

College of Liberal Arts & Sciences Undergraduate Scholarships for Continuing Students

- The **Agnes B. Harrison Scholarship** is awarded to CLAS undergraduates majoring in one of the social sciences. Students must demonstrate academic achievement and financial need. Preference will be given to those who are first-generation college students. This award may be renewable.
- The **Anthony Wallace Memorial Scholarship** is for rising juniors in CLAS who have a minimum 3.0 GPA, excellent past academic achievement, and financial need. Applicants must be residents of the State of Connecticut. This award may be renewable.
- The **Anthony P. Zemetis and Helen Noonan Zemetis Scholarship** is for CLAS undergraduates who demonstrate financial need. This award may be renewable.
- The **Barbara and John G. Hill, Jr. Scholarship Fund** supports full-time CLAS undergraduates who demonstrate both academic achievement and financial need. This award may be renewable.
- The **Betty '50 and Bish '50 Bishop Scholarship** is for CLAS undergraduate students who have a minimum 2.8 GPA and are residents of the State of Connecticut. Applicants must demonstrate financial need and excellent academic achievement. This award may be renewable for a maximum of four years.
- The **CLAS Undergraduate Scholarship** is for CLAS undergraduate students who demonstrate academic achievement and/or financial need.
- The **Crystal Molina Memorial Scholarship** is for continuing CLAS undergraduates who have an interest in and/or participate in social justice, environmental, or advocacy outreach programs assisting disadvantaged populations, including migrant workers. Candidates must demonstrate financial need, and preference will be given to students who have overcome socioeconomic or educational obstacles, are first generation college students, are members of underrepresented groups at UConn, or have experience living/working in diverse environments. This award may be renewable.
- The **Deborah Lynn McIntosh Memorial Scholarship in Biology** is for continuing CLAS undergraduates majoring in Biological Sciences, EEB, MCB, or PNB with a minimum 3.0 GPA. Preference will be given to first generation students and members of groups that are underrepresented at UConn.
- The **Dr. Patrick E. Fontane Memorial Scholarship** is for graduating pre-medical students who have been accepted for M. D. programs of accredited medical schools in the continental U.S. Applicants must have been undergraduates at UConn for at least two years. Priority will be given to students of UConn Waterbury and students who are from Waterbury, Watertown, or Oakville, Connecticut.
- The **Edward and Olga (Dsuban) Platt Scholarship** is for CLAS undergraduate students who demonstrate financial need and are meritorious. Priority consideration to Honors students who participate in an approved Study Abroad program.
- The **Ellington Scholarship for the Humanities** is for CLAS students majoring in the humanities. Applicants must demonstrate financial need and academic achievement.
- The **Fleur and Jerry Lawrence Endowed Scholarship in International Relations and Human Rights** is for CLAS undergraduates studying international relations and/or human rights. This award may be renewable.
- The **Frank and Frances Nigro Scholarship** is for CLAS undergraduates, preferably majoring in economics, who demonstrate financial need and academic achievement.
- The **Fred and Kathleen Otter Scholarship** is awarded to academically outstanding CLAS graduate or undergraduate students who demonstrate financial need. This award may be renewable.
- The **Gail Anne Shea Scholarship** is for continuing junior or senior CLAS students who demonstrate academic achievement. Applicants must be majoring in Women's Gender, and Sexuality Studies

- or a related field of study focused on the existence, understanding, and eradication of institutionalized gender inequality/discrimination in higher education and/or the political arena.
- The **George C. Parker Memorial Scholarship** is for incoming or continuing CLAS students who are citizens or legal residents of the U.S. and were either orphaned by age 14 or spent at least three years in foster care. Candidates must demonstrate financial need and academic achievement. This award may be renewable.
- The **Greenblatt Undergraduate Research Award** is awarded to CLAS undergraduates who demonstrate high academic achievement and an interest in conducting academic research in the area of United States race relations, United States civil rights, or United States human rights.
- The **Hogan Family Scholarship** is for incoming or continuing juniors majoring in history or English. Applicants must be residents of the state of Connecticut and demonstrate academic achievement and financial need. Preference will be given to graduates of Connecticut high schools. This award may be renewable for one additional year.
- The **Jacqueline Brown-Dickstein Award** is awarded to CLAS undergraduate students minoring in women's studies. Applicants must be residents of the state of Connecticut and demonstrate financial need and academic achievement. This award may be renewable.
- The **Karen Libertoff Harrington and Leo Harrington Scholarship** is for continuing CLAS undergraduate students who demonstrate financial need and/or are meritorious.
- The **Lange Family Endowment Scholarship** is awarded to CLAS undergraduates majoring in a physical, life, or environmental science, or math, who have a minimum 3.5 GPA, and demonstrate financial need. This award may be renewable.
- The **Linda Louro Petrella '78 Scholarship** is for graduate or undergraduate students in the Department of Literatures, Cultures, & Languages. Preference will be given to those who demonstrate financial need and/or are of Portuguese descent. This award may be renewable.
- The **Marjorie Robinson Eckels Scholarship** supports undergraduates majoring in one of the social sciences who demonstrate academic achievement and financial need.
- The **Marsha Pomerantz Roth Scholarship** is awarded to CLAS undergraduate students who are Connecticut residents with excellent past academic achievement and demonstrated financial need. Preference will be given to residents of northwest Connecticut, including Litchfield County and its bordering towns.
- The **Michael and Brook Urban Scholarship** is awarded to CLAS undergraduates majoring in Biological Sciences who demonstrate financial need.
- The **Myles Martel '65 Scholarship Honoring the Leadership of President Emeritus Philip E. Austin** is awarded to CLAS undergraduates who demonstrate leadership within a University student organization, campus activity, or similar organization. Students must also demonstrate academic achievement and financial need.
- The **Patrick M. Champion Scholarship** is awarded to entering or continuing CLAS undergraduates who demonstrate academic achievement and financial need.
- The **Paul J. Volpe '67 Award** is for CLAS undergraduates admitted to the University Honors Program. Applicants must be residents of the State of Connecticut, and preference will be given to those with financial need. This award may be renewable.
- The **Posselt Family Opportunity Scholarship** is awarded to CLAS undergraduates who have financial need. Preference will be given to sophomores and upperclassmen who have overcome obstacles (such as socioeconomic or educational disadvantage), are members of underrepresented groups at the University, have experience living or working in diverse environments, or have demonstrated interest in urban education or urban studies. This award may be renewable.
- The **Robert F. and Margaret Dodge Belden Scholarship** is awarded to graduate or undergraduate students in CLAS who demonstrate academic achievement and a potential for future academic and professional accomplishments.

The **Ron Roy Fund for Future Writers** is for juniors and seniors only majoring in English or Journalism. Candidates' studies must focus on creative writing, literature, or children's literature. Candidates must be permanent residents of Hartford, Tolland, or Middlesex county and graduates of a high school therewithin. Candidates must have a minimum 3.0 GPA and demonstrate financial need. This award may be renewable.

The **Rosen Family Scholarship for Science and Studies Abroad** is awarded to continuing undergraduates who are majoring in a physical or life science and have participated or will participate in an approved study abroad program administered by the Office of Experiential Global Learning. Candidates must have a minimum 3.0 GPA and demonstrate financial need. Thereafter, preference will be given to chemistry, physics, or biological sciences students. This award may be renewable.

The **Slavik Family Endowment** awards scholarships to CLAS undergraduates who demonstrate academic achievement and have financial need.

The **Victor Schachter '64 Rule of Law Award** is for an undergraduate or graduate student in CLAS who accepts as part of their coursework in pursuit of a degree, a position or internship with a domestic or international organization or public agency whose purpose is to advance human rights programs and rule of law initiatives abroad, including in India and Africa. Students must also demonstrate an interest in rule of law issues.

The **William and Lucretia Dewey Tanner Scholarship** is awarded to CLAS undergraduates who demonstrate academic excellence and financial need.

The **Christine N. Witzel Award Fund** is awarded to an academically promising undergraduate or graduate student enrolled full time in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences and undertaking a research project related to women's health. Research topics of particular interest include, but are not limited to, specific health issues for women and gender differences in the experience of health issues. Candidates must acquire a letter of recommendation from either a faculty member affiliated with the Institute for Collaboration on Health, Intervention, and Policy (InCHIP) and/or a CLAS faculty member; the faculty member must have a research or teaching interest in women's health issues. Priority consideration will be given to students whose proposals show particular promise for future funding from a federal agency or private foundation.

Department of History Undergraduate Scholarships and Prizes

Albert E. and Wilda E. Van Dusen Award for Undergraduate Study and Travel in the Fields of Ancient Greco-Roman History and Classical Languages Scholarship. This scholarship was created to provide support for a student in the College of Letters and Sciences with demonstrated academic achievement and engagement in the study of or research involving specified languages, requiring travel.

Allen M. Ward Prize in Ancient History. Allen M. Ward served as a UConn history professor from 1969 until 1997. His scholarly reputation and expertise enriched the study of ancient history within the university and the field itself. As an educator, Professor Ward was known for his dynamism, dedication, and breadth of knowledge as a teacher and scholar, and for having inspired generations of students. The Allen M. Ward Prize is awarded to an undergraduate who possesses demonstrated interest and outstanding achievement in the field of ancient history.

Connecticut Celebration 350th Scholarship. At the conclusion of the State of Connecticut's 350th Anniversary Celebration in 1987, the organization in charge of the commemoration established an annual award for the purpose of providing a scholarship for an upper-division undergraduate

history major, or a fellowship for a graduate student in history with a concentration in American history.

Heather A. Parker Award for Excellence in Historical Writing. This award was created by undergraduate advisor Heather Parker to award a current undergraduate student majoring in History for excellence in writing. Eligible majors submit examples of their writing and a winner for the best example of historical writing is chosen by a faculty committee.

Karl Z. Trybus Undergraduate Award for Exceptional Work in Modern European History. This award was created in the memory of Karl Z. Trybus. Mr. Trybus graduated in 1965 from the University of Connecticut and spent thirty-two years teaching history in Connecticut. He strongly believed in the rewards associated with hard work in education. Awards given from this fund express his support of both history and learning. The Trybus Undergraduate Award is given to a graduating senior majoring in history, with a concentration in modern Europe.

Maddalena and Joseph Perrella Scholarship. The Maddalena and Joseph Perrella Scholarship Fund was established in 1987 by the estate of Vera C. Perrella. The scholarship is awarded to an academically achieving student majoring in a discipline related to the study of Italy or its people, including Italian history, culture, arts, language, and economies.

Roger N. Buckley Award. Roger N. Buckley served as a UConn history professor with research and teaching interests in the history of the British Empire and Commonwealth, Europe, and Asia. In 2012 he established the Roger N. Buckley Award to provide a scholarship for high-achieving undergraduate students who demonstrate an interest in Asian History and Asian American Studies.

Sandra Rux Award. Established in 2021 to recognize undergraduate or graduate students, majoring in History, with academic achievement and financial need, pursuing a University-approved internship or research project in colonial American history or the broader Atlantic history field.

Undergraduate History Excellence Award. Established by the History Department in 1981 this award is presented each year to one or two top history majors. The candidates should have completed at least four history courses above the 100 level, possess a GPA of at least 3.5 in those courses, and have at minimum a 3.0 overall.