

Crafton Hills College Scholars Convocation – 2019 Program

<i>Flag Salute</i>	<i>2019-2020 Student Trustee, CHC Elijah Gerard</i>
<i>Welcome</i>	<i>Dr. Kevin Horan, CHC President</i>
<i>Presentation of Awards and Scholarships</i>	<i>Mark McConnell and Patricia Menchaca, Master/Mistress of Ceremonies along with Guest Presenters</i>
<i>President's Award for Outstanding Service and Scholarship</i>	<i>Dr. Kevin Horan, CHC President</i>
<i>Closing Remarks</i>	<i>Mark McConnell, Academic Senate President</i>

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Scholarships

GORDON CLOPINE ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP

Gordon A. Clopine was a dedicated Geology Professor and Administrator who served the San Bernardino Community College District for 36 years. He retired from Crafton Hills College as the Vice President of Administrative Services in 1997. In addition to teaching Geology and related courses at San Bernardino Valley College and Crafton Hills College, Gordon also taught Geology courses at the University of Redlands and Natural History courses at the University of California, Riverside. He left a lasting imprint on countless students, faculty, and staff over the course of his career. Gordon's family and friends established the Gordon A. Clopine Memorial Scholarship to continue his support for students of all ages wanting to expand their knowledge and understanding of the world around them through study of the Earth Sciences.

Criteria: Awarded to a student who has taken a minimum of two Earth Science classes at Crafton. Transferring to a 4-year University and majoring in one of the Earth Sciences. Minimum GPA 3.0.

BETTY JO WOOD MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Betty Jo Wood joined the staff of Crafton Hills College in 2006 and worked determinedly to provide a welcoming environment and the best possible support for students. After her retirement in 2012, Betty Jo maintained a seat as a Director on the CHC Foundation Board and was an active member of the President's Circle. Upon her passing in January 2019, her family established the Betty Jo Wood Memorial Scholarship to encourage students who are just starting -- or starting over in their lives. Betty Jo supported Crafton because she was a "firm believer in paying it forward", she said that it was "her pleasure to give back to help those who have not been so blessed and to be a blessing to them". In the process of establishing this scholarship, her daughter shared this story: "When I was in 2nd grade, I came home from school and told my Mom that I had signed her up as the room mom". Betty Jo asked, "What does a room mom do?" her daughter replied, "I'm not sure, but whatever it is you will say yes and be good at it". That is just how Betty Jo lived her life. When a student commits to college and they need a scholarship to help make that dream come true, Betty Jo would have said yes and helped them make it happen.

Criteria: Student should be continuing at Craton or transferring to a four-year university, have maintained a 3.0 or higher GPA and preference is given to students who have overcome significant obstacles to completing their education. Involvement with clubs and organizations on campus and service to the community desired.

DR. DANIEL BAHNER MEMORIAL ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP

Dr. Daniel Bahner was a member of the English Department beginning his career at Crafton Hills College in 1991 and serving the campus until his untimely passing in 2015. During those twenty-four years Daniel served the campus in so many ways, leading the campus into new areas and creating new programs including; Chair of the English Department, President of the Academic Senate, Co-Founder of the Honors Program, Development of Supplemental Instruction and Learning Communities, Director of the Crafton Hills College Foundation.

Daniel will always be part of the fabric of this campus, and remembered as an inspiring educator, a recalcitrant optimist, a rugged individualist, an instigator of BHAG's, a walking History book, an endless creator of catchy acronyms, not to mention a tireless teacher, mentor, sage, confidant, colleague and friend. Family, friends and colleagues of Dr. Daniel Bahner established this endowed scholarship to celebrate Daniel's commitment to the campus and the range of successful impacts he made here. Daniel Bahner was, in fact, the person who most exemplified the true spirit of Crafton Hills College.

Criteria: Students must have a minimum GPA of 3.25, be involved in the College Honors Institute, and continuing at Crafton or transferring to a four-year institution. Selection of the student receiving this award will be made by the Honors Steering Committee.

AARON AND ROBIN RACE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Aaron Race was a professor of English at Crafton Hills College. Always fascinated by words and how they could influence people, he was a student at both Crafton Hills College and California State University San Bernardino. He then earned a Masters of Fine Arts in Creative Writing from Southern Illinois University Carbondale and returned to the Inland Empire to teach. Aaron was a gifted educator, always pushing his students to do their best, while maintaining an exuberant and slightly off-center style. Although he was a creative writer, he taught English at all levels, with a particular interest in film and punk literature. Aaron lost his long battle with cancer on May 21, 2011, having left countless people indelibly marked by his vitality, creativity, and friendship. Pete & Bonnie Race established this scholarship for Aaron and his sister, Robin who passed away before Aaron.

Criteria: Awarded to a full-time transferring or continuing Crafton Hills College student; English major; 3.0 GPA or higher; financial need

ADAM YAHIEL DIAZ MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Adam Yahiel Diaz, an extraordinarily gifted young man who touched the hearts of all he met and overcame seemingly impossible obstacles, became not only a 4.0 honor student but also a published scholar who possessed a true and boundless love for learning and serving others. Adam ministered and served countless in need at Crafton Hills College and in the local community. Among many other accomplishments, Adam founded the Bookworm Society, volunteered at the Learning Center, and served as Vice President of Alpha Gamma Sigma. Adam wished to complete a Ph.D. in English literature, continue to publish and teach, and serve the community further as a priest in the Orthodox Christian Church. On his way to attend an Orthodox Easter service, Adam was killed in a car accident on Good Friday, April 10, 2015.

Criteria: Awarded to a student who demonstrates through superior performance in any three (3) or more courses in Humanities; Humanities coursework which may include religious studies, literature, art history, philosophy, and teacher education; candidate may aspire to teaching and/or serving the Christian community and/or pursuing other service professions or communities

AMANDA B. MARKEY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Amanda Breanne Markey was a beautiful, confident, and vibrant young woman, a scholar, and an active contributor to the Crafton Hills College community. As a member of the first cohort of Master Students, she assisted countless students to navigate the complexities of enrollment, and became a spokesperson for the program. Articulate, approachable, and patient, Amanda showed the highest degree of concern and compassion for the students she helped. She completed three Associates degrees in Psychology and Sociology with a 3.95 grade point average in December 2014 and was working in her beloved CHC Library before transferring to a university. Her goal was to be a school psychologist.

Criteria: Awarded to a student who demonstrates scholastic excellence, GPA of 3.0 or higher, and has supported, guided, and empowered other CHC students.

ASSOCIATED STUDENT BODY OF CRAFTON HILLS COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP

Every student enrolled at Crafton Hills College is a member of the Associated Students. The Student Senate is the governing board of the Associated Students. The Crafton Hills College Student Senate sponsors this scholarship.

Criteria: Awarded to Crafton Hills College students; GPA of 2.0 or higher; who have shown exemplary involvement in the community and on campus; and have an AS sticker

BETTY BYRON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS

“Betty was always an active member of our campus community and her spirit and vitality will be deeply missed,” said former Crafton Hills College President Gloria Macías Harrison. A librarian at CHC for 29 years, she was appointed head librarian in 1986; her great love was to help people succeed. She initiated a college intern program in which CHC students in the Computer Information Science program created websites for Yucaipa elementary schools. Betty was also an accomplished master potter and was well known for her artistry in ceramics. Among the many honors and accolades she received during her career were CHC’s 1993 Professor of the Year, and she was recognized by the University of Redlands’ Town and Gown for her efforts in bringing art to education. Her husband Ed Yarnelle established the Betty Byron Memorial Scholarships upon her death on February 7, 2005.

Criteria: Crafton Hills College student interested in fine arts; GPA of 2.5 or higher. Crafton Hills College student interested in library science; GPA of 2.5 or higher

CARLETON W. LOCKWOOD MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Carleton W. Lockwood, a civil engineer in Rialto, was well known for his top-rate engineering skills, his invaluable contributions to Rialto’s city development, and his strong principles and trustworthiness. In addition to doing many jobs in the Inland Empire, Lockwood Engineering and Surveying Company also worked on various jobs in Nevada for the military in the early 1960s, including working in Area 51 on the runway for the now famous SR-71 reconnaissance jet. Because he believed education was one of the highest priorities in the success of a community and nation, he ran for and was elected to serve as a trustee for the San Bernardino Community College District Board of Trustees. He served in that position for 22 years, and for 11 years as a board member of the West San Bernardino County Water District. Carleton earned his Bachelors of Civil

Engineering from Clarkson College of Technology in Potsdam, New York. Following graduation, he moved his family to California, where he worked for the California State Highways, S.B. Barnes Structural Engineers, and C.E. Johnson in Rialto before establishing the Lockwood Engineering Firm.

Criteria: Awarded to a continuing Crafton Hills College student; engineering, math or science career; GPA of 3.0 or higher

CATHOLIC CHARITIES “PROVIDING HELP, CREATING HOPE” SCHOLARSHIP

Catholic Charities’ “Providing Help, Creating Hope” Scholarships are intended to invest in low-income students whose education will provide them with opportunities to work in the helping professions, and thereby play a role in strengthening local families and communities in the Inland Counties. These scholarships are offered at numerous institutions of higher education throughout Riverside and San Bernardino Counties. The Catholic Charities’ motto of “Providing Help, Creating Hope” challenges scholarship recipients to do the same in their local communities upon the completion of their education. Recipient must submit a “Thank You Letter” addressed to the Board of Directors of Catholic Charities.

Catholic Charities is a 501(c)3 public benefit corporation that provides a range of necessary social services to all persons regardless of religious affiliation throughout San Bernardino and Riverside Counties.

Criteria: Continuing full-time Crafton Hills College student; helping professions major; 2.5 GPA; must have completed 12 units at CHC; financial need considered

CHARLES H. BEEMAN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Charles Beeman and his brother Jerry owned and operated Beeman’s Pharmacy in San Bernardino and Redlands for many years. He served as an elected trustee of the San Bernardino Community College District for 25 years. Charles earned his Baccalaureate at USC where he graduated from the School of Pharmacy. He was an accomplished track athlete at San Bernardino Valley College and San Bernardino High School and he coached track and cross-country at San Bernardino Valley College for five years, including the 1980 Mission Conference Cross Country Champions. Charles served on the Board of Directors of the San Bernardino Area Chamber of Commerce, the Highland YMCA, and the Republican Central Committee. “Chuck,” as everyone called him, passed away in February 2008.

Criteria: Awarded to a Crafton Hills College graduate planning to transfer to a four-year institution; completed at least 24 units in residency at Crafton Hills College; pursuing a course of study in the health profession; alternative majors in science and engineering also considered; GPA of 3.0 or higher

CHC FOUNDATION RE-ENTERING STUDENTS SCHOLARSHIP

These awards are provided by the Crafton Hills College Foundation to encourage re-entering students who show scholastic promise.

Criteria: Awarded to a re-entry student, 25 years of age or older; prior academic experience at Crafton Hills College; GPA of 2.0 or higher

CHC MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship was created by combining small accounts into a general memorial fund by the CHC Foundation. Donations were received by the Foundation in memory of the following individuals: **Marie Deming, William Dufosse, Jay C. Edwards, Kenneth Grub, Harold Pigott, David F. Rettig, Michael David Shorb, Deborah Springer**

Criteria: This scholarship is awarded to a student with teaching as a goal; a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher; and a need for financial assistance

CHILDREN'S FUND SCHOLARSHIP

The Children's Fund serves as a safety net for the at-risk children in our local communities. They give vulnerable children support, opportunities and hope by breaking destructive cycles through community partnerships.

Criteria: Awarded to foster youth under the jurisdiction of the San Bernardino County Department of Children's Services or emancipated foster youth from San Bernardino County; must be less than 26 years old; pursuing a degree or a certificate in an occupational or vocational program; GPA of 2.5 or higher; demonstrated financial need based on "FASFA" form, and who, after exhausting all other sources of institution support, continue to demonstrate financial need.

COLONEL LEON H. BERGER, USAF, RET. MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Col. (RET.) Leon H. Berger graduated from West Point in 1941, served in the United States Air Force during World War II and retired to Dayton, Ohio after 20 years of service to the military. He taught at the University of Dayton for a short time and then fully retired. The Colonel Leon H. Berger Scholarship was established by his sister Nelda Rankin in 2004.

Criteria: Continuing full-time Crafton Hills College student majoring in education; GPA of 3.0 and financial need should be considered

COMMUNITY FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

The Community Foundation is a non-profit, philanthropic organization that manages the permanent endowment funds of Tillie Ayres, William Brooks, Ida Bruce, Charles Brouse, Leon Heseman, and Elizabeth Vermillion. The Foundation's mission is to enhance the lives of individuals in Riverside and San Bernardino Counties.

Criteria: The recipient must be a permanent resident of Riverside or San Bernardino County; a full-time student; maintain a GPA of 3.0 (or 2.75 GPA if enrolled in certificate program); and have a financial need

DIANA HARRISON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

In loving memory of Diana Gloria Harrison Martinez, a beloved daughter, wife, sister, aunt, cousin, friend, mentor, committed light giver and source of positivity who passed away suddenly in June 2017 at the age of 45. For over 25 years, Diana embraced public service through her leadership at the family-owned newspaper group. She managed the papers with professionalism and grace, tirelessly seeking out and highlighting the endeavors, accomplishments and spirit of a community she regarded as family. Diana's warmth, exuberance and compassion are deeply missed, and her memories are forever cherished. This scholarship was established in 2018 by her

parents, Bill and Gloria Harrison to honor her by carrying on and continuing the good works and support of the many organizations and charities, children, youth and young adults she and her family support and encourage.

Criteria: Female student who has completed at least 24 units at Crafton Hills College and will be continuing her studies in the subsequent fall semester. Optional: Preference given to student studying to become a respiratory therapist.

DIANE KELSEY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Diane Kelsey was a science teacher in Montebello Unified School District for over forty years. She was very inspirational to many students, for she taught English, general science, biology and AP biology and geology during her tenure there. Her attitude toward teaching can be summarized best by this quote, “I am always changing my repertoire; when something works in the classroom, find something that will work better.” During her last year of teaching, she won the award for Outstanding Geoscience Teacher from NAGT (National Association of Geoscience Teachers). She also mentored many teachers, including Richard Hughes, the current full time instructor of the earth science department at Crafton Hills College. Once Professor Hughes began teaching at CHC, Diane continued to run the geology programs at the high school, while at the same time helping with the field program at Crafton Hills. Diane was a great friend, mentor, and above all a wonderful teacher. This scholarship was established in 2014 by Richard Hughes.

Criteria: Awarded to a transferring or continuing Crafton Hills College student interested in pursuing a career in the earth or environmental sciences; GPA of 3.0 or higher

DONALD AND CAROL AVERILL CAREER TECHNICAL EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship was started by community members and colleagues of San Bernardino Community College District, Crafton Hills and San Bernardino Valley College in honor of our former Chancellor, Dr. Donald Averill and his wife, Carol. The former chancellor retired on June 30, 2008.

Criteria: Awarded to a continuing full-time Crafton Hills College student; GPA of 2.0 or higher

DONALD W. HUNT MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Donald Hunt was a member of the San Bernardino Community College District Board of Trustees from 1967 to 1979. A Yucaipa realtor and developer, he was proud to see Crafton Hills College built in his own backyard. He represented the East Valley on the San Bernardino County Board of Education from 1969 to 1983. He was also a founding member of the CHC Foundation. While retired in Arizona, he made a gift of the property which the Foundation used to fund this scholarship.

Criteria: Awarded to a student majoring in a health-related field who has completed a minimum of 12 units (with letter grades) and has a GPA of 3.0 or higher; also has provided personal service to CHC or the community while attending CHC.

DR. CHERYL A. MARSHALL ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP FOR LEADERSHIP & SERVICE

Dr. Cheryl A. Marshall has dedicated her career to higher education, beginning as an instructor of undergraduate and graduate courses in management, organizational behavior, and human resource development. She worked at Crafton Hills College for nine years serving as Vice President of Instruction and President. In 2016 she accepted the Chancellorship of the North Orange County Community College District where she established a District-wide Leadership Academy, and provided support for the Anaheim Union Educational Pledge and North Orange Promise Program. Dr. Marshall earned her doctorate of education from USC and her master of arts in industrial/organizational psychology from California State University, San Bernardino (CSUSB). Dr. Marshall's passion for developing people and organizations has been a primary focus throughout her career. Dr. Marshall established this scholarship in 2018 to recognize and provide support for students who have provided leadership and service while achieving academic success at Crafton Hills College.

Criteria: Student who has volunteered in a significant way at Crafton Hills College demonstrating leadership skills, a commitment to the College, and service to others. Student has maintained a GPA at Crafton Hills College of at least a 3.25 and will be continuing his/her studies at Crafton Hills College.

DR. DIANE PFAHLER SCHOLARSHIP

The Dr. Diane Pfahler Scholarship was established by a group of her students. Dr. Pfahler received her R.N. and B.A. from the Quinnipiac College in Hamden, CT., her M.A., from California State University, San Bernardino and her Ph.D. from the California School of Professional Psychology, Los Angeles. Dr. Pfahler is a professor at CHC and taught at San Bernardino Valley College from spring 1996 to fall 2005 before transferring to CHC. Dr. Pfahler is very active on campus and serves as advisor for the BSU, MEChA, and Psychology Clubs as well as serving as a member of various committees on campus. This scholarship was established and funded by one of her former students.

Criteria: Awarded to a mental health social science major; GPA of 3.5 or higher; continuing Crafton Hills College student or transferring to a four-year institution

EDWARD F. TAYLOR MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

An attorney, Ed Taylor was well known for his knowledge of water law and his service as a Redlands City Attorney. Active in a wide range of community affairs, he brought a rich background to the San Bernardino Community College District Board of Trustees, on which he served from 1967 until his untimely death in 1985. He had a great knack of bringing people with divergent views together in a common cause. He was a founding member of the Crafton Hills College Foundation and a dedicated booster of student scholarships.

Criteria: Crafton Hills College graduate with special emphasis in English or Communications; cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher; transferring to a four-year institution to complete a B.A. or B.S. degree

GLORIA MACÍAS HARRISON SCHOLARSHIP

Gloria Macías Harrison served as President of Crafton Hills College for twelve years and as Vice President of Instruction for six. She taught for 20 years at San Bernardino Valley College, where she was also the Dean of Humanities for three years. She retired in 2011 and was elected to the San Bernardino Community College Board of Trustees in 2012. She was re-elected in 2016, and continues to support education as well as remain an active force in the community by being involved in numerous professional and community service organizations.

Criteria: Awarded to a continuing CHC student who has completed at least 1 year of classes; GPA 2.5 or higher

HARRY C. BERGER SCHOLARSHIP

Harry C. Berger graduated from Missouri School of Mines and Metallurgy as a chemical engineer but decided to obtain more schooling at Tulsa University and earned a degree in petroleum engineering. He worked in South America for two years and returned to California where he continued working in the engineering field for several years. He moved to Wood River, Illinois, and became the General Inspector for the city and eventually retired. The Harry C. Berger Scholarship was established by his sister Nelda Rankin in 2005.

Criteria: Awarded to a Crafton Hills College student continuing to a four-year college; a U.S. citizen; an engineering major; GPA of 3.0 or higher; financial need considered

HEALTH SCIENCE CLUB SCHOLARSHIP

The Club's goal is to assist students in successfully achieving their health science associate degree, transfer, and other healthcare related career goals. The Club's presence is important to represent and assist past, current, and future students by opening up opportunities to various programs and career opportunities.

Criteria: Awarded to a student committed to two consecutive semesters; must attend at least 50% of the Club meetings per semester; must commit to 10 hours of services per semester; at least 7 of the 10 hours must be devoted to HSC associated or sponsored activities and 3 hours may be earned with other Crafton Hills College clubs during the current academic year.

JAMES R. COX MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

James R. Cox began his career in public service in 1967, when he was hired as a patrol deputy with the San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department. During his 25-year law enforcement career, his dedication and integrity led to his promotion through the ranks, and he retired as a lieutenant in 1992 and taught part-time at Crafton Hills College. His family established the James R. Cox Memorial Scholarship upon his death in 2000.

Criteria: Awarded to a student continuing at Crafton Hills College; emergency services career; GPA of 3.0 or higher.

JANE BEITSCHER ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP

Jane Beitscher served Crafton Hills College for more than twenty years as a history professor. During those years, student success was of paramount importance to Jane. A critical element of measuring success was for her students to go on to complete a bachelor's degree. Through the

generosity of this gift, the cost for one student each year will be reduced to help those students complete their degrees.

Criteria: Awarded to a student with a minimum GPA at Crafton of at least a 3.5, student must be going on to a four-year educational institution, student must be majoring in social science, financial need is considered, priority given to students who have been involved in community service projects.

KATHY L. BARTEL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Kathy Bartel, a second-year Respiratory Care student, died September 6, 2001, in a tragic car accident. After raising her two children to adulthood, Kathy decided to return to school and chose the Respiratory Care Program at Crafton Hills College. Although sometimes a struggle, Kathy completed her first year of the Respiratory Care Program and graduated in May 2001 with her Associate in Science Degree in Respiratory Care. Kathy was known for her unceasing devotion to God, her family, her friends, and her goal to be a Respiratory Therapist.

Criteria: Continuing full-time Crafton Hills College student pursuing a course of study in the health profession, cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher

KIWANIS CLUB OF YUCAIPA VALLEY SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is sponsored by the Kiwanis Club of Yucaipa Valley. The Kiwanis Club of Yucaipa is one part of the Kiwanis International, a global organization of volunteers dedicated to changing the world, one community and one child at a time. The Kiwanis Club of Yucaipa performs many community service projects in Yucaipa to help serve children.

Criteria: Awarded to Crafton Hills College students; GPA of 2.5 or higher; who have shown involvement in the community and on campus; and have volunteered at Yucaipa Valley schools

LATINO FACULTY, STAFF AND ADMINISTRATORS ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

The Latino Faculty, Staff and Administrators Association was formed to identify and support the interests and concerns, including the recruitment, retention, education and mentoring of Latino students. The association provides scholarships to assist students with their studies.

Criteria: Awarded to a student with a 2.5 GPA or higher; has completed 30+ transferrable units; with a preference for those students with campus involvement, volunteer or community service, financial need and Latino descent.

MARIE LENA WALLIS OLSON SCHOLARSHIP

Marie Lena Wallis Olson became a secretary shortly after she finished business school. She worked in the business world for a short time and then turned to education when she became secretary to the principal of her local high school. She remained in that capacity for the following years, assisting in school and student activities. The Marie Lena Wallis Olson Scholarship was established by her sister Nelda Rankin, in 2005.

Criteria: Continuing full-time student, education major; GPA of 3.0 or higher; U.S. citizen; financial need considered

MICHELLE E. KONZEM MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Michelle Konzem, a 1991 Yucaipa graduate, died in a tragic automobile accident on March 21, 2004, in Santa Fe, New Mexico, where she had been working and residing the previous eight years. She was planning on returning to the Yucaipa area and re-entering Crafton Hills College for the 2004 summer semester, majoring in the health sciences. She was a devoted lover of ALL nature, animals in particular, and was a foster “mom” for the Espanola Animal Shelter in Espanola, New Mexico.

Criteria: Continuing full-time Crafton Hills College student; 30 years of age or older; GPA of 3.0 or higher; financial need considered; recipient should receive no more than one (1) other scholarship from Crafton Hills College

MOLLY ADAMS ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP FUND AT THE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

This scholarship, from The Community Foundation serving Riverside and San Bernardino Counties, assists disabled students/youth.

Criteria: Awarded to a student with a mental, physical, or learning disability or impairment; a permanent resident of Riverside or San Bernardino Counties; may be enrolled full-time or part-time

OSHER FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is administered through the Foundation for California Community Colleges. It began via the largest donation in California Community College history, from the Bernard Osher Foundation. The scholarship is awarded to the neediest of students who are BOG Waiver eligible and working toward a degree.

Criteria: Continuing full-time Crafton Hills College student; completion of 24 units; BOG waiver eligibility

PETER LAABS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Peter Laabs was a student at Crafton Hills College from 1981 until his untimely death in 1984. He was very active in the DSPTS program and Theatre Arts. Peter will long be remembered at Crafton Hills College for his enthusiastic involvement in theatre productions, especially for his outstanding performance in the lead role of The Elephant Man, using his cerebral palsy condition in his acting. He was a great inspiration to the students and staff of Crafton Hills College.

Criteria: Awarded to full-time disabled student in good standing; with a GPA of 2.5 or higher

PSYCHOLOGY CLUB SCHOLARSHIP

The Psychology Club is a service club for students interested in pursuing degrees in Psychology. The Club provides Christmas presents and food cards to all children of the EOPS/CARE/CalWORKs Programs, and are delivered at a party with Santa! The Club members also do scholarly research to submit for presentation at the Western Psychological Conventions. The students also produce the annual newspaper, PSYCHED!

Criteria: Awarded to a full-time student who has been an active member of the Psychology Club for a minimum of one semester; with a GPA of 2.5

RAYMOND F. ELLERMAN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

As a former Chancellor of the San Bernardino Community College District, Ray Ellerman was involved in the planning and building of Crafton Hills College. He held the position of Chancellor during the first nine years of the College's operation. After serving in the South Pacific during World War II, he obtained his doctorate from the University of Southern California. Dr. Ellerman came to San Bernardino Valley College in 1957, where he served as Vice President of Business. A highly respected administrator, he was also a financial wizard, completing the construction of Crafton Hills College on a pay-as-you-go basis. When the College was completed, the bonded indebtedness was zero.

Criteria: Music major; cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher; must be enrolled in six units; demonstrated ability on a musical instrument; participated in one or more instrumental performing groups.

RAYMOND PRYKE MEMORIAL HONORS AWARD

Raymond Pryke was born in England in 1923. At age 18 he enlisted in the Royal Air Force and was sent to Texas for flight training. He was among the forces at D-Day flying over Normandy to protect the invading US forces. Pryke developed a love for the United States during his time here for flight training, and so he settled in the Los Angeles area, developing a very successful real estate business. Pryke became a U.S. citizen in 1954, although he retained his British and Canadian citizenship as well. After becoming involved as a foreman of the San Bernardino Civil Grand Jury, he acquired a newspaper and embarked on a career in journalism. Over time he founded, owned, or acquired ten newspapers. At the time of his death in February 2015 at age 91, Pryke was the owner and publisher of Valleywide Newspapers, based in the High Desert. Passionate about exposing political corruption and the right to free speech, Pryke was an astute researcher and a consummate storyteller. He also believed in the importance of involvement in one's community.

Criteria: Honoring Ray Pryke's interests and abilities, this Scholarship will be awarded to a student in the College Honors Institute who has demonstrated academic excellence, research skills, and overall involvement in the Crafton Hills College and College Honors Institute communities. The scholarship recipient should be graduating from CHC and transferring to a four-year institution.

REDLANDS SUNRISE ROTARY SCHOLARSHIP

The Rotary Club of Redlands has a history of supporting community projects and education. The fundamental Rotary concept of "Service above Self" is integrated into its long-standing commitments to a wide range of local and international projects and causes.

Criteria: Awarded to students pursuing a certificate for a career technical education (CTE); financial need strongly considered; preference for students who have overcome a significant challenge to attend college; priority given to students involved in community service.

RESEARCH CLUB SCHOLARSHIP

The Research Club is for Psychology students who are interested in working on scholarly research projects to submit for presentation at a variety of Psychology conferences or conventions.

Criteria: Active member of the Research Club for one semester; enrolled full time, GPA of 2.5; must have a poster accepted at the Western Psychological Association of award year

ROGER C. ANTON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

As the second President of Crafton Hills College, Roger C. Anton served with distinction from 1974 until his untimely death in 1976. A native of Chihuahua, Mexico, he received his M.A. degree from UCLA. He was a Fulbright scholar at the University of Valladolid in Burgos, Spain. Roger served in varying capacities at San Bernardino Valley College from 1946 to 1974, including Foreign Language Department Chair, Tennis Coach, Faculty Senate President, Humanities Division Dean, and Dean of the Evening College.

Criteria: Awarded to a student with classroom teaching as an educational goal; completed 55 lower division units and intends to graduate from Crafton Hills College with a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher; must have taken the equivalent of three semesters of foreign language; will transfer to a four-year college; is a U.S. citizen.

RONALD L. BOATMAN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Ronald L. Boatman was a field geologist and Crafton Hills College Earth Science professor. His love of geology, oceanography, and geography was a great inspiration to many Crafton Hills College students. He was a mentor and advisor to student clubs, and was active in the Crafton Hills Open Space Conservancy. His ability to motivate students to do their very best reached far beyond earth science instruction, as Ron was a sincere friend to all. His family and friends established the Ronald L. Boatman Memorial Scholarship upon his death on June 17, 2003.

Criteria: Awarded to a Crafton Hills College student interested in pursuing a career in the Earth Sciences; transferring to a 4-year institution; GPA of 2.5 or higher

RUBEN FINKELSTEIN SCHOLARSHIP

Ruben Finkelstein contributed the land on which both Crafton Hills College and Yucaipa High School were built. The 500-acre College site, formerly a cattle ranch, was given to the District in 1966. Ruben and his brother Lester operated Southwest Steel Rolling Mill in Los Angeles. A very down-to-earth person, Ruben gave more than land – he participated in the CHC Foundation for 21 years and frequently attended College functions. Many still remember when the entire CHC convocation audience sang “Happy Birthday” to him on his 90th birthday. He died in 1993, leaving behind a College that is a legacy to his support for education and his love for people.

Criteria: Completion of 24 units at Crafton Hills College with a GPA of 3.5 or higher with letter grades in all classes attempted; provided special service to the College; registered in 12 or more units for the next school year at Crafton Hills College

RUTH L. TILLMAN SCHOLARSHIP

The Ruth L. Tillman Scholarship was established by her family to encourage students who live in Calimesa to go into some aspect of public service. Ruth L. Tillman was a high school counselor

for over 30 years. She came from a very poor immigrant family who never had a chance to receive a formal education. She was the first in her family to graduate from high school, let alone college. Mrs. Tillman worked very hard to make her life and her children's lives better. She worked throughout her education and ultimately earned a Master's in Sociology. She was a loving mother, great friend, and caring counselor. She believed in the power of knowledge and encouraged everyone she touched to be the best person they could possibly be.

Criteria: Crafton Hills College student or graduate who lives in Calimesa; GPA of 2.5 or higher; interest in public service

SAN MANUEL BAND OF MISSION INDIANS ISEEK SCHOLARSHIP

The San Manuel Band of Mission Indians supports the Crafton Hills College Foundation's Increasing Student Engagement, Employment & Knowledge (ISEEK) program. The ISEEK program combines scholarships and student employment opportunities to help students stay connected with the college, succeed in their classes, and reach their educational goals. On-campus student employment helps students pay for enrollment fees, textbooks, transportation and other expenses that may otherwise interfere with their ability to stay in school. Scholarships encourage student success, relieve financial burden, offer inspiration and validate the importance of education.

Criteria: Awarded to a student continuing at Crafton Hills College or transferring to a four-year institution. Evidence of engagement; for example: participation in clubs, student employment, and participation in college events.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON STEM SCHOLARSHIP

Edison International believes that education is critical to maintaining and growing a vibrant society. Our educational partnerships nurture the imaginations and foster the academic success of the future workforce. The company's support within this arena focuses on science, technology, engineering and math (STEM), all of which help to build a foundation for student empowerment and innovation. We aim to power future generations to greatness through these four areas of academics, with the hope that we can inspire today's students to achieve a brighter future.

Criteria: Awarded to a new or continuing Crafton Hills College student pursuing a certificate or associates degree in a STEM field, or preparing to major in a STEM field when they transfer to a 4-year institution

STUDENT MATHEMATICS LEAGUE SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is awarded to the students who earned the top two scores for the American Mathematics Association of Two Year Colleges (AMATYC) Mathematics League competition on the Crafton Hills College campus.

STUDENT SENATE SCHOLARSHIP

The Student Senate exists to serve current and future students, by establishing a foundation that fosters involvement, awareness, and unity.

Criteria: This scholarship is awarded to Student Senate members who have displayed outstanding service to both the College and the student government organizations.

TODD BROWNE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Todd Browne attended Crafton Hills College and received his A.A. degree, then went on to receive his B.A. degree at Cal State. After finishing his education, he became a 5th grade teacher while suffering from the disease that would eventually take his life. It is the family's prayer that by establishing this scholarship, Todd's memory will be honored and others will be encouraged in the pursuit of their dream to teach.

Criteria: This scholarship is awarded to a student showing financial need; who is goal oriented, preferably on the path to a teaching career; must be at least part-time and had a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher

WAYNE AND DORIS MILLOY MATHEMATICS SCHOLARSHIP

The CHC Foundation administers a fund established by retired mathematics professor Dr. Wayne Milloy and his wife Doris. Faculty in the Crafton Hills College Mathematics Department also support this scholarship, which is awarded to students who have distinguished themselves as the superior mathematics achievers within the calculus course sequence.

Criteria: Awarded to a Student distinguished as a superior mathematics achiever in the calculus sequence

WILLIAM A. RANKIN, JR., MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

William A. Rankin, Jr., was President of Valve Sales in Montebello. In 1965 he left to establish Rankin-Delux, incorporated in Santa Fe Springs, which became one of the major manufacturers of restaurant equipment in the industry. In 1993, he sold the business and retired in Cherry Valley but continued as a consultant to the company. He continued in that capacity until his death in 2004, when his wife Nelda established the William R. Rankin, Jr., Memorial Scholarship.

Criteria: Awarded to a Crafton Hills College student continuing to four-year college; U.S. citizen; GPA of 3.0 or higher

WIN AND BETTE CARL OSHER SCHOLARSHIP

Winston and Bette Carl cared deeply about family, education and community. Win was a founding member of the CHC Foundation and served many years as its Chief Financial Officer. He also worked more than 30 years for the San Bernardino Community College District and retired as its personnel officer. Bette Carl, who passed away in 2005, was a teacher and programmer analyst. Win believed in the Osher Foundation community college student scholarship endowment. Just prior to his death in 2010, Win established this Osher scholarship to help Crafton Hills College students forever.

Criteria: Continuing full-time Crafton Hills College student; English or Literature major preferred; completion of 24 units; BOG waiver eligible; recipient should receive no more than one (1) other scholarship from CHC

YUCAIPA VALLEY ROTARY CLUB SCHOLARSHIP

Supporting young”er” people to realize their potential – Yucaipa Rotary has given scholarships to students in Yucaipa for almost 60 years. Rotary International is a service organization of friends, leaders and problem-solvers who come together to make positive, lasting change in communities at home and abroad.

Criteria: Awarded to continuing Crafton Hills College student, full-time; minimum 2.5 GPA; financial aid a consideration

YUCAIPA WOMEN’S CLUB PAT ELLIOTT MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The Yucaipa Woman’s Club established this scholarship in memory of Pat Elliott of Calimesa. Pat, who passed away in 2008 at the age of 101, had been an active member of the Yucaipa Woman’s Club for 35 years. She was its longest serving member.

Criteria: Awarded to a woman who has returned to college to continue her education; Yucaipa area resident; Crafton Hills College continuing student; recipient must commit to attending one Yucaipa Women’s Club Meeting.

MEDAL OF DISTINCTION AWARD

Presenter – Academic Senate President, on behalf of the CHC Faculty

These medals, conferred by nomination from the Crafton Hills College faculty and staff, are given to students who have given extraordinary service to the college or shown academic distinction.

PRESIDENT’S AWARD

Presenter – Dr. Kevin Horan, Crafton Hills College President

The President’s Award is supported by the Crafton Hills College Foundation President Circle members and is selected by the CHC President. Recipients of this scholarship are selected from the Medal of Distinction nominees.

AN INVITATION

If you are interested in helping our students through scholarships, we invite you to join other alumni and friends of the College in this rewarding and philanthropic endeavor.

Scholarship Guidelines

Administration

All scholarship funds contributed for student financial assistance are administered and managed by the CHC Foundation. All scholarship funds and awards must be free from illegal restrictions and/or discriminatory provisions. Gifts given to the Foundation are irrevocable.

Award Qualifications

All funds contributed for student financial assistance are awarded on the basis of academic achievement and in conformity with established needs analysis procedures, except where special restrictions are specifically requested by the donor and fit within the purpose and limits of the Foundation.

Selection of Scholarship Recipients

Scholarship recipients will be selected by the College Scholarship Committee or by a designated department committee in conformity to the donor's wishes.

Management of Scholarship Funds

The Foundation welcomes recommendations from donors regarding the use of scholarship funds; however, the Foundation reserves the right to determine all scholarship awards and how scholarship funds are managed.

Types of Scholarships

- *Endowed Scholarship* – For a new endowed scholarship, a minimum gift of \$10,000 is required to establish a perpetual fund or endowed scholarship. Gifts are irrevocable and funds are held and invested, with only earnings awarded.
- *Named Annual Scholarship* – A minimum of \$2,500 is required, or a five-year commitment of \$500 per year to establish this form of scholarship. The annual gift is awarded to recipient or recipients over the five-year period. Unlike the endowed scholarship, this is not a permanent fund.
- *General Scholarship Fund* – Donations in any amount may be made at any time to the Foundation's General Scholarship Fund. The Board may also administer pass-through scholarships on a yearly basis. A fund that falls below \$500 is added to the Foundation's Memorial Scholarship Fund.

For information about the Crafton Hills College Foundation, establishing a scholarship, or supplementing existing scholarships, please contact Michelle Riggs, Development Director, at (909) 389-3391.

