraduates to engage in a sustained research, field-study or creative project in the summer before and during their senior year at Berkeley. Each year, twenty Haas Scholars are selected from all disciplines and departments across the University on the basis of the merit and originality of their project proposals. http://research.berkeley.edu/haas_scholars/

Institute of International Studies research grants. UCB's IIS supports undergraduate research and scholarship by seeking to award a series of merit scholarships of up to \$2000 each, which will encourage Berkeley students to perform innovative, in-depth research on a topic of their choosing. Eligibility: UC Berkeley Junior or Senior with a minimum of 3.5 GPA who has completed at least one semester of study in residence at Berkeley. All majors are eligible and encouraged to apply. <http://iis.berkeley.edu/Funding/SupportforUndergraduates>

Ronald E. McNair Scholars Program. The McNair Scholars Program prepares selected UC Berkeley undergraduates for graduate study at the doctoral level. Twenty to thirty McNair Scholars are selected each year to participate in both academic and summer activities. The McNair Scholars Program aims to increase numbers of groups underrepresented in doctoral programs. Students must meet the following criteria: Completion of at least 60 units; 3.0 minimum cumulative UC Berkeley GPA; US Citizenship or permanent US Residency; qualify as either a first-generation college student who also has an income level established by the US Department of Education; **or** a member of a group that is underrepresented in graduate education. Benefits: Close relationship with a faculty mentor; \$2,800 stipend for summer research; paper published in the Berkeley McNair Journal; research findings presented at the Annual California McNair Scholars Symposium; fully funded GRE Prep Course; assistance to ensure admission to graduate programs of choice; fee waivers from participating institutions graduate applications; strengthening of academic skills. <http://aad.berkeley.edu/mcnair.shtml>

Stronach Baccalaureate Prize. The Judith Lee Stronach Baccalaureate Prize supports intellectual and creative pursuits that heighten awareness of issues of social consciousness and the public good. The award gives bright, ambitious students the opportunity to extend and reflect upon their undergraduate work at Berkeley by undertaking a special project after their graduation. Eligibility: The Prize is open to Berkeley graduates who are awarded an undergraduate degree in

the Fall of the year before or the Spring or Summer of the year in which the Prize is awarded in any area of study. Proposals for humanistic research or social service projects involving the arts, humanities and social or natural sciences are welcome. The Prize cannot be used to support graduate study or any credit-granting courses.
<http://research.berkeley.edu/stronach/>

UC Leads. Two-year program designed to identify educationally or economically disadvantaged UC undergraduates in mathematics, engineering, or science who show promise of succeeding in doctoral degree programs. The program provides students with educational experiences that prepare them to assume positions of leadership in industry, government, public service, and academia. <http://research.berkeley.edu/otheropps/UCLeads/UCLeads.html>

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR TRANSFER AND RE-ENTRY STUDENTS

The Beverly Mullins Memorial Scholarship was created to give financial assistance to leaders who are single Re-entry student/parents. Up to \$5,000 will be distributed each year to a selected student has been admitted to UCB.
<http://trsp.berkeley.edu/#cash>

The Celia J. Peeler Award is presented annually to a community college student who enrolls at UC Berkeley following participation in the Starting Point Mentorship Program. This award is not merit or need based. Our goal is to reward a student with a personal vision of assistance to others and to help him or her achieve that vision.
<http://trsp.berkeley.edu/#cash>

The Judith Stronach Prizes in Poetry and Prose were established by Judith Lee Stronach in 1993 for re-entry students (undergraduate students who have a gap of five years or more between high school and college and graduate students who have a gap of five years or more between undergraduate and graduate studies). The prizes consist of two awards in the amount of \$2,000 each for poetry (five poems) and prose (unpublished, any length). These prizes are co-administered by the English Department and TRSP. <http://trsp.berkeley.edu/#cash>

Miller Scholars Program. The George A. Miller Scholars Program is designed to provide ten first-generation and low-income community college transfer students with a two-year scholarship and a research/community service stipend. Scholars are selected based upon number of criteria, including demonstrated academic excellence, leadership potential, and a commitment to community service. During the academic year, George A Miller Scholars receive training and support for the design of a faculty-mentor summer project involving either original or community service project.
<http://aad.berkeley.edu/miller.shtml>

The Osher Reentry Scholarship Program funds ten Osher Reentry Scholars with awards of \$2,000 for the academic year. Applicants must meet the following criteria: Must be an undergraduate re-entry student at UC Berkeley who has experienced a considerable gap in the pursuit of his or her education and who can look forward to a significant number of years of workforce participation; Must have completed at least one regular term (Fall or Spring) at UC Berkeley; Must have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.0 from all colleges attended. All applicants must have filed a FAFSA and be eligible to receive financial aid. <http://trsp.berkeley.edu/#cash>

COLLEGE OF ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN

Judith Lee Stronach Undergraduate Travel Scholarships. Established through a gift by Raymond Lifchez in memory of Judith Lee Stronach, this summer travel fellowship is available to undergraduate students in the College of Environmental Design for travel as "service-learning opportunities." Applications, due in the spring semester, are expected to include a proposal for hands-on work in a community along with an itinerary and budget. The fellowship is administered by the JLS Fellowship committee, which has faculty representatives from the various CED departments.
http://www.ced.berkeley.edu/judith_lee_stronach_travel_scholarships/

Gadsby-Trudgett Scholarship (2-7 awards of \$2,000-\$5,000)

The Gadsby-Trudgett scholarship is given by the Architecture Department to students who show evidence of broad interest in environmental design.

Hart Howerton Fellowship Program. Open to undergraduate and graduate students in architecture, planning and landscape architecture during the summer before their final year of school. The Hart Howerton Fellowship provides a select group of students a defined summer internship within design practices, combined with three weeks of self-directed travel. http://www.harthowerton.com/Community_Fellowship.html

Ong&Ong Internship. For undergraduates graduating from CED. The program will provide one year of carefully planned professional practice at the Ong&Ong consulting firm in Singapore. The recipient will receive airfare, housing, and a monthly stipend adequate to cover living expenses. The internship is a fixed-term position, and does not offer benefits. The Ong&Ong Internship will be awarded to an undergraduate graduating from the College of Environmental. All undergraduates receiving a BA in Architecture, Landscape Architecture and Environmental Planning, or Urban Studies are eligible.

Bakewell & Brown and Bakewell & Weihe Prize ~\$1000 total available. The prize is offered for the best drawings of decorative detail or ornament in architecture. Entries are evaluated on: excellence of composition, aesthetic expression, technical skill and choice of subject matter.

ARCHITECTURE majors can apply for the following. Please see the CED prizes and awards calendar for a list of many of these awards. If you have questions about specific awards, please contact: Donna Ko, Prizes & Awards Officer, 370 Wurster Hall, (510) 642-5577. A few examples include:

Undergraduate Scholarships (~\$40,000)

Award decisions for most scholarships are based on GPA with preference given to those with financial need. Preference is also given to those who will be juniors or seniors in the fall semester in which the scholarship is awarded, and those with a GPA of 3.3 or greater.

- Class of '24 Scholarship
- Camille J. Ehrenfels Scholarship
- Lee F. Fallman Scholarship
- Fong & Chan Architects Scholarship
- Kenneth Kurtzman Memorial Scholarship
- Rosanna E. Luis Scholarship
- Walter Moody Scholarship
- Kenneth Foster Strong Memorial Scholarship
- Willard Franke Student Support Fund

Competitions Open to Architecture Undergraduates:

Peerless Lighting Prize in Architecture. Prize: 1-2 awards, \$1000 total. Architecture undergraduates and M.Arch students enrolled full-time at least one semester of the current year. The Peerless Lighting Prize is for the best student project designed in an architecture studio course at Berkeley.

Eisner Prize In Architecture Prize. \$2,000 - 8,000 (1 to 4 awards). Architecture undergraduates and M. Arch. students enrolled full-time at least one semester of the current year. The Eisner Prize in Creative Arts is one of the most distinguished awards offered to individuals at Berkeley in the English, Music, Dramatic Art, Art, and Environmental Design departments.

Sandy Hirshen Prize. \$1000. The Sandy Hirshen prize is offered annually to an architecture undergraduate or graduate student whose direction is linked to socially responsible architecture.

Michael Ho Memorial Travel Scholarship To honor Michael Ho's legacy and love of learning, architecture, and travel, the income from the Michael Ho Endowed Scholarship Fund awards an annual travel scholarship to an undergraduate student in their junior year majoring in architecture at the College of Environmental Design. The award is primarily based on financial need and secondarily on merit. <http://www.ced.berkeley.edu/events/calendar/prizes>

Nominative Awards (for graduating undergraduates in Architecture):

AIA SF Chapter – Howard Friedman Scholarship (\$500)

Junior undergraduate nominative award in recognition of scholastic achievement, commitment to the advancement of procedures and methods of architectural practice, need for financial assistance, and/or member of the student chapter of the AIA.

Gerson Memorial Prize (\$2,000)

To recognize excellence in overall design work of a graduating undergraduate or graduate.

URBAN STUDIES offers the following undergraduate prizes & awards:

Friesen Prize for Academic Achievement. Established through a gift by the Friesen family, this \$500 prize is given to the graduating Urban Studies student with the highest overall grade-point average. The prize is administered by the Urban Studies committee.

Friesen Prize for Best Paper in Urban Studies. Established through a gift by the Friesen family, this \$500 prize is given each year to the best research, theory, or policy and planning analysis paper completed in an Urban Studies course. Paper submissions must be nominated by Urban Studies faculty (no more than three submissions per faculty member). The prize is open to all undergraduate students in all majors currently enrolled at UC Berkeley. Papers are evaluated in a blind review process by the Urban Studies committee.

Chung Leadership Prize. Established through a recent gift by the Chung family, this \$1,000 prize is given each year to an Urban Studies sophomore or junior in order to support a public service project or internship that he or she will undertake during the summer. Upon completion of the public service, the recipient is expected to write a professional report about the experience and present it in a public forum. The prize is administered by the Urban Studies committee.

LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE majors can apply for the following:

Thomas Church Award. Outstanding creative achievement in design based on a specific design competition. First, Second and Third Prizes have a cash award, typically in the range of \$1000 to \$2000. A jury comprised of professionals and faculty members selects recipients. Information will be available at the beginning of Spring Semester. Competition deadline is in early March.

San Francisco Garden Competition. This is a design competition funded annually by the San Francisco Garden Club and is open to both undergraduate and graduate students. Usually, the garden belongs to one of the Garden Club members. Typically, there is a first and second prize. Total prize amount is \$2000 per year. A jury of San Francisco Garden Club members selects recipients. Information will be available in early October and the competition deadline will be late November or early December.

Geraldine Knight Scott Traveling Fellowship. This award was set up by Geraldine Knight Scott in order to provide funds for significant travel after graduation. Students must submit detailed travel objectives in an essay form, a budget and a portfolio of design or other academic work. This award is for undergraduate and graduate students in their final year. Awards are typically in the range of \$7500 - \$10,000. The recipients are selected by the Scott Traveling Fellowship Committee that is comprised of two LAEP faculty members, one planning faculty member and one alumni. Information is available in late November. Deadline is April 1.

H. Leland Vaughan Award. This award is given for student leadership and participation in departmental activities. Students must submit an essay, which describes their participation in departmental activities, a design project and have a minimum 3.3 GPA in Landscape Architecture courses. Award amount is approximately \$1000. Recipients are selected by the Prizes and Awards Committee. Information is available in early March and the deadline is in early April.

Christopher Hoey Memorial Undergraduate Endowment. An \$800 Scholarship grant based on demonstrated academic promise awarded to an undergraduate student in Landscape Architecture & Environmental Planning in their junior year continuing into their senior year.

Eisner Prize. This is an annual award for outstanding creative achievement. Students submit class projects to the Departmental Prizes and Awards Committee who select the winner. Projects may include work from a design or environmental planning studio as well as papers on projects from other classes. The winner receives a cash award of \$2000. Information is available in early February and completion deadline is in early March.

ADDITIONAL ON-CAMPUS RESOURCES

Campus Life & Leadership Scholarship Listings. <http://students.berkeley.edu:8151/osl/calcorps.asp?id=1105>

California Alumni Association 1 Alumni House. The Alumni Scholarships Office administers several merit-based scholarships for enrolled Berkeley undergraduates. <http://alumni.berkeley.edu/>

Career Center 2111 Bancroft Way. Career Center staff have compiled a list of public service-related fellowship opportunities for recent graduates and graduate students. <https://career.berkeley.edu/>

Cal Corps Public Service Center 505 Eshleman Hall. Works with the local community to engage students in a variety of service activities such as tutoring youth, helping the homeless, providing companionship to the elderly, and preserving the environment. The Center's staff has also compiled a binder of public service-related scholarships.
<http://publicservice.berkeley.edu/>

Global Poverty & Practice Minor Fellowship. Available only to declared minors. Applications for competitive Global Poverty and Practice Fellowships are available for GPP Minor students to support their international practice opportunities. Proposals are evaluated on the proposed practice experience and the financial need of the student.
<http://blumcenter.berkeley.edu/global-poverty-education/fellowships-funding>

Graduate Division Fellowships Office 318 Sproul Hall. The Fellowships Office has information on scholarships and fellowships for graduate study at any institution. In 318 Sproul, students can browse a binder of hundreds of postings. Graduating seniors may apply for many externally-funded awards, such as the Fulbright Grants for Graduate Study Abroad, Mellon Fellowships in the Humanities, and National Science Foundation Fellowships.
http://grad.berkeley.edu/financial/fellowships_office.shtml

Office of Undergraduate Research 301 Campbell Hall. Students looking for scholarships or fellowships to conduct research should visit the Office of Undergraduate Research website. The site provides funding advice and links to on- and off-campus research opportunities. <http://research.berkeley.edu/index.php>

Undergraduate Scholarships, Prizes and Honors Office 210 Sproul Hall. While Scholarship Connection administers scholarships funded by outside agencies and foundations, the Undergraduate Scholarships office administers UC Berkeley-based scholarships. Students are automatically considered for these awards when they complete their UC Application for Admissions and Scholarships. This office also administers University awards and competitive prizes for creative works, such as poetry, fiction, music composition and film. <http://students.berkeley.edu/finaid/home/types.htm>

OFF-CAMPUS RESOURCES

California Architectural Foundation, Mel Ferris Scholarship. The California Architectural Foundation administers the Mel Ferris Scholarship Program, awarded to architectural students at California universities who have demonstrated financial need and exemplary academic and design achievements. The Foundation has awarded more than 93 grants and scholarships (ranging from \$1,000 to \$5,000 each) since its inception in 1991, to university-level architectural students in California. <http://www.caf-e.org/resources/2011.pdf>

Gilman Summer Scholarship for Study Abroad. Sponsored by the U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Educational & Cultural Affairs and administered by the Institute of International Education (IIE). Applicant must be a U.S. citizen, an undergraduate student at a 2 or 4 year institution in the United States, and must be receiving a Federal Pell Grant at the time of application or during the term of study abroad. Applicant must be applying to a study abroad program that spends at least 4 weeks in one country and is eligible for credit at the home institution. The study abroad program can take place in any country that is not on the U.S. Department of State's Travel Warning List or Cuba. The Gilman Program strongly encourages applications from Students from diverse backgrounds, those going to non-traditional study abroad destinations, students with disabilities, and students in fields of study underrepresented in study abroad. There are a limited number of summer scholarships. Average award offered: \$3,000. Available to all majors. www.iie.org/gilman

See scholarships.berkeley.edu for more info on many outside resources.

Many other funding opportunities are advertised through the **Blum Center for Developing Economies:**
<http://blumcenter.berkeley.edu/global-poverty-education/fellowships-funding/other-opportunities>

See **Outside Scholarship Resources on the Financial Aid and Scholarships Office** website
http://students.berkeley.edu/finaid/home/outside_scholarship.htm

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