Women’s League of Schience and Medicine: Amount varies from year to year. Typically $1,000-$2,000 (one time award). Males can apply as well as females. Applications available from Mr. Ludwig in 7E2. Deadline: Jan. 17, 2009.

Epsilon Pi Omega Scholarship: $1,000 one-time award. Eligibility: African-American student residing in Queens. Must have a GPA of 85, demonstrated leadership ability, and effective oral and written communication skills (200 word essay is part of the application). Pick up application form in 7E2. Deadline Jan. 31, 2009.


Geisinger Scholarship, University of Michigan: $20,000/yr.($80,000 total) for student who declares an engineering major. Application at http://www.engin.umich.edu/students/scholarships/New_Students.html Deadline: Jan.16,2009.


B’nai Brith International, Diverse Minds Youth Writing Challenge: Winning individual or team receive a scholarship prize of $5,000 + publication. 2nd and 3rd place win $2,000 and $1,000 respectively. Teacher who oversees the first place prize receives a $500 stipend. Participants write and illustrate a full-length children’s book that tells a story of tolerance and diversity. For more information go to www.bnaibrith.org/diverseminds

The Zonta Club: $500 award for young women interested in public affairs/community services. Application in 1W2 or can be downloaded from www.zonta.org Deadline: Feb. 28, 2008
REMINDERS

**National Association of Black Journalists:** Numerous awards of $1250, $2,500, and $5,000 for African American students who plan a journalism career. All deadlines are April 30, 2008. Descriptions of awards online at [http://college.enotes.com/scholarships-loans/national-association-black-journalists](http://college.enotes.com/scholarships-loans/national-association-black-journalists) or call (301) 445-7100.

**Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society:** 150 one time awards of $2,000 towards educational expenses. Based on academic scholarship, financial need, and Jewish communal involvement. Tech had two winners last year. Applications online only beginning Nov. 24, 2008 with a Feb. 24, 2009 deadline. [www.hias.org](http://www.hias.org)

**The International Society for Optical Engineering:** Must be planning full-time study of optics, photonics, imaging, or optoelectronics. Requires a 450 word essay. Based mainly on academics and demonstrated motivation to study optics. Go to [http://spie.org/scholarships](http://spie.org/scholarships). Application online. Deadline: January 5, 2009.

**Knights of Columbus: Pro Deo and Pro Patria Scholarships:** Must be son or daughter of a Knights of Columbus or Columbian Squires (alive or deceased). Provides for 62 $1,500 scholarships renewable for four years. 12 are set aside for Catholic University of America. 50 available to other Catholic colleges. Forms for Catholic University from The Catholic University of America, Washington DC 20064. Forms for other schools from Knights of Columbus, PO Box 1670, New Haven, CT 06507-0901. Deadline: March 1.

**Skidmore College/Porter Presidential Scholarship in Mathematics and Science:** Five $40,000 scholarships ($10,000/yr) to students with exceptional promise in the sciences and/or mathematics. Awarded independent of financial need. Students must respond to the Porter Essay Question on the Skidmore Supplement to the Common Application. However, majoring in math or a science is not required, but you must take at least one course in math or science each semester and pursue one significant research project. Info from admissions@skidmore.edu

**McKelvey Foundation:** $40,000. One scholarship for a senior who has demonstrated entrepreneurial spirit by owning and operating their own business while in high school. Information: [www.mckelveyfoundation.org](http://www.mckelveyfoundation.org) Tel. 1-212-847-7236 Deadline: Jan. 25, 2009

**New York Water Environment Association:** $1500 (2 scholarships) for students planning to study in an environmental studies or related program. Two 200-300 word essays are part of the application process. Application in 1W2. Applications by January 22, 2009.

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