

SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships Provided by Local Donors

Fulton-Montgomery Community College students may apply for scholarships that have been established by philanthropic, private donors over the past 45 years. These locally funded scholarships help defray the costs of tuition and other education expenses. Some are available to students based on finance need and others are based on academic performance regardless of need. We encourage all students to apply for scholarships so the available financial assistance can be matched to their needs. Application information regarding these scholarships, deadlines, and eligibility guidelines may be obtained from the Financial Aid Office.

Amsterdam City Hospital Nurses' Alumnae Association Scholarship, established in 2013, was created to be given to full-time, second year student. This scholarship is awarded to a student with a G.P.A. of 3.0.

Amsterdam Rotary Scholarship, established by the Amsterdam Rotary Club, funds a first-year, fulltime student with a scholarship. The student must be a resident of the Greater Amsterdam School District and show a history of community service or community activity.

Clifford T. Weller Scholarship, in memory of Clifford T. Weller, is awarded to a student having a minimum high school grade point average of "B" or better and has graduated from a Montgomery County high school.

College-in-the-High School (PROVOST) Scholarship were established by the Foundation of FM who fundraises for this scholarship each year via a Golf Tournament. All proceeds from the tournament fund these scholarships.

Debra Kozlowski-Rector Memorial Scholarship will be awarded one time each year for educational expenses to a student with documented financial needs. The student must be enrolled at Fulton-Montgomery Community College in a Human Services Program with at least 30 accumulated credits, a GPA of 2.0 and be a non-traditional student.

The Delany Family Scholarship awards a scholarship to a full-time, second-year student of Construction Technology if he or she is a resident of Fulton or Montgomery counties, has documented financial need, and a 2.5 cumulative grade point average. The Delaney Construction Company Inc., (Wesson Group) of Mayfield, New York established the scholarship in 1997.

Delores "Dee" Brown Nursing Scholarship given to a second-year nursing non-traditional student from Fulton or Montgomery County with a GPA of 3.0 or higher with financial need and preferably one who is currently working.

Doris Vincent Maceyka Business Scholarship has been established in memory of Doris Vincent Maceyka, a 1971 graduate of FM who achieved her degree as a non-traditional adult student. This scholarship is for business degree students. These programs include Business Administration A.S, Business Administration A.A. S., and Accounting A.A.S. The scholarship will be awarded to a matriculated full-time second year student based upon the highest combination of proven financial need and academic achievement.

The Dorothy E. Roberts Scholarship will be given to a first-year nursing students who has financial need.

Dr. Hadley “Stretch” DePuy Scholarship was established in 2013 and created by Jerry and Gail Ryan to memorize Dr. DePuy, who was the second President of Fulton-Montgomery Community College, serving from July 1972 through December 1977. This scholarship is awarded to a second-year student who had made significant contribution without our local communities and maintains a 3.0 G.P.A.

Elaine Hoyer Nursing Scholarship is given to a first-year nursing student from Fulton or Montgomery County, males, or female with a 3.0 GPA or higher.

Ellen Cast-Lathers Nursing Scholarship was established in 2023 and created by Suzanne Stewart to memorialize her sister Ellen Cast Lathers The scholarship will be awarded to a high school graduate from either Mayfield or Broadalbin-Perth schools that will be enrolled in the nursing degree program at FM, have financial need and in good academic standing.

FCHOA Norm Stahlman Scholarship Fund was established to award a scholarship to a student that is enrolled in a Business Administration degree program. They must have accumulated 30 credits or more and maintain a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or better. The student must have graduated from a Fulton County High School and be a current Fulton County resident.

Fenimore Asset Management Scholarship given to aide a student in need in a business degree program.

FM/IAPHC Graphic Arts Scholarship is an endowed scholarship that will provide an annual award to students enrolled in Visual Communication or Graphic Communication Sales and Marketing at FM. The scholarship fund was provided through the fundraising efforts of Professor Joseph Marcuccio and the IAPHC, Graphic Professional Resource Network. The IAPHC was founded in 1919 with the purpose of improving the working life of printing craftsmen.

Frank M. Giaquinto Memorial /Scholarship is awarded to a graduating student who lives within school districts of Fulton or Montgomery counties enrolled full-time or part time at FMCC with the greatest documented financial need and a cumulative GPA of at least 2.5. This scholarship will benefit a student in a study abroad program or program with the specific opportunity to travel internationally as part of their study.

Fulton County Health Care Scholarship was established by the Fulton County Board of Supervisors for students who are enrolled in designated health care fields. They must have accumulated at least 12 credits, be a resident of Fulton /County, enrolled and matriculated in a designated health care field, have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 and file a Free Application for Federal Student Aid.

Fulton County Servicemen’s Association Scholarship was established through a donation from the Fulton County Servicemen’s Association. Its purpose is to assist the needy matriculated FM students who are veterans are from Fulton County who wish to further his or her education.

Gerda Linder Scholarship is a scholarship that supports nursing students who exhibit financial need. The family of Northville resident Gerda Linder, whose ambition was to study medicine or nursing, funded the scholarship.

Grace Brownell-Felter Scholarships fund several special scholarships which assist students at Fulton Montgomery Community College and deserving student in need of aid.

*Cap and Gown Bound Scholarships is given to a second-year student who demonstrates academic merit with a 3.0 GPA or better. Non-renewable.

*Top 10 Scholarship is given to students who were named to their school districts top 10 list. They must maintain a 3.2 GPA to continue eligibility for up to 4 semesters.

FM Foundation Scholarship. Established in 2004, this one-time award is presented to a graduating senior in each high school in our service area. Fulton and Montgomery counties, Wells and Galway based on a high school grade point average of "B" or better, a first-generation college student, and demonstrated need. The recipients of these awards are determined by the high school guidance counselor.

Foundation of FM Academic Excellence Scholarship was established by the Foundation of Fulton-Montgomery Community College, Inc. The Foundation currently awards scholarships to graduating high school seniors from Fulton or Montgomery counties with an entering grade point average of 3.2 or better that are enrolled as full-time students. This scholarship was established in 2002.

Foundation of FM Assistance Scholarship was established in 2002 by the Foundation of Fulton-Montgomery Community College, Inc. The Foundation currently awards scholarships to graduating high-school seniors from Fulton or Montgomery counties that are enrolled as a full-time student and have documented financial need.

Early Admission Scholarship is awarded to an Early Admission student taking required courses and demonstrating merit and need. Non-renewable.

Harold N. Martling Family Scholarship is given annually to one student of nursing who demonstrates financial need. The scholarship is given in memory of members of the Martling family.

Jane Peck Easterly Scholarship has been established in memory of Jane Peck Easterly. She was active engaged in community service and self-improvement, traits that have been strong characteristics in her family. She was also firmly committed to improving her community from which her family resided for generations. The scholarship will be awarded to a full-time matriculated FM student that has graduated from a Fulton County high school with preference to a student from Gloversville or Johnstown high school. The student must show the highest combination of community service/involvement and financial need. The student must have an initial high school average of 75 to be considered and maintain at least 2.3 to maintain eligibility. The scholarship is renewable up to six semesters.

Johnstown Hospital Foundation Scholarships are given to students matriculated in the Nursing Program and Radiologic Technology Program. They must be a resident of the Johnstown area. Must have at least 2.5 GPA at the time of the application if currently enrolled at FM or at the opinion of the scholarship committee. Preferably a Johnstown high school graduate who has been out of school for at least 4 years.

Johnstown Moose Family Center Scholarship established by the Johnstown Moose Family Center in 2002, to support graduate of Fulton or Montgomery County high schools, will award to a full-time student with a documented financial need. The student must maintain a grade point average of 2.5 or better.

Kate Mae Peterson Scholarship Fund is awarded to a 2nd year nursing student. Katy was an RN who was also an alum of FM. This scholarship is funded by a committee comprised of family members.

The ARC Lexington Scholarship For those students majoring in Health Care or Human Services with an interest in working with individuals who have intellectual/Developmental Disabilities. Students interested in Occupational Therapy, Physical therapy, Behavioral/Psychology, Nursing/CNA, Social Work, Human Services, CNA/NA, and other related occupations.

Required for awarding of the scholarship is a 250-word essay on how the student plans to make a difference in the life of a person with an intellectual/developmental disability.

Along with the awarding of the scholarship, The Arc Lexington will also offer a paid summer internship to the scholarship winner at one of our facilities in Fulton, Albany, or Schoharie Counties where we operate; (student will be assigned to an appropriate location). Students will be required to complete all necessary screening including a criminal background check, TB Test, and training before the internship begins. Training is completed during regular work hours and the intern will be paid for this time.

Lisa Queeney Scholarship awards a scholarship to a first-time student entering FM full time who has graduated from Mayfield Central School with an academic average of "B" or better. This scholarship will be awarded to a well-rounded student who participates in at least two extracurricular activities and demonstrated leadership will be favorably judged. Identification of recipients will be the responsibility of interdisciplinary faculty committees at Mayfield Central High School.

Maceyka Family Scholarship is a scholarship for students in applied science degree programs associated with FM's Center for Engineering and Technology. These programs include Electrical Technology, Engineering Science, Computer Technology, Computer Science and Computer Information Systems. The scholarship will be awarded to a matriculated full-time second year student based upon the highest combination of proven financial need and academic achievement. Non-traditional students and in particular women are encouraged to pursue and receive degrees in applied science programs historically dominated by men.

Maggie Bautz Memorial Scholarship given to a nursing student from Montgomery or Fulton County either male or female.

Maire Molly Kearney Wagner, RN Nursing Scholarship was established through a donation from family and friends. The scholarship is to be awarded to an individual entering the Nursing program from Fulton-Montgomery, or Hamilton Counties up to the age of 30, male, or female.

Marc A. Marino Scholarship Fund is awarded to a full-time student enrolled in the Human Services or Early Childhood Education Program, with at least 2.5 cumulative grade point average. Each award is renewable up to four semesters if the student maintains at least 2.5 cumulative grade point average.

Margaret A. Collier Scholarship is to be awarded twice a year to a student participating in the Home Health Aide Training program and is funded by Gail and Dr. Jerry Ryan.

Marilyn Lord Nursing Scholarship was established in 2012, by her family to support students in obtaining their nursing degree. The scholarship will be awarded to a non-traditional, second year nursing student who demonstrates financial need. Students must have a 3.0 to qualify for this scholarship and a 3.0 in order to obtain the scholarship for the subsequent semester.

Montgomery County Home Bureau is a scholarship created and funded by the New York State Federation of Home Bureaus, Inc. This includes 3 fields of study, Nursing, Radiologic Technology, and Medical Administrative Assistant. This scholarship is for a 2nd year student carrying a minimum of 7 credit hours in addition to work study or internship. The student must have a GPA of 2.5 or higher and be a resident of Fulton or Montgomery counties.

Northville Rotary Scholarship is given to an incoming student who is a resident of Northville or Edinburg school districts. They must be registered in a two-year AAS program such as Applied Health, Electrical Technology Facilities maintenance and Industrial Technology or Entertainment Technology or a one-year Certificate Program including Automotive System/Mechatronics, Facilities Maintenance or Heating Ventilation, Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Technology who has finance needs as determined by FAFSA. If the recipient is still matriculated in the same program in year two, they will be given the same scholarship again. The program must be completed in two years and is non-renewable.

Nurses for Nurses Scholarship was established during the 40th reunion of Fulton-Montgomery Community College Nursing Program. The scholarship comes directly from donations by nursing alumni and supporters of nursing and will be awarded to a nursing student entering the second year of the FM Nursing Program. The awardee is required to have and maintain a minimum nursing course grade of 78% to be eligible for this scholarship. Students can apply for the scholarship by utilizing the college's scholarship application. The scholarship winner will be chosen by the nursing faculty, and it will be awarded at the annual PTK award ceremony.

RPI Scholarships:

Phi Theta Kappa Society Scholarship recognizes intellectual achievement in America two-year college. Phi Theta Kappa Society transfer students who are accepted and subsequently enroll at RPI will receive the scholarship.

The Garnet D. Baltimore Rensselaer Award & Scholarships for minority students who will be attending RPI. It will be awarded to the qualifying African American, Hispanic or Native American student with the highest combined average in mathematics and science at FM.

Joseph H. Smith Jr '45 Award funded by Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute for an outstanding FM graduate for exemplary achievement in the study of Engineering Science.

Rensselaer Institute Award for Excellence is given to a student who will be transferring into a non-engineering program from a two-year affiliated college or university.

The Violet E. and Donald F. O'Connell Scholarships fund many scholarships with assist students at Fulton-Montgomery Community College and deserving students in need of aid.

***Foundation of Education Scholarships** are awarded to a full or part time matriculated students who demonstrate documented financial need. Students eligible for this scholarship must maintain a 2.5 grade point average.

***International Campus Community Scholarship** is given to a first year full-time matriculated international student who had a minimum grade of "B" from their country's secondary school or secondary year student who maintains satisfactory academic progress in an associate degree program at FM.

***International Global Diversity Scholarship** is given to a full-time matriculated international student from an under-represented country.

***Presidential Scholarships** are awarded to graduating High School seniors who reside in Fulton, Montgomery, Hamilton counties or the Galway School District with 3.5 or equivalent grade point average at the time of application. Students must attend full-time and maintain a 3.2 cumulative grade point average.

***Violet and Donald O'Connell Scholarship** is given to a matriculate's student studying either Business Technology or Nursing who demonstrates financial need.

Rita Mary Burke Foreign Language Scholarship is a scholarship given to a matriculates second year student (30+ credit completed) with a proven interest and success in the field of humanities preferably foreign language. The student must have completed two (2) foreign language classes in succession with a minimum grade point average of 3.7 within the discipline and an overage GPA of at least 3.0 to apply. This scholarship was established by a bequest from Rita Mary Burke, a founding Professor at FM, who taught foreign language classes and donations from friends and family.

Sal & Catherine Landrio Scholarship was established by this family in 2014, to support a student that is resident of Fulton or Montgomery Counties. This student would need to demonstrate community involvement and have a GPA of 2.5. This scholarship would be awarded to a student who has completed 30 credit or more.

William S. Pac Memorial Scholarship has been established by his family to create a lasting tribute to his memory. William S. Pac was an Assistant Professor of English and Philosophy at FM serving as an active and beloved member of the college family since 1990 until his death in March of 2008. The scholarships will be awarded to second year students who have completed introduction to Philosophy or Ethics, and an English elective (Reading and Writing Poetry) or higher with the highest combination of grade point average and proven financial need.