

14 November 2018

Dear College Counselor, GSA/Diversity Club Advisor, or Community Leader:

eQuality Scholarship Collaborative is pleased to announce its 30th annual scholarship program. In 2018, eQuality awarded 19 scholarships totaling \$114,000 to graduating high school students, as well as community college transfer, nursing, and medical students. For 2019, we expect to award over 20 \$6,000 scholarships.

Applicants for the **high school** scholarships must:

- ◆ be a resident of northern or central California;
- ◆ have completed or complete high school or equivalent between 1 July 2014 and 30 June 2019; and
- ◆ plan to attend or have begun attending an accredited post-secondary institution (college, university, or vocational/trade school) *for the first time* in 2019.

New this year: applicants residing in or attending high school in San Mateo or Santa Clara County are eligible for the PFLAG San Jose/Peninsula Scholarships.

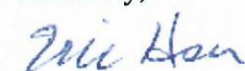
Also new this year: we are expanding our scholarships for medical students to include other graduate health care fields—dentistry, pharmacy, physical therapy, and psychology. The eligibility requirements are somewhat different for the **health care** scholarships, as are the **community college transfer** and **nursing** scholarship requirements. Please visit www.equalityscholarship.org for details.

We ask your assistance in publicizing the availability of the scholarships by prominently posting the enclosed flyer. We also encourage you to list this scholarship in your newspaper/newsletter and web site. Note that we are using an on-line application system again this year. Applications must be completed no later than **31 January 2019**.

If you have any questions, please contact the scholarship committee at the address above, visit our website at www.equalityscholarship.org, or email us at info@equalityscholarship.org.

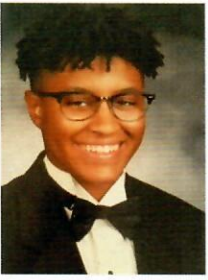
Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,



Eric Hsu
Chair, Scholarship Committee

Enclosure



\$6,000



Scholarships

Who: Graduating high school and community college students in northern and central California

Why: To recognize **service** to the **LGBT+** community

What: Scholarships may be used at any accredited post-secondary institution—college, university, or trade school

When: Applications must be completed by **January 31, 2019**

Where: For more information and to apply, go to **www.equalityscholarship.org**

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