Scholarship / Financial Aid Opportunities

UI Graduate College Internal Fellowships
https://www.grad.uiowa.edu/funding/fellowships

UI Graduate Diversity Scholarships and Fellowships
https://www.grad.uiowa.edu/funding/fellowship/internal/diversity
https://www.grad.uiowa.edu/ogi/opportunities

Pivot University of Iowa
UI faculty, staff, and students may now use the database to identify funding opportunities from governments, corporations, non-profit organizations, foundations, and other private sources.

Student Impact Grants from UI Center for Advancement to provide funding for a variety of undergraduate and graduate student activities outside of the classroom, such as research, travel, and service projects.
https://www.foriowa.org/student-opportunities/grant-guidlines.php

Awards, Scholarships, and Grants - Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion at Iowa

CLAS Scholarship Applications found in the Iowa Scholarship Portal

Iowa Scholarship portal for UG students
https://uiowa.academicworks.com/

page 4 - start the CLAS awards
To be considered for scholarships, you must complete the General Application on the portal each year.

Iowa Scholarship Portal

Use Filter button – social work. Do you have another major/minor to filter by?

Select College of Liberal Arts & Sciences (~50 scholarships)
https://uiowa.academicworks.com/opportunities/160748

Morris & Lenore Mandelbaum Family Fund - University of Iowa Scholarships

Scholarship Opportunities for Transfer Students
UI Academic Success Scholarship for Community College Transfer Students

Latinx Scholarships

Latinos Unidos [http://latinosunidosofiowa.org/]

LULAC [https://lulac.org/programs/education/scholarships/]

Hispanic Scholarship Fund (HSF) provides scholarships to Latino students, as well as related support services.
[https://www.hsf.net/scholarship]


MALDEF Law School Scholarship Program

Iowa Department of Human Right Resources for Latino Students and Parents - listing of scholarships

African American/minority scholarships

Iowa Department of Human Rights Education Opportunities Resource listing
[https://scholarships.fatomei.com/scholarships-for-minorities.html]
[http://www.blackexcel.org/200-Scholarships.html]
[https://scholarships.uncf.org/]
[https://scholarships.fatomei.com/minority-scholarships-medical.html]

Indian Health Service – The Federal health program for American Indians and Alaska Natives
[https://www.ihs.gov/scholarship/applynow/]

Council on Social Work Education Scholarships

[https://www.cswe.org/Centers-Initiatives/Initiatives/Scholarships-and-Fellowships]

Social Work HEALS: Social Work Health Care Education and Leadership Scholars – BA & MSW students

Minority Fellowship program – Master’s students and Doctoral students

Scholars Program – Faculty members and doctoral students or students recently completing their doctoral dissertation)
CSWE Carl A. Scott Memorial Fund - for BA & MSW students in final year of study.

Primary care Recruitment and Retention endeavor (PRIMECARRE)

Offers two-year grants to primary care medical, dental, and mental health practitioners for use in repayment of educational loans. Requires a two-year practice commitment in a public or non-profit site located in a health professional shortage area (HPSA).

http://idph.iowa.gov/ohds/rural-health-primary-care/primecarre

Contact Information
Katie Jerkins
PRIMECARRE Program Coordinator
ph: 515 423-2690

Public Service Loan Forgiveness Program (PSLF)


Scholarships & Online Resources for Social Work Students (by EduMed)

30 Great Scholarships for Social Work Students

https://www.socialworkdegreeguide.com/scholarships/

Social Work Scholarships

https://socialworklicensemap.com/become-a-social-worker/social-work-scholarships/

break down by:

Contents: (Click a topic to see more scholarships to learn more)

- Social Work Scholarships
- Social Work Scholarships for Minority Students
- Military Scholarships
- Social Work Scholarships for Women
- Fraternity and Sorority Scholarships
- Social Work Loans and Loan Repayment
- State-by-State Social Work Scholarships
http://www.collegescholarships.org/scholarships/social-worker.htm
https://www.bestmswprograms.com/top-social-work-scholarships/

The College Grants Database (pell grant, federal grants, women grants, minority grants, nursing grants)
https://www.collegegrant.net/social-work/

**General Social Work Scholarships**

**NASW Foundation National Programs**
Jane B. Aron Doctoral Fellowship
http://www.naswfoundation.org/aron.asp

Ruth Fizdale Program
http://www.naswfoundation.org/fizdale.asp

Verne LaMarr Lyons Memorial MSW Scholarship
http://www.naswfoundation.org/lyons.asp

Conseulo W. Gosnell Memorial MSW Scholarship
http://www.naswfoundation.org/gosnell.asp

National Association of Black Social Workers (NABSW) Scholarships
https://nabsw.site-ym.com/Login.aspx

**Dr. Alma S. Adams Scholarship** for Outreach and Health Communications to reduce tobacco use among priority populations.
https://truthinitiative.org/Adams-Scholarship

for more information, email adamsscholarship@truthinitiative.org

**Pilot International** - The Pilot International Founders Fund supports five Scholarship Programs to benefit graduate and undergraduate students studying for a career in one of Pilot’s chosen areas of service focus – Preparing Youth for Service, Encouraging Brain Safety & Health; Supporting Those who Care for Others. We also offer three additional scholarships for students involved in Anchor Club.

https://www.pilotinternational.org/grants-and-scholarships/

**LGBTQ-related Scholarships**

**Point Foundation – The National LGBTQ Scholarship Fund** - help promising LGBTQ students overcome obstacles in order to make a significant impact on society. Application available in Nov – Jan.
Social Work Scholarships for Women

American Association of University Women (AAUW) amount varies – there are various grants, fellowships, and scholarships available through the AAUW, including funding specifically for women working in social work fields, such as social justice and women’s rights and equity.
https://www.aauw.org/what-we-do/educational-funding-and-awards/

College Scholarships and Resources for Women

Jeannette Rankin Foundation (JRF) – awards scholarships to low-income women aged 35 and older, providing opportunities for women nationwide to secure careers and thus break the cycle of poverty.  
https://rankinfoundation.org/for-students/jeannette-rankin-eligibility

An applicant for a JRF Scholarship must be:

1. A woman, age 35 or older
2. Low-income (based on income guidelines listed below)
3. A U.S. citizen or Permanent Resident of the United States.
4. Pursing a technical or vocational education, an associate’s degree, or a first bachelor’s degree.
5. Enrolled in or accepted to a not-for-profit, regionally accredited institution.

Philanthropic Educational Organization International Peace Scholarship (up to $10,000) – This program awards scholarships to women from countries other than the United States and Canada who are pursuing a graduate degree in the U.S. Recipients are committed to advocating for peace and women’s equity.
https://www.peointernational.org/about-peo-international-peace-scholarship-ips

Truman Scholarships (Up to $30,000)
The Harry S. Truman Foundation scholarships support students looking to make a difference in advocacy, nonprofit, and public service. Truman Scholars receive the scholarship as well as the opportunity to participate in leadership development courses and special internships.
https://www.truman.gov/candidates/how-become-truman-scholar/

What are the primary criteria for selection?
1. Extensive record of campus and community service;
2. Commitment to a career in government or the nonprofit and advocacy sectors;
3. Communication skills and a high probability of becoming a "change agent"; and
4. Strong academic record with likely acceptance to the graduate school of the candidate's choice.

Very few candidates are strong in all areas. Each year we select a number of Scholars who have gaps in their application. In general, the record of campus and community service and the commitment to a career in public service are the most important criteria. We do not select Finalists who have significant gaps in these areas.

**Davis-Putter Scholarship Fund**  
http://www.davisputter.org/  
Funding students working for social change

**National Health Service Corp**  
https://nhsc.hrsa.gov/

**Military Social Work**  

**Veterans Educational Assistance program (VEAP)**  
https://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/veap.asp

**Yellow Ribbon Program**  
https://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/yellow_ribbon.asp

**T.E.A.C.H. Family support Scholarship Program**  
www.iowaaeyc.org contact: Lauren at 515 331-8000  
https://www.carvertrust.org/scholarships/apply-on-line-first-year/

**Disability-related Scholarships**  
Disability-Related National scholarships, grants, and financial resources | Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion at Iowa  
https://sds.studentlife.uiowa.edu/students/scholarships/  
**Bill Reagan Scholarship Fund – Arc of Southeast Iowa** Deadline is April 1, 2020

**Scholarships for International students**
PEO - grant for women
https://www.peointernational.org/ips-eligibility-requirements

Ruby Newhall Memorial Scholarship

American Association of University Women (AAUW) International Fellowships
https://www.aauw.org/resources/programs/fellowships-grants/current-opportunities/international/

https://international.uiowa.edu/sites/international.uiowa.edu/files/scholarships_for_intl_students_2013.pdf

The “Peace, Charlie One World Scholarship”
https://international.uiowa.edu/isss/current/financial/scholarships-administered-isss

Additional Resources: Contact International Programs at 319 353-2700 or 319 335-0335