

SLP Scholarships

Graduate Student Scholarship (ASHFoundation)

- **Amount:** \$5,000
- **Description:** Students (who are undergraduate seniors accepted to a master's program or students currently pursuing master's or doctoral (research or clinical) degrees).
- **Eligibility/Requirements:** The applicant must be accepted for, or enrolled in, graduate study in a communication sciences and disorders program in the United States. Clinical doctoral programs in audiology or master's programs in speech-language pathology must be accredited by, or in candidacy status from, the Council on Academic Accreditation in Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology; this does not apply to research doctoral programs. The applicant must be enrolled in full-time study for the full academic year
- **Timeline:** Applications open in 2024, due May 18.

[Learn more about the Graduate Student Scholarship>>](#)

Student Ethics Essay Award (ASHA)

- **Amount:** Monetary prizes (\$1,000, \$750, and \$500 for first, second, and third place, respectively)
- **Description:** The essay competition is open to students who are enrolled in **any** undergraduate, post baccalaureate, or entry-level graduate program (U.S. only) in communication sciences and disorders (CSD). Former and current members of ASHA's Board of Ethics review the essays and select three winning authors.
- **Eligibility/Requirements:** Students: To be considered eligible to participate in the SEEA competition, you must be... enrolled in any undergraduate, post baccalaureate, or entry-level graduate program (U.S. only) in CSD, and enrolled part-time or full-time during the 2022–2023 academic year.
- **Timeline:** Essays and applications must be submitted by **February 2024**.

[Learn more about the Student Ethics Essay Award>>](#)

American Association of University Women (AAUW) International Fellowships

- **Amount:** \$20,000
- **Description:** The program provides support for women pursuing full-time graduate or postdoctoral study in the United States to women who are not U.S. citizens or

permanent residents, and who intend to return to their home country to pursue a professional career.

- **Eligibility/Requirements:** International Fellowships are open to women, including people who identify as women, in all fields of study at an accredited institution of higher education or, for postdoctoral fellows, research. AAUW will make final decisions about what constitutes eligible institutions. Must have citizenship in a country other than the U.S. or possession of a nonimmigrant visa if residing in the U.S. Women who are currently, or expect to be during the fellowship year, a U.S. citizen, U.S. permanent resident, or dual citizen with the U.S. and another country are not eligible. Must hold an academic degree (earned in the U.S. or abroad) equivalent to a U.S. bachelor's degree completed by the application deadline. They must intend to devote themselves full-time to the proposed academic plan during the fellowship year. Must intend to return to their home country to pursue a professional career upon completion of their studies.
- **Timeline:** Application opens August 1 and deadline for submission ends November 15.

[Learn more about the AAUW Scholarship>>](#)

Med Travelers Scholarship

- **Amount:** \$5,000
- **Description:** As a part of Med Travelers' commitment to attracting the best and brightest to our industry, we are currently offering a \$5,000 scholarship (awarded in the form of a check) twice a year to current Speech-Language Pathology, Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy, and School Psychology graduate students. Each application will require a written essay, which is an opportunity to share your life and career story. We encourage all entrants to be thorough and candid when sharing their unique stories—there are no wrong answers!
- **Eligibility/Requirements:** This contest is a trade promotion offered in the 50 U.S. to U.S. citizens 21 + who are physically residing in the U.S., who are actively, currently enrolled as full or part-time students in a graduate level (doctorate or masters' only) Speech Pathology (ASHA), Physical Therapy (APTA), Occupational Therapy (AOTA), or School Psychology (NASP) only approved program in a U.S. accredited educational institution at time of entry. Limit one (1) Entry per Participant. **Grand Prize (1):** one (1) USD\$5,000 scholarship to be applied towards winner's education in their field of discipline (awarded in the form of a check).
- **Timeline:** Apply by November 30.

[Learn more about the Med Travelers Scholarship>>](#)

AMBUCS Scholarship Program

- **Amount:** \$600-\$1,500

- **Description:** Since 1955, National AMBUCS, Inc. has awarded scholarships to students pursuing degrees in **physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech language pathology and hearing audiology**. To date, more than \$9.8 million in scholarships have been awarded to over 16,500 students.
- **Eligibility/Requirements:** Students must be US citizens accepted in a graduate-level program that is accredited by the appropriate therapy profession authority in physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech language pathology, or hearing audiology. Assistant or undergraduate programs are not eligible. Awards are based on financial need, commitment to local community, character for compassion and integrity, and career objectives.
- **Timeline:** National AMBUCS, Inc. accepts applications for its scholarship program from **February 1 at 5:00 pm ET** until **May 1 at 11:59 pm ET**, annually.

[Learn more about AMBUCS Scholarship Program>>](#)

Bilingual Therapies Scholarship

- **Amount:** Up to \$7,000
- **Description:** Qualified bilingual SLPs who receive the Bilingual Therapies scholarship can earn up to \$7,000 during the last year of their graduate program. You'll also receive the support you need from us to ensure you are adequately prepared to enter the workforce and thrive. Our team will work with you, so you'll be ready to work with culturally and linguistically diverse children in the schools.
- **Eligibility/Requirements:** Speech pathology and school psychology students who speak a second language at native or near-native proficiency, and are interested in working with bilingual/bicultural children in the schools upon graduation. Speech Language Pathology students should apply before entering the final year of their academic program.
- **Timeline:** Deadline July 15.

[Learn more about the Bilingual Therapies Scholarship>>](#)

AAHD Frederick J. Krause Scholarship on Health and Disability

- **Amount:** \$1,000
- **Description:** The mission of the American Association on Health and Disability (AAHD) is to contribute to national, state, and local efforts to promote health and wellness in people with disabilities and identify effective intervention strategies that reduce health disparities between people with disabilities and the general population. AAHD accomplishes its mission through research, education and advocacy at the national, state and community level. As part of our work, we are pleased to offer an annual scholarship to students with disabilities majoring in public health, disability studies, health promotion or a field related to disability and health.

- **Eligibility/Requirements:** Applicant must be enrolled as a **full-time** undergraduate student and must have completed one full year of college or more. In other words, the applicant must have **sophomore or greater** status in a program at a college or university pursuing an undergraduate degree as of fall 2023; or enrolled **part-time** or **full-time** in a graduate school, pursuing a post graduate degree as of fall 2023. **Important:** applicants who have not yet graduated from high school will **not** be considered. High school students entering college, for the first time, in the fall of 2023 are **NOT** eligible to apply. The only exception would be for high school students who have achieved sophomore status via high school AP course credits. Applicant must have a disability as defined by [the American with Disabilities Act](#) and must provide documentation to verify this. Preference will be given to students majoring in public health, disability studies, health promotion or a field related to disability and health. Preference will be given to students with a history of community service and/or volunteer activities. Applicant must be a US citizen or legal resident living in the United States and enrolled in an accredited United States university. Those who serve on the *Disability and Health Journal* Editorial Board are **not** eligible for the AAHD Scholarship.
- **Timeline:** Deadline is March 2024

[Learn more about the AAHD Frederick J. Krause Scholarship on Health and Disability>>](#)

IHS Scholarships

- **Amount:** Unspecified
- **Description:** The Indian Health Service (IHS) offers three scholarships for American Indian and Alaska Native students in order to educate and train health professionals to staff Indian health programs. We strive to develop our next generation of leaders, as well as help make the pursuit of a meaningful career in Indian health attainable for American Indian and Alaska Native students.
- **Eligibility/Requirements:** reparatory and Pre-Graduate Scholarships: Recipients must be a member or descendant of a federally recognized, state-recognized or terminated American Indian Tribe or Alaska Native village. Health Professions Scholarship: Recipients must be a member of a federally recognized American Indian Tribe or Alaska Native village only.
- **Timeline:** Deadline is February 2024.

[Learn more about the IHS Scholarships>>](#)

SLP Graduate Student Scholarship

- **Amount:** \$500

- **Description:** Any student enrolled in an ASHA accredited graduate speech-language program is eligible to apply.
- **Eligibility/Requirements:** Any student enrolled in an ASHA accredited graduate speech-language program is eligible to apply. Applications for 2023 will be accepted from March 15, 2023 through April 30, 2023.
- **Timeline:** Deadline is April 30.

[Learn more about the SLP Graduate Student Scholarship>>](#)

Communicative Disorders Scholarship

- **Amount:** \$1,000
- **Description:** Sertoma's Communicative Disorders Scholarship, funded by the Sertoma Annual Fund, is for graduate students pursuing advanced degrees in audiology or speech-language pathology from institutions in the U.S. These scholarships, worth \$1,000 each, are awarded in the spring to help offset the cost of tuition, books and fees incurred during the following school year. Sertoma's Communicative Disorders Scholarships provides more funds nationally for graduate level study in communicative disorders than any other single organization.
- **Eligibility/Requirements:** Must be a citizen of the United States of America. Must be pursuing a graduate level degree in speech language pathology and/or audiology at a college or university in the United States, accredited by ASHA's Council on Academic Accreditation. Must have a minimum cumulative 3.5 GPA on a 4.0 scale for all undergraduate, graduate and doctoral level course work. This must include the Fall 2020 semester.
- **Timeline:** Deadline March 31st Annually.

[Learn more about the Communicative Disorders Scholarship>>](#)

The Culturally Responsive, Trauma Informed, Globally Engaged Scholarship

- **Amount:** \$1,000
- **Eligibility/Requirements:** Undergraduate or graduate students of color enrolled full time and in good standing in a speech-language pathology program. Awardees must submit a statement of interest of 500 words demonstrating their interest or experiences in working in the U.S. or globally with children who are marginalized. Preferences will be given to applicants who have demonstrated interest in working with children and/or adolescents who have social pragmatic communication challenges, and children who have one or more of the following characteristics: speak more than one language and/or

language variety, are impoverished, are forcibly displaced migrants, or have a history of trauma resulting from maltreatment and/or adverse childhood experiences.

- **Timeline:** The 2024 online scholarship application form will be available September 11, 2023.

[Learn more about The Culturally Responsive, Trauma Informed, Globally Engaged Scholarship>>](#)

Dr. Henry A. Moses Scholarship for Medical Speech-Language Pathology

- **Amount:** \$1,000
- **Eligibility/Requirements:** This scholarship is open to applicants pursuing a Masters or PhD degree in speech language pathology in a program accredited by ASHA's Council on Academic Accreditation, who have a demonstrated interest in pursuing a career in medical speech-language pathology. The one recipient will receive \$1,000 scholarship. Applicants must submit a resume (including educational background and previous academic, work, or volunteer experiences) and an essay (up to 500 words) describing their career goals and interests in medical speech pathology.
- **Timeline:** The 2024 online scholarship application form will be available September 11, 2023.

[Learn more about the Dr. Henry A. Moses Scholarship for Medical Speech-Language Pathology>>](#)

DotCom Therapy

- **Amount:** \$1,000
- **Eligibility/Requirements:** DotCom Therapy is offering three separate \$1000 scholarships to NBASLH student members who meet the following criteria: Must be currently enrolled in school to become a certified speech-language pathologist. Must be interested in working as a teletherapist. In a short video (no more than 5 minutes) or a short essay (no more than 750 words), please share with us why you feel access to speech therapy services is important for all students and why you are passionate about teletherapy as an option for service provision. Additionally, please tell us why diversity in the teletherapy industry is important to you and how you will work to encourage diversity in the field.
- **Timeline:** The 2024 online scholarship application form will be available September 11, 2023.

[Learn more about DotCom Therapy>>](#)

Master Clinician Network

- **Amount:** \$1,000

- **Eligibility/Requirements:** The Master Clinician Network is excited to offer a \$1,000 scholarship that will go to one student member of NBASLH who has demonstrated leadership potential with reference to increasing diversity in the discipline of communication sciences and disorders. Applicants should submit a resume (including educational background, academic work or accolades, community service and/or leadership experiences), a 750-word essay describing what leadership means to you, and one reference letter to verify your leadership potential.
- **Timeline:** The 2024 online scholarship application form will be available September 11, 2023.

[Learn more about Master Clinician Network>>](#)

Sallie Mae Scholarship

- **Amount:** \$2,000
- **Eligibility/Requirements:** The \$2,000 Sallie Mae Scholarship Sweepstakes (the "Sweepstakes") begins at 12:00:01 AM Eastern Time ("ET") Sunday, January 01, 2023 and ends at 11:59:59 PM ET on Sunday, December 31, 2023 (the "Sweepstakes Period"). Sponsor's computer is the official clock for this Sweepstakes. The \$2,000 Sallie Mae Scholarship Sweepstakes is only open to legal residents of the 50 United States, the District of Columbia and any US Territory age 17 or older at the time of entry, and who meet one (1) of the four (4) following eligibility requirements at the time of entry:
 - a parent who currently has a child enrolled in an accredited college or university located within the United States;
 - a student who is currently enrolled in an accredited college or university located within the United States;
 - a parent who currently has a child enrolled as a high school senior located within the United States;
 - a student who is currently enrolled as a high school junior or senior who intends to enroll in an accredited college or university located within the United States, within a year of graduating high school ("Entrant").
- **Timeline:** Deadline is December 31st

[Learn more about the Sallie Mae Scholarship>>](#)

"Be Bold" No-Essay Scholarship

- **Amount:** \$25,000
- **Description:** At [Bold.org](https://bold.org), we believe that the world will be shaped by the bold—the fighters, the risk-takers, the earnest overachievers who won't take no for an answer—the ones who know that a mountain is climbed a step at a time. Bold.org is built for students, like you, who are determined to make the climb. As you join the Bold.org

platform, you get the opportunity to showcase your goals, achievements, and drive to [scholarship](#) panels via your student profile.

- **Eligibility:** The \$25,000 “Be Bold” Scholarship is a [no-essay scholarship](#) that will be awarded to the applicant with the **boldest** profile. To us, boldest does not mean “best”, or “most accomplished”. Being bold means being:
 - Earnest
 - Determined
 - Moving

The scholarship will be awarded to the student whose profile is most bold, according to these characteristics. Furthermore, this scholarship will be similar to the many [easy scholarships](#) available on Bold.org in that it will favor students who apply earlier—who are bold and seize the day without procrastinating. Students at any [education level](#), [state](#), [field of study](#), and [GPA](#) will be considered.

- **Timeline:** Next Deadline is October 1st 2023

[Learn more about "Be Bold" No-Essay Scholarship>>](#)

The Legacy Lab Scholarship

- **Amount:** \$15,000
- **Description:** The scholarship will go to a student who represents the next generation of legacy makers. With growing interest in the scholarship, this year’s recipient will receive \$15,000 to put toward school-related expenses. The scholarship will continue to honor Black and African American students to help achieve their long-term ambitions as future leaders and entrepreneurs. Applications open near the end of September.
- **Eligibility/Requirements:** To qualify, you must be a Black or African American student with a strong sense of personal purpose—who is studying with the intent of creating positive, enduring change. Specifically, we are asking applicants to reveal something meaningful about their *ikigai* (“reason for being”) by responding to questions.
- **Timeline:** Applications open September 18 and are due by October 23.

[Learn more about The Legacy Lab Scholarship>>](#)

Education Matters Scholarship

- **Amount:** \$5,000
- **Description:** While continuing your education takes time, and money, there's a certain value that everyone is hoping to achieve. Our Education Matters Scholarship is giving you the chance to state why education matters. Why does education matter to you? What is the value you hope to receive from college? What would you do to convince the college cynics?

- **Eligibility/Requirements:** Requires current or pending enrollment in an accredited post-secondary institution of higher education.
- **Timeline:** Deadline: November 30th.

[Learn more about the Education Matters Scholarship](#)

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