

Finding Foundation Support for Your Education

A Resource List

Recommended Books

For books and articles on finding support for your education, try searching our Catalog of Nonprofit Literature, the Foundation Center's bibliographic database (cnl.foundationcenter.org). You could start searching on the subjects "Scholarships, fellowships and loans—directories" or "Travel and study abroad."

General Directories for College and Graduate Students

Annual Register of Grant Support: A Directory of Funding Sources. Medford, NJ: Information Today. Annual. Includes details of the grant support programs of government agencies, public and private foundations, corporations, community trusts, unions, educational and professional associations, and special-interest organizations. Call Number: 200 ANN

Baynes, Louise (ed.) **Grants Register.** New York, NY: Palgrave Publishers LTD. Annual. Lists scholarships, fellowships, and awards at all levels of graduate study, from regional, national, and international sources. Call Number: 218 GRA

Directory of Research Grants. Phoenix, AZ: Oryx Press. Annual. Describes more than 3,500 grant programs that support research projects in medicine, the physical and social sciences, humanities and the arts, and education. Call Number: 131 DRG

Edelson, Phyllis, ed. **Foundation Grants to Individuals.** New York, NY: The Foundation Center. Annual. Profiles more than 7,000 foundation programs that make grants to individuals. Divided into the following major categories: educational support, general welfare, arts and culture, grants for international applicants, grants by nomination, research and professional support, grants for company employees, and grants for students of specific schools. The book corresponds to the database *Foundation Grants to Individuals Online*. Call Number: 100 FC FGI 2003

Getting Money for Graduate School. Lawrenceville, NJ: Peterson's Guides, 2002. Organized by broad subject areas, the book includes information about associations, educational, civic, and benevolent institutions, and religious organizations that offer scholarships. Call Number: 218 GET GRA

Leider, Anna. **The A's and B's of Academic Scholarships.** 24th ed. Alexandria, VA: Octameron Associates Biennial. A listing of scholarships given by colleges and universities, organized by state. Call Number: 218 LEI ACA

Scholarships, Grants & Prizes. Lawrenceville, NJ: Peterson's Guides. Annual. Descriptions of more than 3,800 scholarships, organized by area of academic study. Includes numerous indexes. Call Number: 218 PET SCH

Travel and Study Abroad

Fulbright and Related Grants for Graduate Study and Research Abroad. New York, NY: Institute of International Education. Annual. Lists financial assistance programs that are administered by the Institute and are available to U.S. graduate students for study abroad. Also available at the Web site of the Institute of International Education (www.iie.org). Call Number: REF 219 FUL

O'Sullivan, Marie, ed. **IIE Passport: Academic Year Abroad.** New York, NY: Institute of International Education Annual. Directory provides listings of post secondary study abroad programs open to U.S. citizens, mostly for undergraduates. Call Number: 219 IIE PAS

Schlachter, Gail Ann; Weber, R. David. **Financial Aid for Research and Creative Activities Abroad.** El Dorado Hills, CA: Reference Service Press. Biennial. Lists scholarships, fellowships, loans, grants, awards, and internships abroad. Includes annotated bibliography. Indexed by sponsoring organization, geographic area, subject, and filing deadline. Call Number: REF 219 SCH RES

Schlachter, Gail Ann; Weber, R. David. *Financial Aid for Study and Training Abroad*. El Dorado Hills, CA: Reference Service Press. Biennial. Contains entries on financial programs sponsored by government agencies, professional organizations, foundations, educational associations, and other public and private agencies. Indexed by program title, sponsoring organization, geographic area, subject, and filing deadline. Call Number: REF 219 SCH

United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization. *Study Abroad: Etudes a l'Etranger, Estudios en el Extranjero*. 2006–2007. Paris: United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization, 2005. Profiles information on scholarships, grants, fellowships, and academic programs offered in more than 150 countries, including the United States. Entries are in English, French, and Spanish. Call Number: REF 219 UNE

Resources for Special Populations (Minorities, Specific Disabilities)

Peterson's Scholarships and Loans for Adult Students. Princeton, NJ: Peterson's Guides, 2000. Descriptive profiles of organizations offering scholarships at both the undergraduate and graduate levels. Introductory material reviews financial aid options. Call Number: 218 PET ADU

Schlachter, Gail Ann. *Directory of Financial Aids for Women*. El Dorado Hills, CA: Reference Service Press. Biennial. Call Number: 218 SCH WOM

Schlachter, Gail Ann; Weber, R. David. *Financial Aid for African Americans*. El Dorado Hills, CA: Reference Service Press. Biennial. Call Number: 218 SCH AFR

Schlachter, Gail Ann; Weber, R. David. *Financial Aid for Asian Americans*. El Dorado Hills, CA: Reference Service Press. Biennial. Call Number: 218 SCH ASI

Schlachter, Gail Ann; Weber, R. David. *Financial Aid for Hispanic Americans*. El Dorado Hills, CA: Reference Service Press. Biennial. Call Number: 218 SCH HIS

Schlachter, Gail Ann; Weber, R. David. *Financial Aid for Native Americans*. El Dorado Hills, CA: Reference Service Press. Biennial. Call Number: 218 SCH NAT

Schlachter, Gail Ann; Weber, R. David. *Financial Aid for the Disabled and Their Families*. El Dorado Hills, CA: Reference Service Press. Biennial. Call Number: REF 23 SCH DIS

Schlachter, Gail Ann; Weber, R. David. *Financial Aid for Veterans, Military Personnel, and Their Families*. El Dorado Hills, CA: Reference Service Press. Biennial. Call Number: 218 SCH VET

Schlachter, Gail Ann. *Funding for Persons with Visual Impairments*. Large print ed. El Dorado Hills, CA: Reference Service Press. Annual. Call Number: 147 SCH

Resources for Specific Subject Areas

Financial Assistance for Library and Information Studies: Academic Year. Chicago, IL: American Library Association Annual. Lists awards from national and state associations, state library agencies, foundations, local libraries and academic institutions. Call Number: 218 ALA

Directory of Biomedical and Health Care Grants, Directory of Grants in the Humanities, and Directory of Research Grants are published annually by Oryx Press. Several Foundation Center libraries also subscribe to the online database *GrantSelect*, a compilation of all three books. Call Numbers: 226 BIO, 200 DIR, 131 DRG, respectively

Schlachter, Gail Ann; Weber, R. David. *How to Pay for Your Degree in Business and Related Fields*. El Dorado Hills, CA: Reference Service Press. Biennial. Call Number: 218 SCH BUS

Schlachter, Gail Ann; Weber, R. David. *How to Pay for Your Degree in Education and Related Fields*. El Dorado Hills, CA: Reference Service Press. Biennial. Call Number: 218 SCH EDU

Schlachter, Gail Ann; Weber, R. David. *How to Pay for Your Degree in Journalism and Related Fields*. El Dorado Hills, CA: Reference Service Press. Biennial. Call Number: 218 SCH JOU

Schlachter, Gail Ann; Weber, R. David. *RSP Funding for Engineering Students*. El Dorado Hills, CA: Reference Service Press. Biennial. Call Number: 215 SCH ENG

Schlachter, Gail Ann; Weber, R. David. *RSP Funding for Nursing Students and Nurses*. El Dorado Hills, CA: Reference Service Press. Biennial. Call Number: 231 SCH

The following five titles are directories of grants, awards, fellowships, and traineeships for graduate training, studying, and research. Each contains a bibliography of financial aid resources, and are indexed by subject, sponsor, location, and deadline:

Schlachter, Gail Ann; Weber, R. David. *Money for Graduate Students in the Arts and Humanities*. El Dorado Hills, CA: Reference Service Press. Biennial. Call Number: 218 SCH HUM

Schlachter, Gail Ann; Weber, R. David. *Money for Graduate Students in the Biological and Health Sciences*. El Dorado Hills, CA: Reference Service Press. Biennial. Call Number: 218 SCH BIO

Schlachter, Gail Ann; Weber, R. David. *Money for Graduate Students in the Humanities*. El Dorado Hills, CA: Reference Service Press. Biennial. Call Number: 218 SCH HUM

Schlachter, Gail Ann; Weber, R. David. *Money for Graduate Students in the Physical and Earth Sciences*. El Dorado Hills, CA: Reference Service Press. Biennial. Call Number: 218 SCH PHY

Schlachter, Gail Ann; Weber, R. David. *Money for Graduate Students in the Social and Behavioral Sciences*. El Dorado Hills, CA: Reference Service Press. Biennial. Call Number: 218 SCH SOC

Resources for International Students Who Want to Study in the United States

Edelson, Phyllis, ed. *Foundation Grants to Individuals*. New York, NY: The Foundation Center. Annual. Profiles more than 6,500 foundation programs that make grants to individuals. One chapter describes grants for international applicants. The book corresponds to the database *Foundation Grants to Individuals Online*. Call Number: 100 FC FGI

Funding U. S. Studies: Graduate and Postgraduate Opportunities for Latin Americans. 2nd ed. New York, NY: Institute of International Education, 2004. A descriptive survey of financial assistance for prospective students from Latin America and the Caribbean. Call Number: REF 218 IIE LAT

International Exchange Locator: A Resource Directory for Educational and Cultural Exchange. 2005 ed. Washington, DC: Alliance for International Educational and Cultural Exchange, 2005. Profiles more than 120 organizations that facilitate international exchange programs and includes information on the availability of financial assistance. Call Number: REF 219 INT

Obst, Daniel, ed. *Funding for United States Study: A Guide for International Students and Professionals*. 2007–2008 ed. New York, NY: Institute of International Education, 2007. Information on more than 600 grants, fellowships, loans, and internships available to international students in the United States. Call Number: REF 218 IIE

Obst, Daniel, ed. *Funding for United States Study: A Scholarship Guide for Europeans*. New York, NY: Institute of International Education, 2005. Provides information on over 200 fellowships, scholarships, grants, paid internships, and other sources of financial assistance available for European and Eastern European nationals wishing to pursue educational objectives in the United States. Call Number: 218 IIE

United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization. *Study Abroad: Etudes a l'Etranger, Estudios en el Extranjero*. 2006–2007. Paris: United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization, 2005. Profiles of scholarships, grants, fellowships, and academic programs offered in more than 140 countries, including the United States. Entries are in English, French, and Spanish. Call Number: REF 219 UNE