



The Class of 2018 HENAAC Scholars includes **155** students, who received a total of **\$615,179** merit-based academic scholarships or STEM Civic Service Leadership Scholarships. Scholarships ranged from \$500 - \$10,000 to support their STEM undergraduate or graduate education at an accredited 2-year or 4-year college/university in the U.S. or Puerto Rico. Each year, Great Minds in STEM™ (GMiS) invites the current class of HENAAC Scholars to attend the annual HENAAC Conference, where they are recognized for their achievements at the Scholars Meet & Greet and the Student Leadership Awards Show. GMiS provides approximately \$850 in additional conference subsidies for each of its scholars to cover the costs of travel, lodging, and meals, so these scholars can network with their scholarship sponsors and seek internship/employment opportunities at the Career and Graduate Fair.

This year, GMiS received over 1,400 applications to its HENAAC Scholarship Program.

	<b>Recipients</b>	<b>Total Awarded</b>		
<b>Merit-Based Scholarships</b>	148	\$ 609,179		
<b>STEM Civic Service Leadership Scholarships</b>	7	\$ 6,000		
<b>Gender</b>	<b>Ethnicity</b>		<b>Average GPA</b>	
63% Male	83% Hispanic		<b>Summa Cum Laude (3.75 – 4.00)</b>	57%
37% Female	17% Asian, African American or White		<b>Magna Cum Laude (3.50 – 3.74)</b>	21.5%
<b>First-Generation College Student</b>	<b>Residency</b>		<b>Cum Laude (3.00 – 3.49)</b>	21.5%
43% Yes	93% U.S. Citizen		<i>GPA and Academic Ranking are based on the merit-based scholarships</i>	
	4% Permanent Resident			
	3% Temp. Resident/Other			
<b>Classification</b>		<b>Institution Types</b>		
16% Freshmen	20% Senior	79% 4-year, public	56%	Research Institutions
21% Sophomore	10% Masters	15% 4-year, private	90%	ABET Accredited (EAC)
26% Junior	7% Doctoral		59%	Hispanic Serving Institutions

**Since 2000, Great Minds in STEM™ Has Awarded over \$4.2M to More than  
1,400 STEM Students!**

## Fields of Study Represented by Class of 2018

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Aeronautical &amp; Astronautical Eng</li> <li>• Aerospace Engineering</li> <li>• Biochemistry</li> <li>• Biology</li> <li>• Biomedical &amp; Electrical Eng.</li> <li>• Biomedical Engineering</li> <li>• Chemical Engineering</li> <li>• Chemistry</li> <li>• Civil Engineering</li> <li>• Civil &amp; Environmental Eng.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Computer Engineering</li> <li>• Computer Science</li> <li>• Computer Science &amp; Engineering</li> <li>• Computer Science/Software Eng.</li> <li>• Electrical &amp; Computer Eng.</li> <li>• Electrical Engineering</li> <li>• Electrical Engineering/Comp. Sci.</li> <li>• Engineering, General</li> <li>• Environmental Engineering</li> <li>• Environmental Science</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Information Technology</li> <li>• Kinesiology</li> <li>• Mathematics &amp; Comp. Science</li> <li>• Mathematics/Physics</li> <li>• Mechanical Engineering</li> <li>• Mechanical Engineering Tech.</li> <li>• Petroleum Engineering</li> <li>• Robotic Eng./Mathematics</li> <li>• Software Engineering</li> </ul> |
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The fields of study in this class are the STEM majors sought by sponsors. The scholarship applicant pool included a broader array of STEM disciplines.

## Institutions Represented by the Class of 2018

Institution	Type			Institution	Type		
Arizona State University	1	2		Texas A&M University	1	2	
Brigham Young University		2		Texas A&M University, Corpus Christi		2	3
California Lutheran University				Tulane University	1	2	
California State Polytechnic University, Pomona		2	3	United States Military Academy		2	
California State University, Fresno		2	3	University of Alaska Fairbanks		2	
California State University, Long Beach		2	3	University of Arizona	1	2	3
California State University, Los Angeles		2	3	University of California, Berkeley	1	2	
California State University, Monterey Bay			3	University of California, Irvine	1	2	3
California State University, Northridge		2	3	University of California, Los Angeles	1	2	
College of the Canyons			3	University of California, Riverside	1	2	3
Colorado School of Mines		2		University of California, San Diego	1	2	
Columbia University	1	2		University of California, Santa Barbara	1	2	3
Cypress College			3	University of California, Santa Cruz	1	2	3
East Los Angeles College			3	University of Central Florida	1	2	
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University		2		University of Colorado Boulder	1	2	
Florida International University	1	2	3	University of Florida	1	2	
Georgia Institute of Technology	1	2		University of Houston	1	2	3
Harvard University	1	2		University of Houston - Downtown			3
Kent State University				University of Illinois at Chicago	1	2	
Lamar University		2		University of Michigan	1	2	
Los Angeles Mission College			3	University of New Mexico	1	2	3
Louisiana State University	1	2		University of New Orleans		2	
Loyola Marymount University		2		University of Notre Dame	1	2	
Loyola University Chicago				University of Pennsylvania	1	2	
Massachusetts Institute of Technology	1	2		University of Puerto Rico at Mayaguez		2	3
New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology		2	3	University of South Florida	1	2	
Pasadena City College			3	University of Southern California	1	2	
Portland State University		2		University of Texas at Arlington	1	2	3
Purdue University	1	2		University of Texas at Austin	1	2	
Rice University	1	2		University of Texas at Dallas	1	2	
Rio Hondo College			3	University of Texas at El Paso	1	2	3
Rutgers University	1	2		University of Texas at San Antonio		2	3
San Diego State University		2	3	University of Texas Rio Grande Valley		2	3
San Jose State University		2	3	University of Utah	1	2	
Santa Barbara City College			3	West Texas A&M University		2	3
Stanford University	1	2		Western University of Health Sciences			

*Institutional Types: 1=Research Institution; 2=ABET (EAC) Accredited; 3=Hispanic Serving Institution*