




# UCLA Honors Scholarships

-  **Application Window:** March 27 – April 10, 2025
  -  **Eligibility:** College Honors & College Scholars students (see website for details)
  -  **How to Apply:** Submit one application through the Financial Aid Scholarship Portal
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## Senior Awards (Graduating Spring/Summer 2025)

These awards recognize exceptional academic achievement graduating seniors, and are awarded in Spring of the current academic year.

- **Barbara Ladd Gates Award for Intellectual Accomplishment** – \$1,200 (1 award)
  - **Joel Rothblatt Award** – \$500 (1 award)
    - **Eligibility:** Junior or senior standing, **first-generation college student**, preference for **financial need**
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## Open Honors Scholarships

These scholarships are available to all eligible College Honors students without specific major or background requirements.

- **Rose Gilbert Honors Programs Scholarship** – \$2,000–\$5,000 (5–7 awards)
  - **Rose Gilbert in Memory of Maggie Gilbert Scholarship** – \$2,000–\$5,000 (5–7 awards)
  - **Joan Palevsky Honors Scholarship** – \$2,500 (2 awards)
  - **Richard Carleton Meeker, Jr. Memorial Scholarship** – \$2,000 (4 awards, preference for financial need)
  - **Ira J. and Shirley Spoon Honors Collegium Scholarship** – \$3,000 (1 award)
  - **Stuart C. Waugh and Scott L. Waugh Scholarship** – \$2,000–\$5,000 (3–5 awards)
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## Scholarships for Specific Majors

These scholarships are awarded to students majoring in specific disciplines.

- **Rosalind W. Alcott Scholarship** – \$2,000 (2 awards)

- **Eligibility:** Juniors majoring in **Political Science, Economics, Business Economics, or International Area Studies**
- **Bradford E. Burns Endowed Scholarship in History** – \$3,000 (1 award)
  - **Eligibility:** History majors
- **Andrea L. Rich Honors Scholarship in the Humanities** – \$2,000 (1 award)
  - **Eligibility:** Juniors or seniors in **Humanities or History**, preference for **financial need**
- **Helen Lane Merit Scholarship** – \$2,000–\$4,000 (2 awards)
  - **Eligibility:** Majoring in **foreign language** (*Greek, Latin, Hebrew included*), **freshmen must have two years of high school study**
- **Morgan H. Harris, Jr. Endowed Scholarship** – \$3,000 (3 awards)
  - **Eligibility:** Majoring in **Arts, Humanities, or Social Sciences**, preference for **financial need** and **Los Angeles Unified School District graduates**
- **Bette and Don Prell Merit Scholarship** – \$2,500 (2 awards)
  - **Eligibility:** Open to all, **preference for Philosophy majors**
- **Frederick R. Waingrow Peterson Publishing Company Scholarship** – \$4,000 (4 awards)
  - **Eligibility:** Interest in **publishing, communications, or media**

## Research Scholarships

These awards support students conducting a **senior thesis**.

### Requirements:

- ✓ **A short statement of endorsement** from a faculty advisor overseeing the senior thesis
- ✓ **General thesis topic description**
- ✓ **Recipients must also apply for the Undergraduate Research Scholars Program (deadline in June)**

- **Rose Gilbert Undergraduate Research Scholarship** – \$5,000 (1 award)
  - **Eligibility:** Writing a **senior thesis in 2024–2025**, preference for **English majors**
- **Magda & Frederick R. Waingrow Endowed Research Scholarship** – \$5,000 (1 award)
  - **Eligibility:** Embarking on a **senior thesis in 2024–2025**, preference for **financial need**
- **Eugen and Jacqueline Weber Undergraduate Research Scholarship** – \$5,000 (1 award)
  - **Eligibility:** Writing a **senior thesis in 2024–2025** in **European Studies, Central & East European Languages, or History**, preference for **French Studies**

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
## Scholarships with Special Eligibility Criteria

These scholarships are based on a student's background, extracurricular involvement, or financial need.

- **Doris H. and Milton J. Chasin Endowed Scholarship** – \$4,000 (5 awards)
  - **Eligibility:** California residents, excludes **ROTC/NROTC/AFROTC participants**, preference for **financial need**
- **Irma and Jerome S. Miller Memorial Scholarship** – \$1,000 (1 award)
  - **Eligibility:** California residents
- **Gabrielle de Vellis Memorial Scholarship** – \$2,000 (2 awards)
  - **Eligibility:** High school **varsity-level athletes**, preference for **financial need**
- **Reverend James A. Davidson & Elizabeth Beck Memorial Scholarship** – \$1,200 (1 award)
  - **Eligibility:** Sophomores pursuing a **career in ministry or religious work**
  - **Required Documentation:** Letter from clergy verifying commitment to a religious career

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◆ **Submit your application through the [Scholarship Portal](#)**

◆ **Required Materials:**

- General Scholarship Profile
- Honors Essay Prompt Response
- Additional documentation (if applicable)

✂ **Questions?** Contact **Heiser Lopez**, Scholarships Coordinator via [Message Center](#)