Scholarships/Fellowships for LGBTQ students/research/advocacy

National Organization of Gay and Lesbian Scientists and Technical Professionals (NOGLSTP) Scholarship
Eligibility: STEM students; Two $5000 scholarships will be awarded for the Fall 2014 academic year. One $5000 scholarship will go to an undergraduate student, and one $5000 scholarship will go to a graduate/professional level student. Students currently enrolled at any U.S.-based college or university is eligible to apply.
[Deadline for 2014 competition: June 7 / check in future years: http://www.noglstp.org/programs-projects/scholarships/]

Fund for Education Abroad: Rainbow Scholarship
Eligibility: US Citizens, undergraduates in US universities/colleges who plan to study abroad for at least four weeks (a minimum of 30 days)
Amount: Up to $10,000
http://www.fundforeducationabroad.org/applicants/scholarships/
Deadline: TBD

Arch and Bruce Brown Foundation
Grants for Gay-Positive Arts Projects Based on, or Inspired by, History http://www.aabbfoundation.org/
The Arch and Bruce Brown Foundation awards yearly grants to playwrights who submit full-length plays, screenplays, musicals or operas. All works submitted must present the gay and lesbian lifestyle in a positive manner and be based on, or inspired by, a historic person, culture, event, or work of art.
2015 Competition open for submissions from March 1 – May 31.
For more information on this and other grant opportunities, please visit the website.

Astraea Lesbian Foundation for Social Justice http://www.astraeafoundation.org/ Astraea is a dynamic global foundation providing critically needed financial support to lesbian-led, trans, LGBTI and progressive organizations working for the human rights of women and LGBTI people.

Campus Pride/Point Foundation Sponsored National LGBT Scholarship Database http://www.campuspride.org/Scholarships/
Free online dynamic database provides LGBT and ally students with the largest, most comprehensive source of LGBT scholarship and funding resources in the nation. Individuals can find how to apply and search scholarships available at certain campuses, state by state, regionally or nationally. New scholarships may be listed by a campus or any funding organization by simply logging into the database. There are no charges to view scholarships or to list scholarships.

Colin Higgins Foundation http://www.colinhiggins.org
The Foundation is particularly interested in assisting organizations that have a significant impact in areas such as AIDS education and advocacy, and the empowerment of gay men, lesbians, bisexual and transgendered peoples.

FinAid: Financial Aid for Lesbian, Gay, and Bisexual Students – Compilation of other LGBTQ scholarships
(check here for scholarships specific to major, ex: journalism, psychology, etc)
http://www.finaid.org/otheraid/gay.phtml
A compilation of funding sources by FinAid.

Forum Foundation Scholarships
http://www.theforumfoundation.org/
Intended to promote positive gay identity, to encourage continued academic and career progress and to assist financing higher education and educational experiences. Scholarship recipients are chosen based on scholastic achievement or promise, financial need and leadership abilities. Preference given to gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender students. Scholarship applications will be available in April at school counseling or financial aid offices. For more information, call (586) 573-9932 or send an e-mail toforumfoundation@aol.com.

Parents, Families, and Friends of Lesbians and Gays (PFLAG) National Scholarship Program
Deadline: Feb. 14
PFLAG National Scholarships are available for high school gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender (GLBT) seniors, and students who are allies and supporters of the GLBT community and entering college. Currently offering three $5,000 scholarships, three $2,500 scholarships, and up to ten $1,000 scholarships. The Detroit Chapter of PFLAG is also offering three $500 scholarships to college students who are connected directly with GLBT issues.

Point Foundation LGBT Scholarship Fund
http://www.thepointfoundation.org/
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Founded in 2001, the Point Foundation is the first nationwide LGBT scholarship foundation granting scholarships to undergraduate, graduate and post-graduate students of distinction. The mission of The Point Foundation is to provide financial support, mentoring and hope to meritorious students who are marginalized because of their sexual orientation or gender identity.

Queer Foundation Scholarship Fund – Apply as a high school student
Dedicated to improve the lives of queer youth; raising funds to provide financial and administrative support by offering $1000 scholarships to talented and gifted writers. The scholarships are open to anyone anywhere who hasn’t yet graduated from high school and expects to attend college or university in the U.S.. Winners of the annual essay contest promote queer studies to improve the lives of queer youth. Collected, the essays form queer-the-curriculum materials for use in high schools to benefit all LGBTQ students. Contact person: Executive Director Joseph Dial, Ph.D.; Address: 3213 W Wheeler St., #145; Seattle, WA 98199; Phone: 206-999-8740; Email: queerfoundation@queerfoundation.org.