Scholarships for Adult Learners/Non-Traditional Students

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Soroptimist Live Your Dream Scholarship Award
This award provides the primary financial support for yourself and your dependents. Dependents can include children, spouse, partner, siblings and/or parents. This award assist women who provide the primary source of financial support for their families by giving them the resources they need to improve their education, skills, and employment prospects. Must be a resident of the US or specified countries, enrolled in an undergraduate degree program, receiving your first degree, and have financial need.

Award: $3000 to $10,000
Deadline: February – March 2015
Website: http://www.soroptimist.org/awards/apply.html

ANTSHE President’s Scholarship
The President’s Scholarship is awarded to a graduate student that demonstrates need and achievement and be a member of ANTSHE. This scholarship is designed to assist nontraditional students with paying tuition and fees toward their graduate school costs. The ideal applicant will be aiding and enriching her college and community.

Award: $1000 to Full Tuition
Deadline: Through February 2015
Website: http://www.myantshe.org/presidents-scholarship

Kazimour Scholarships for Undergraduate Students
The Kazimour scholarship awards undergraduate student with high academic achievement who also contribute to their college and community.

Amount: $1000
Deadline: Variable, check website for details.
Website: http://www.myantshe.org/Kazimour-Scholarship

AAUW Career Development Grants
This scholarship is designed to assist those students who have already received a Bachelor’s Degree in the past five years or more, who are looking to change careers or re-enter the workforce, and continue their education in the process. This can include a second Bachelor’s Degree, a Master’s Degree, or Doctorate Degree.

Award: $2000 - $12000
Deadline: December 15, 2015
Website: http://www.aauw.org/what-we-do/educational-funding-and-awards/local-scholarships/

Google Anita Borg Memorial Scholarship
This scholarship is designed for female students who will be seniors or entering graduate programs who will are majoring in the Computer Science, Computer Engineering, or related field. US Citizens, International students, and previous recipients can also apply.

Award: Variable, based on tuition & fees
Deadline: Spring 2016
Website: http://www.google.com/anitaborg/us/

Patsy Takemoto Education Support Award
This is a scholarship designed towards low-income single mothers who are attending school while taking care of their children, who are enrolled in a vocational degree, earning an Associate's Degree or First Bachelor's Degree.

Award: $5000
Deadline: August 1, 2015
Website: http://www.patsyminkfoundation.org/edsupport.html

Jack Cooke Kent Undergraduate Transfer Scholarship
This scholarship is intended for students at community colleges that intend to transfer to a 4-year university to complete a Bachelor’s degree. This award is intended to cover a significant share of the student’s educational expenses – including tuition, living expenses, books and required fees – for the final two to three years necessary to achieve a
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bachelor’s degree. Students cannot have attended a 4-year university prior to already being attending a 4-year university currently.

**Award:** Up to $40,000 per year
**Deadline:** December 2015 to February 2016
**Website:** http://www.jkcf.org/scholarship-programs/undergraduate-transfer/

The Women’s Independence Scholarship

The Women’s Independence Scholarship Program provides encouragement and financial support for survivors of spousal abuse. The object of the scholarship is to help survivors of abuse obtain the education they need to secure employment, independence and self-sufficiency. ****NOTE:** Applicants must be working with a Domestic Violence Sponsor.

**Award:** Variable, based on specific applicant needs
**Deadline:** No Deadline; Applicants must apply to months prior to starting semester to allow for review
**Website:** http://wisp.fluidreview.com/

BPW Foundation Career Advancement

This scholarships is awarded through our Legacy Partners in specific geographic areas. Recipients of Career Advancement Scholarships, must be female, US citizens who are over 25 years of age who are within two years of completing their bachelor’s degree. Preference is given to those women pursing a bachelor’s degree from an accredited institution in the fields of science, technology, engineering, or mathematics (STEM)—or a related field.

**Award:** Variable, based on individual circumstances
**Deadline:** Variable
**Website:** http://bpwfoundation.org/about-2/career-advancement-scholarship/#sthash.TihjoGBf.dpuf