

Scholarships and Internship Opportunity Awards

SCHOLARSHIPS AND INTERNSHIP OFFERINGS

The State Science and Engineering of Florida will award a nomination for 12th Grade Students who apply for the following Scholarships. Student nominees must meet the criteria outlined in the description. The National Aeronautics and Space Administration will be interviewing applicants for the summer internship opportunity.

BETHUNE-COOKMAN UNIVERSITY PRESIDENTIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The Presidential Scholarship award covers college expenses (full-time tuition, room, board, and books) not covered by federal and/or state financial aid and other non-institutional scholarships. Students must earn and maintain a 3.50 cumulative grade point average to renew the award. Awards may be renewed for a maximum of 10 semesters of study.

CHUCK SKOCH FLORIDA SEA GRANT SCHOLARSHIP

A \$1,000 Scholarship will be awarded to a twelfth grade high school student for the following freshman year for a student enrolled in a fulltime academic program in a Florida university or community college. Eligible science fair projects should address topics related to marine biology, fisheries science, marine aquaculture, seafood safety or technology, oceanography, ocean or environmental engineering, coastal water quality, coastal estuaries or habits, coastal storms or hazards, or any other aspects of marine resource management.

FLORIDA ENGINEERING FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP AND SUMMER INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY AWARD

An eight (8) week summer internship, after the recipient's senior year, will be provided based on the recipient's location and interest. This award includes a \$2,000 college scholarship, an eight week, paid summer internship, and engraved plaque. The FEF Judging Team will determine the winner during Judging of Special Awards.

FLORIDA GULF COAST UNIVERSITY

Up to eight Finalists of the 53rd Annual State Science and Engineering Fair will be awarded a four-year, in-state tuition scholarship renewable for four years based on criteria in place at the time of the award. Students must be admitted and enrolled in a fulltime academic program at Florida Gulf Coast University.

LINK FOUNDATION

A \$1000 Cash Scholarship will be awarded to a 12th grade student once he/she is registered at a Florida college/university. This scholarship is awarded in memory of E. Clayton Link and Albert D. Stover. The student nominee must have a project related to marine biology, ocean engineering, oceanography, aviation, or energy conservation and research.

NASA SUMMER INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY AWARD

Through an interview process, NASA will award one summer internship opportunity to a 12th grade student with a project that is related to NASA's or Kennedy Space Center's mission. Student must be a U.S. citizen, intend to pursue a technical career, and be willing to reside within a 50 mile radius of Kennedy Space Center at his/her own expense.

NEW COLLEGE OF FLORIDA

The New College of Florida SSEF Scholarship award nomination will be awarded for up to five 12th grade finalists of the 53rd Annual State Science and Engineering Fair of Florida. To be eligible for the award, the Finalists must be admitted and enrolled at New College of Florida in Fall 2008 with the intent to study mathematics or science. Each award will be \$1,500 per year, totaling \$6,000 over four years toward attendance at New College of Florida.

SYLVIA INGRAM MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

A \$500 Cash Scholarship will be awarded to a 12th grade student who plans to major in the Biological Sciences. The student must be enrolled in a Florida college or university before receiving the cash award.

UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA PEGASUS GOLD SCHOLARSHIPS

Up to five 12th grade Finalists of the 53rd Annual State Science and Engineering Fair of Florida will be awarded the UCF FFFS/PEGASUS GOLD scholarship. Student must be admitted to the University of Central Florida. This has a total value of \$10,000 over four years (\$2,500 each year). If a student has already received the Pegasus Gold Award on admittance, he/she would not get an additional award. If a student has received a lower level scholarship on admittance, the scholarship award would be increased to a Pegasus Gold award for participation in the SSEF.

UNIVERSITY OF WEST FLORIDA

A \$1,000 Scholarship will be awarded to a 12th grade student who plans to attend full-time. It is renewable for three additional years depending on GPA.