



MOVING TRITON COLLEGE FORWARD

Funding Opportunities Newsletter/ March 2021

# **NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Congratulations to Vice President Koslow Martin, Dean Bangura, and the Student Affairs team for securing \$10,000 from the ECMC Foundation! The award, which Triton qualified to apply for as a Project Success participant, will be distributed to students for short-term, nonrecurring emergencies. Project Success is an initiative designed by the U.S. Department of Education to help minority-serving institutions improve student success and institutional outcomes.

# **FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES**

# **FOUNDATION**

# A. Montgomery Ward Foundation

Deadline: April 15, 2021 Award: \$5,000-\$25,000

The A. Montgomery Ward Foundation was established in 1959 to support and strengthen charitable institutions that provide quality educational and cultural programming for the current and future residents of Chicago and its surrounding communities. The Foundation has prioritized projects focused on children and youth, education, and low-income individuals.

https://www.bankofamerica.com/philanthropic/foundation/?fnId=110

# **Mazda Foundation**

Deadline: May 1-July 1, 2021

Award: Unspecified

The Mazda Foundation, the philanthropic arm of Mazda North America, supports projects in the areas of education, literacy, social welfare, scientific research, cross-cultural understanding, and environmental conservation.

https://www.mazdafoundation.org/grant-guidelines/

# **Amgen Foundation**

Deadline: Ongoing

Award: \$10,000 (minimum)

The Amgen Foundation awards grants to local, regional, and international nonprofit organizations whose projects are replicable, scalable, and have a lasting and meaningful affect in their communities. The Foundation is committed to raising the value of science literacy on both local and national levels.

The areas that the Foundation prioritizes within science education are:

- Teacher quality and professional development in math and science: Supports meaningful
  professional development for math and science teachers so that they can positively impact student
  achievement.
- *Pivotal hands-on science experience*: Supports programs that provide students and teachers with hands-on, inquiry-based learning experiences that significantly increase students' excitement about science and scientific careers.

https://www.amgen.com/responsibility/amgen-foundation/amgen-foundation-grants

# **Hearst Foundation**

Deadline: Ongoing

Award: \$50,000-\$500,000

The Hearst Foundation funds educational institutions that demonstrate "uncommon success" in preparing students to thrive in a global society. They prioritize projects focused on college success programming, scholarships, professional development for educators, and development of career pathways in STEM disciplines.

https://www.hearstfdn.org/education

Many of these opportunities are time-sensitive and require a quick response time. Please email <a href="mailto:christinaskasa@triton.edu">christinaskasa@triton.edu</a>, <a href="mailto:raquelcotuno@triton.edu">raquelcotuno@triton.edu</a>, or <a href="mailto:normavillasenor@triton.edu">normavillasenor@triton.edu</a> (or contact us at ext. 3631) if you are interested in any of these funding opportunities.