



## Schenectady County Community College 2012 – 2013 Foundation Scholarships



### COMMON APPLICATION

#### APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS:

- Schenectady County Community College (SCCC) students are eligible to submit a Common Application for consideration of more than 60 scholarships (availability is dependent upon funding for current-year distribution and can fluctuate on an annual basis).
- For purposes of this Common Application: “returning student” is a student who will be enrolled at SCCC in Fall 2012; “graduating student” is a student who will be graduating in May 2012.
- Scholarships that require a minimum grade-point average take into consideration the grade-point average as of the start of the Spring 2012 semester. Scholarships with a minimum grade-point average are not available to students currently in their first semester at Schenectady County Community College since they do not yet have a grade-point average.
- The Common Application will not be accepted if it is not signed and dated by the student applicant.
- **DEADLINE:**
  - Applications for the 2012-2013 year are due: **March 23, 2012 by 4:00 p.m.**
- **SUBMIT TO:**
  - Applications are to be submitted to the Financial Aid Office.
  - **Please only submit the three pages of the application plus the essay.**

The Financial Aid Office  
Room 221 Elston Hall  
Schenectady County Community College  
78 Washington Avenue, Schenectady, New York 12305  
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2012-2013 Foundation Scholarship  
COMMON APPLICATION**

Please type or print neatly.

**\* Required Information - must be completed.**

**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

\*Student's Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

\*SCCC Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_ \*Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

\*Permanent Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

\*County of Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

\*High School Attended: \_\_\_\_\_

\*E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Phone number(s): \_\_\_\_\_

\*Degree Program: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Current Overall GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ \*No. Credit Hours earned to date: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Expected Date of Graduation from SCCC (Month/Year): \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

\*Number of credit hours currently enrolled in at SCCC (Spring 2012 term): \_\_\_\_\_

Are you also enrolled at another college this semester? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, where are you enrolled in addition to SCCC: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Expected SCCC Enrollment Status for Fall 2012: Full-time: \_\_\_\_\_ Part-time: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Number of credits (part-time students only): \_\_\_\_\_

I am planning to transfer in Fall 2012 to: \_\_\_\_\_

## SCHOLARSHIP(S) BEING APPLIED FOR

\*List only the name(s) of the scholarship(s) for which you are applying. Please type or print neatly the full name of the scholarship. Listings of all the scholarships are on the last pages of this Common Application.

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| 3. _____  | 4. _____  |
| 5. _____  | 6. _____  |
| 7. _____  | 8. _____  |
| 9. _____  | 10. _____ |
| 11. _____ | 12. _____ |

## REQUIRED ESSAY

All applicants must submit an essay on the topic noted below. Please attach your essay to this Common Application Form. Essay must be a maximum of one (1) page in length, typed, doubled space, and in font size 12. Content, grammar, and spelling are all components of a quality essay. This is an important component of your application. You are encouraged to include information about any college or community activities.

### **\*ESSAY TOPIC TO BE ADDRESSED:**

**Describe your goals and objectives as a student at Schenectady County Community College. How will a scholarship help you attain those goals and objectives?**

**NOTE:** Some of the listed scholarships have specific requirements. Please be sure your essay addresses those requirements. See attached listing of all scholarships after this Common Application.

### **If the scholarship requires you to demonstrate financial need:**

Remember that SCCC Scholarship criteria are different from state and federal guidelines. If you have filed a current FAFSA with the SCCC Financial Aid Office, no further action is needed. However, if you have not filed a current FAFSA, you will need to complete a FAFSA for 2011-12 or 2012-13 by Monday, March 19, 2012.

# CERTIFICATION

Certification to both of the following items is required for scholarship consideration.

\*I release to Schenectady County Community College Student Affairs Committee or designees, the right to access current and ongoing financial aid and academic records. If awarded a scholarship, I understand that I must continue to meet the scholarship eligibility criteria. **\*Please initial:** \_\_\_\_\_

\*If awarded a scholarship, I understand my name, information, and academic history may be shared with the scholarship donor(s) and at the SCCC Honor Convocation Awards Ceremony to be held on Thursday, May 24, 2012, which will require my attendance. In addition, I agree to express my written appreciation to the donor/donors of the scholarship fund for which I am awarded. **\*Please initial:** \_\_\_\_\_

# NOTICE OF AGREEMENT

By signing this notice of agreement, I certify that all of the above information I have provided is accurate and true.

I agree to abide by the conditions of the SCCC Foundation guidelines for any scholarship I may receive. Further, I also agree that if I withdraw from the SCCC, or if I fail to meet the stated criteria of the scholarship at the time it is awarded, I will forfeit or repay all or a portion of any scholarship, according to the College's refund policy.

I understand that any scholarship monies awarded may be credited against any of outstanding balance I may have at Schenectady County Community College.

Should I be selected as a recipient of a scholarship, Schenectady County Community College and the SCCC Foundation, Inc. are granted my permission to use quotes from my application and/or essay with the specific scholarship donor(s) who have provided funding for any award(s) I receive, in press releases and in campus publications and materials.

**\* Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **\* Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

## Note:

The Personal Privacy Protection Law requires this notice to be provided when collecting personal information from individuals. The authority to collect personal information is based on Section 355 (2) (h) of the New York Education Law. Availability of scholarships is dependent upon funding for current year distribution and can fluctuate on an annual basis. Applications will be accepted between February 20 and March 23, 2012 for the 2012-2013 academic year.

# RETURNING STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS FOR FALL 2012- SPRING 2013

2012 Scholarships for Returning Students	Additional material required with the General Application	Number of Awards	Amount of Awards 2012-13	Criteria/Requirements for the Scholarship
<b>Ainslee B. and Alice S. Allen Scholarship</b>		2	\$1,000	Awarded to a full-time student who meets all of the following criteria: single parent, demonstrated financial need, academic achievement, and certificate/degree candidate. Scholarships will be one-time only awards.
<b>American Legion of Schenectady County Award for American History</b>		1	\$250	Awarded to a returning student demonstrating personal interest and academic excellence in American History.
<b>Melvin B. Bartlett, Sr. Memorial Scholarship Sponsored by Burnt Hills/Ballston Lake Rotary Club</b>	Separate application available in the Financial Aid Office	1	\$400 (\$200 per semester)	Awarded to a full-time or part-time student in <u>Fire Science</u> or <u>Fire Protection Technology</u> who has completed 20 credit hours and is a resident of Schenectady or Saratoga Counties or a bona-fide member of a Fire Company within these two counties. This scholarship will be divided between the fall and spring semesters.
<b>Hector Boiardi Scholarships</b>	Include in essay information about current or past employment in the hospitality field including dates of employment.	5 Full-time, 5 Part-time	5 @ \$500 Full-time, 5 @ \$250 Part-time	Awarded to five full-time and five part-time returning <u>Culinary Arts</u> students with a minimum grade point average of 2.8, who have financial need, and are either currently employed in the hospitality field or have been employed within the past two years.

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<b>Clinton A. Braidwood Memorial Scholarship</b>		1	\$350	Awarded to a full-time, returning student in the <u>Science</u> or <u>Mathematics and Science</u> degree program, who has a minimum grade-point average of 3.0 and demonstrates financial need.
<b>Broughton Fellowship Program for Excellence</b>	Essay must state how applicant meets criteria. Requires three letters of recommendation.	1	Approx. \$4,781	Awarded to a full-time, matriculated student with a minimum grade-point average of 3.2 who is expected to graduate in May 2013, is a U.S. citizen and exhibits strong moral character and a commitment to excellence. The recipient of will receive full tuition, fees and an allowance for books for Fall and Spring (approximately) less any NYS TAP grants.
<b>Prescott A. Brown Memorial Scholarship</b>	Essay must state how applicant meets the criteria.	1	\$350	Awarded to a full-time or part-time (enrolled for a minimum of 6 credits) returning student who is matriculated in the <u>Hotel and Restaurant Management</u> or <u>Tourism and Hospitality Management</u> degree program, with a minimum grade-point average of 3.0. Preference will be given to a recipient who is working in the hospitality industry, in addition to academic merit.
<b>Brown-O'Connell Tourism Scholarship</b>		1 Full-time, 1 Part-time	1 @ \$500 Full-time; 1 @ \$250 Part-time	Awarded to a full-time and a part-time returning student in <u>Tourism and Hospitality Management</u> who has demonstrated academic achievement with a minimum grade-point average of 3.0.
<b>Peter F. Burnham Award Sponsored by the Golub Foundation</b>		1	\$500	Awarded to a full-time returning student in any degree program with a minimum grade point average of 3.0, who has financial need and who has been active in College or community organizations.

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<b>Capital Living and Rehabilitation Centres Scholarship</b>		2 Full-time, 2 Part-time	2 @ \$500 Full-time; 2 @ \$250 Part-time	Awarded to two full-time and two part-time students matriculated in the <u>Health Studies Certificate</u> or a related two-year degree program who are pursuing a career in skilled nursing (preference may be given to students indicating an interest in the long-term care profession), has earned at least six credits with a minimum grade-point average of 3.0 and demonstrates financial need.
<b>Robert F. Case Memorial Scholarship</b>		1	\$700	Awarded to a full-time, returning student in any degree program who demonstrates academic achievement and financial need and who has a minimum grade-point average of 3.0.
<b>Casola's Cooks Scholarship</b>		4	\$125	Awarded to a full-time student enrolled in the School of <u>Hotel, Culinary Arts, and Tourism</u> based on academic achievement.
<b>Chaine des Rotisseurs</b>		1 or 2	\$1,000 each	Awarded to a full-time returning student who is matriculated in the <u>Culinary Arts A.O.S.</u> degree program or the <u>Hotel and Restaurant Management A.A.S.</u> degree program, has earned a minimum grade-point average of 3.0 and demonstrates enthusiasm and commitment to his/her chosen field. The recipient will receive \$500 for the Fall Semester and is eligible to receive \$500 for the spring semester as long as he/she continues to meet criteria.
<b>Dr. Erma Ruth Chestnut Scholarship</b>		1	\$750	Awarded to a full-time or part-time student taking at least six credit hours who is matriculated in an A.A. or A.S. transfer degree program, has earned a college minimum grade-point average of 3.2 or higher and demonstrates financial need. The recipient must be a graduate of Linton High School, Mont Pleasant High School or Schenectady High School. The recipient may be eligible for a second year as long as he/she continues to meet the criteria above. Preference will be given to female candidates.

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<b>Michael J. Della Rocco Jr. &amp; James Wilson Scholarship</b>	Essay must state how applicant meets one or more of the criteria.	1	\$300	Awarded to a full-time or part-time returning student in <u>Criminal Justice</u> or <u>Fire Science</u> with a minimum grade-point average of 3.0 and demonstrates financial need. Recipient must meet one of the following criteria: is a Veteran, a member of a National Guard or Reserve unit, or a current member of the Armed Forces, or is a firefighter, police officer or child of a firefighter/police officer. Preference to Schenectady County resident.
<b>Michael J. Della Rocco Sr. Memorial Scholarship</b>	Essay must state how applicant meets the criteria.	1	\$300	Awarded to a full-time or part-time returning student in either the <u>Fire Protection Technology</u> or <u>Criminal Justice</u> degree program. Recipient must have a minimum grade point average of 3.0, must have financial need and must demonstrate community service and/or service to the College in the spirit of those who served their country in the military service. Preference given to Schenectady County residents who are children of veterans or children of firefighters or police officers.
<b>Dr. Georgetta Dix Scholarship (NEW)</b>		1	\$300	Awarded to a full-time, matriculated student in the Early Childhood degree program. Recipient must have a minimum grade-point average of 3.0 with demonstrated involvement in service and/or community organizations. Preference will be given to single parents and non-traditional students. Examples of qualifying non-traditional students would be those that: delay enrollment; work 25 or more hours per week while enrolled; are considered financially independent; have dependents other than a spouse; and/or obtained a GED.
<b>Maude H. Dunlap Scholarship</b>	Essay must state how applicant meets the criteria.	1	\$450	Awarded to a full-time student who meets all of the following criteria: single parent, demonstrated financial need, academic achievement with a grade-point average of at least 3.5, and degree candidate. Scholarship recipient must have earned 24 credits at SCCC before receiving scholarship and be a resident of Schenectady County.

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<b>Randall B. Flint Scholarship</b>		1	\$200	Awarded to a full-time or part-time returning student, age 25 years or older, by September 1 of the academic year in which the award is received, in any degree program who has a minimum grade-point average of 3.0 and demonstrates financial need.
<b>Friendship Baptist Church Award</b>		1	\$400	Awarded to a full-time returning student in any degree program from Schenectady County who has by his or her participation in College activities represented high qualities of citizenship and leadership. In the interest of diversity, preference will be given to members of an underrepresented community.
<b>Mary Regina Gioia Scholarship</b>		1	\$250	Awarded to a full-time or part-time returning female student in the <u>Culinary Arts</u> program who demonstrates academic achievement with a minimum grade-point average of 3.0 and financial need.
<b>Give Back Scholarship</b>	Essay must state how applicant meets the criteria using examples from college service, community service, or volunteer activities.	1	\$500	Awarded to a full-time returning student in any degree program with a minimum grade-point average of 3.0 and who demonstrates financial need. The intent of this scholarship is to recognize a student who exhibits integrity, honesty, and trustworthiness, and who embraces diversity.
<b>Karen Brown Johnson Scholarship</b>		1	\$800	Awarded to a full-time or part-time returning student in any degree program, who is a City of Schenectady resident, has a minimum grade-point average of 3.0 and demonstrates financial need.
<b>Marion Jones Scholarship</b>		1	\$800	Awarded to a full-time or part-time returning student in any program, who has demonstrated academic achievement with a minimum grade-point average of 3.0 and financial need.

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<b>Junior League of Schenectady &amp; Saratoga Counties</b>		1	\$1,000	Awarded to a full-time returning <u>Human Services</u> student who is a Schenectady County or Saratoga County resident and who exhibits above average commitment to the field, exceptional scholarship, financial need, and an intention to seek employment in Schenectady or Saratoga County. A recipient can only receive this scholarship one time.
<b>John S. Krempa Scholarship</b>		1	\$500	Awarded to a full-time returning student in the <u>Mathematics and Science</u> or <u>Science</u> degree program who has a minimum grade-point average of 3.0 and demonstrates financial need.
<b>Dr. Alexander T. LaRocco Memorial Scholarship</b>		1	\$500	Awarded to a full-time returning student who is matriculated in a degree program, has a minimum grade-point average of 3.0 and demonstrates financial need. The recipient must be a graduate of Linton High School or Schenectady High School.
<b>Harold F. Lewis Scholarship</b>		1	\$300	Awarded to a full-time returning student in any degree program based on academic achievement and demonstrated financial need.
<b>John B. Loffredo Scholarship</b>		1	\$150	Awarded to a full-time or part-time returning student in the <u>Criminal Justice</u> program who has completed at least 30 credits (if full-time or 6 credits if part-time), has a minimum grade-point average of 3.0 and demonstrates financial need.
<b>Lunch Bunch Scholarship</b>		1	\$500	Awarded to a full-time returning female student in any degree program who has a minimum grade-point average of 3.0 and demonstrates financial need.
<b>Maple Leaf Childcare Center Scholarship</b>		1	\$1,000	Awarded to a full-time student in the <u>Early Childhood</u> A.A.S. degree program who has demonstrated academic achievement with a minimum grade-point average of 3.0. Recipient will receive \$500 for the Fall semester and \$500 for the spring semester, as long as he/she continues to meet scholarship criteria.
<b>Fred &amp; Alice McChesney Memorial Scholarship</b>		1	\$400	Awarded to a full-time returning student who is a resident of Schenectady County, matriculated in any degree program and demonstrates academic achievement and financial need.

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<b>Dale Miller Chef's Professionalism Scholarship</b>	Essay must state how applicant meets the criteria.	1	\$500	Awarded to a full-time or part-time (enrolled for a minimum of 6 credits) returning student who is matriculated in the <u>Culinary Arts</u> degree program or the <u>Assistant Chef</u> certificate program and has a minimum grade-point average of 3.0. The recipient will be selected according to the following criteria: is a current member of the student chapter of the American Culinary Federation or another allied trade association; participates in at least one volunteer fundraising project for the School of Hotel, Culinary Arts and Tourism; is involved in a community charitable function(s) as a volunteer, and maintains exemplary class attendance.
<b>Charles Mills and Irene Prazak Memorial Scholarships</b>		2	\$500	Awarded to two full-time returning students from Schenectady County in the <u>Criminal Justice</u> program who has demonstrated financial need. Preference will be given to a resident of the Hamilton Hill section.
<b>Mohawk Valley Kennel Club, Inc. Scholarship</b>	Essay must state how applicant meets the criteria.	1	\$125	Awarded to a full-time returning student in any degree program, who is a Schenectady County resident or has attended high school in Schenectady County, demonstrates academic achievement with a minimum grade-point average of 3.0 and who has demonstrated financial need. Applicants must include information in the essay of the scholarship application about his/her experience in working with dogs as demonstrated by dog-related volunteerism, participation in dog sports, or other dog-related activities.
<b>Joshua Murphy Scholarship</b>		1	\$500	Awarded to a full-time returning student who is matriculated in the <u>Culinary Arts</u> or <u>Hotel and Restaurant Management</u> degree program, has earned a minimum grade-point average of 3.0 and demonstrates financial need. Preference will be given to graduates of the Career Center at Steinmetz School.
<b>Gail Nolan Scholarship</b>		1	\$500	Awarded to a full-time returning student in <u>Accounting</u> , <u>Business Administration</u> , <u>Computer Science</u> , <u>Computer Information Systems</u> or <u>Paralegal</u> who has minimum grade-point average of 3.0.

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<b>NYS Home Bureau – Human Services Scholarship</b>	One letter of recommendation is required from a faculty member. This scholarship requires a separate application available in the Financial Aid Office E221.	1	\$200	Awarded to a full-time returning student in the <u>Human Services</u> degree program. The recipient must be a resident of Albany or Schenectady County or a county with an organized chapter of the New York State Home Bureau. (Fulton, Montgomery, Saratoga and Schoharie County residents are not eligible.) The recipient must also be a U.S. citizen.
<b>NYS Home Bureau – Betty Iglar Scholarship</b>	One letter of recommendation is required from a faculty member. This scholarship requires a separate application available in the Financial Aid Office E221.	1	\$200	Awarded to a full-time returning student in the field of <u>Computer Science, Computer Information System, or Business Administration</u> who has demonstrated academic achievement and financial need, with a minimum grade-point average of 2.5. The recipient must be a resident of Albany or Schenectady County or a county with an organized chapter of the New York State Home Bureau. (Fulton, Montgomery, Saratoga and Schoharie County residents are not eligible.) The recipient must also be a U.S. citizen.
<b>NYS Home Bureau – Eleanor Jenks Scholarship</b>	One letter of recommendation is required from a faculty member. This scholarship requires a separate application available in the Financial Aid Office E221.	1	\$200	Awarded to a full-time returning student in the <u>Hotel and Restaurant Management</u> degree program who had demonstrated academic achievement and financial need. The recipient must be a resident of Albany or Schenectady County or a county with an organized chapter of the New York State Home Bureau. (Fulton, Montgomery, Saratoga and Schoharie County residents are not eligible.) The recipient must also be a U.S. citizen.

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<b>NYS Home Bureau – Paralegal Scholarship</b>	One letter of recommendation is required from a faculty member. This scholarship requires a separate application available in the Financial Aid Office E221.	1	\$200	Awarded to a full-time returning <u>Paralegal</u> student who had demonstrated academic achievement and financial need. The recipient must be a resident of Albany or Schenectady County or a county with an organized chapter of the New York State Home Bureau. (Fulton, Montgomery, Saratoga and Schoharie County residents are not eligible.) Recipients must also be a U.S. citizen.
<b>New York State Hospitality and Tourism Association Scholarship</b>		2	\$250 each	Awarded to a returning full-time student who is matriculated in one of the programs in the School of Hotel, Culinary Arts and Tourism, is a member of the SCCC Hospitality Club and demonstrates academic achievement.
<b>The Porter - Robbins Music Scholarship</b>		1	\$500	Awarded to a full-time returning student in <u>the Performing Arts: Music</u> program who has a minimum grade-point average of 3.0 and demonstrates financial need.
<b>Prestige Services Scholarship</b>		2	\$250 each	Awarded to a full-time or part-time returning matriculated student who has earned a minimum grade-point average of 3.0.
<b>Rotary Club of Schenectady Foundation Scholarship</b>	Essay must state how applicant meets the criteria.	1	\$350	Awarded to a full-time returning student in any degree program who has demonstrated academic achievement and displayed leadership in promotion and support of community and/or College activities.
<b>SCCC Alumni Scholarship</b>	Essay must state how applicant meets the criteria.	1	\$500	Awarded to a full-time or part-time returning student in any degree program who will have earned at least 30 credits by the end of the Spring semester with a minimum grade point average of 2.7. Preference will be given to a child or spouse of an SCCC graduate (please supply this information in the essay of the scholarship application).

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<b>SCCC Faculty Student Association Scholar Awards</b>		3 Full-time, 4 Part-time	\$1,000 Full-time, \$500 Part-time	Awarded to three full-time and four part-time returning students in any degree program who have demonstrated academic achievement with a minimum grade-point average of 3.0 with at least 12 credits earned.
<b>SCCC Student Government Association Merit Scholarship</b>	Essay must state how applicant meets the criteria.	1	\$500	Awarded to a full-time or part-time returning student in any degree program based on academic achievement with a minimum grade-point average of 3.0, who has been actively involved in SGA-related activities (such as athletics, clubs, organizations, Student Senate, College Committees, campus related volunteer activities, etc.).
<b>Schenectady County Legal Aid Society Max and Betty Hershkowitz Awards</b>		2	\$500 each	Awarded to a full-time or part-time returning student in <u>Paralegal</u> or <u>Criminal Justice</u> who has a minimum grade-point average of 3.0 and demonstrates financial need. The recipient must have been a resident of the City of Schenectady for at least one year. Preference given to a resident of the Schenectady Municipal Housing Authority. (Residents of the following are eligible: Steinmetz, Yates, MacGathan, Maryvale, Schonowee, Lincoln Heights or Ten Eyck.)
<b>Schenectady Job Service Employer Committee Scholarships</b>		4	\$250 each	Awarded to a full-time or part-time returning student, matriculated in any degree or certificate program and enrolled for a minimum of six credits. The recipient must have a minimum grade-point average of 3.0 and be a resident of Schenectady County.
<b>Schenectady Municipal Housing Authority Scholarship in Honor of Sharon Jordan</b>	Essay must state how applicant meets the criteria.	1	\$325	Awarded to a full-time or part-time returning student in any degree program based on academic achievement and financial need. Recipients must reside in one of the public housing developments in the City of Schenectady run by the Schenectady Municipal Housing Authority. (Residents of the following are eligible: Steinmetz, Yates, MacGathan, Maryvale, Schonowee, Lincoln Heights or Ten Eyck.)

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<b>Allen &amp; Anna Slaterpryce Family Scholarship</b>	Essay must state how applicant meets the criteria.	1	\$625	Awarded to a full-time returning student in <u>Humanities and Social Sciences</u> or any <u>Music</u> degree program who has a minimum grade-point average of 3.0 and demonstrates financial need. Recipient must be at least 25 years old by September 1 of the academic year in which the award is received. Must be a resident of one of the following Capital Region Counties: Schenectady, Albany or Saratoga.
<b>Soroptimists International of Schenectady Scholarship</b>		1	\$1,500	Awarded to a full-time or part-time returning female student in any degree program who has completed at least 30 credits, a minimum cumulative grade-point average of 3.0 and demonstrates financial need.
<b>Stuart J. Spitz Memorial Scholarship</b>	Include in essay all college activities, recent community activities, volunteer work and any additional information the selection committee should be aware of when considering your application.	1	\$1,000 (\$500 per semester)	Awarded to a returning full-time <u>Business Administration</u> A.A.S. degree student in good standing who has a minimum grade-point average of 2.5. The recipient will be eligible to receive the scholarship for the spring semester as long as he/she continues to meet criteria.
<b>Ethel Harder Steiner Memorial Scholarship</b>		1	\$750	Awarded to a full-time or part-time returning student matriculated in any degree program, who has a minimum grade-point average of 2.8 and is a graduate of either Linton High School, Mt. Pleasant High School or Schenectady High.

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<b>The Women's Fund of the Capital Region Scholarship</b>		4	\$5,000 each (\$2,500 each per semester)	Awarded to four full-time or part-time female students who have re-entered higher education after a period of absence and will have completed at least 24 credits at the end of the current semester. The applicant must have a minimum cumulative grade-point average of 2.75 and demonstrate financial need. This scholarship may be received for a second semester dependent upon recipient maintaining a grade-point average of 2.75 each subsequent semester, as well as continued demonstration of financial need. Preference will be given to previously awarded students. Applicants must be residents of Albany, Rensselaer, Saratoga, Schenectady or Schoharie County, New York. Scholarship dollars can be used to support tuition, fees, and all other educational expenses.
<b>Jason D. Woodward Scholarship</b>		1	\$150	Awarded to a part-time returning <u>Paralegal</u> student who demonstrates academic achievement with a minimum grade-point average of 3.0 and financial need.
<b>Yono's Scholarship</b>		2	\$1,000 each	Awarded to a full-time returning student who is matriculated in the <u>Culinary Arts</u> or <u>Hotel Restaurant Management</u> degree program. The recipient must have a minimum grade-point average of 3.0 and demonstrated financial need. The recipient will receive \$500 for the Fall semester and \$500 for the Spring semester if he/she maintains eligibility.
<b>Zonta Club of Schenectady - Florence Kudernatch Memorial Scholarship</b>		1	\$1,000	Awarded to a full-time returning female student in any degree program who has a minimum grade-point average of 3.0 and financial need. Recipient must have earned 30 credits and be 25 years of age or older by September 1 of the academic year in which the award is received.

# GRADUATING STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS GRADUATES FOR MAY 2012

2012 Scholarships for Graduating Students	Additional material required with the General Application	Number of Awards	Amount of Awards 2012-13	Criteria/Requirements for the Scholarship
<b>American Association of University Women (AAUW) Schenectady Branch Scholarship (NEW)</b>		1	\$500	Awarded to a graduating female student who is over the age of 25 and will be transferring to a four-year college. Student should already have obtained acceptance into a four-year college. Eligibility is based on academic achievement with a minimum grade-point average of 3.0.
<b>Student Government Association Scholarship - College Service</b>	Essay must state how applicant meets the criteria.	1	\$500	Awarded to a graduating student with over a 3.0 cumulative grade-point average who has demonstrated outstanding service <u>and</u> leadership on our College campus.
<b>Student Government Association Scholarship - Community Service</b>	Essay must state how applicant meets the criteria.	1	\$500	Awarded to a graduating student with over a 3.0 cumulative grade-point average who has demonstrated outstanding service <u>and</u> leadership to the community.
<b>Student Government Association Scholarship - President's Award</b>	Essay must state how applicant meets the criteria.	1	\$500	Awarded to a graduating student with over a 3.0 cumulative grade-point average who has demonstrated outstanding service <u>and</u> leadership to both the College community <u>and</u> to our community at large.