

Graduate students at Hanover College are encouraged to seek outside scholarships and grants to minimize federal and private student loans.

External scholarship information is voluntarily provided and Hanover College is not liable for any misinformation and does not receive any endorsements of any kind from the listed "external" sources of financial aid.

Be wary of any entity that guarantees you will be selected for a scholarship. If you think you are a victim of a scholarship scam or financial aid fraud, please report it immediately to the U.S. Department of Education's Office of Inspector General at 1-800-MIS-USED or <u>email oig.hotline@ed.gov</u>

Scholarships available to students once they are admitted to the program:

- <u>Chicago Occupational Therapy Scholarship</u> is available for students admitted to or attending a graduate OT program. The applicant must be committed to work in a pediatric private practice setting. This is specifically for students attending a school OR with a permanent mailing address in one of these Midwest states: Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, Ohio, or Wisconsin. Hanover College in Indiana would qualify.
- Lamber-Goodnow Injury Law Team PT/OT Scholarship offers a scholarship of \$1,000 to an applicant who has applied for enrollment in an OT program or who is currently enrolled in an OT program. Applications are due December 1 each year.

Scholarships available to students once they are enrolled in the program:

 <u>AOTF Scholarship</u> offers scholarships for full-time OT students who have completed one year of OT school and are enrolled in an accredited or developing graduate OT program. Applications are submitted by the end of September. Two references are required. Currently, over <u>50 scholarships</u> from AOTF and state OT associations are available. Once you submit one online application, you would be considered for any scholarships you qualify for.

In 2022, 24 states and the District of Columbia offered scholarships to OT students through the AOTF Scholarship Program. Be sure to check your state's offerings and requirements for membership and residence on <u>Available</u> <u>Scholarships</u>

- <u>Becky Burrows Memorial Scholarship</u> provides scholarships in varying amounts, but not exceeding \$1,000 to students reentering the job market, beginning a second career, or seeking to improve professional skills for their current occupation by continuing education in that field. Applicants are due by mid-March.
- <u>HIE Help Center Scholarship</u> awards one annual scholarship for \$1,000 to an undergraduate or graduate students who plans to pursue a career in OT, PT, or SLP. Applicants must be enrolled in an OT program and have a GPA of 3.25 or higher. Applications are due by July 31.

- <u>F.A. Davis Scholarships</u> are available to students enrolled in an OTD program.
- <u>Med Travelers Scholarship</u> of \$5,000 is offered twice a year to current OT, PT, SLP, and School Psychology students. Applications, due by the end of April, require a written essay.
- <u>Ruby Newhall Memorial Scholarship (International Students Only)</u> provides scholarship funds up to \$1,500 for international students pursuing a degree in a field of study that will improve the quality of life in the community in their home country.
- <u>Alpha Kappa Alpha Educational Advancement Foundation, Inc.</u> awards scholarships based on merit as well as financial need to full-time students enrolled in a graduate program. Applications are due by mid-August.
- <u>Gen and Kelly Tanabe Scholarship</u> awards a merit-based scholarship for high school, college, and adult students.
- <u>Paul & Daisy Soros Fellowships for New Americans</u> offers scholarships for immigrants and children of immigrants who are pursuing graduate education.
- <u>Scholarships available for adult and nontraditional learners</u>
- <u>American Association on Health and Disability</u> scholarship for students with a disability pursuing graduate studies.
- List of 40 graduate scholarships for minority students
- Scholarships and resources available for Hispanic and Latino students
- Hispanic Scholarship Fund
- Big Future Scholarship Directory
- Department of Veterans Affairs
- <u>Folds of Honor</u> Offers scholarship opportunities to dependents and/or spouses of fallen or disabled US services members and first responders.
- <u>Indiana AHEC</u> Indiana AHEC Scholars is a two-year program designed to improve a health professions student's practice readiness skillset. Scholars is intended for students who have a strong interest in providing care to those living in rural and medically underserved communities across Indiana
- <u>East Indiana AHEC Travel Grants</u> East Indiana AHEC offers an annual cycle of mini-grants to support communitybased clinical training and service learning for health professions students at all levels, from certificate programs to graduate degrees.

Once we are an accredited program (August 2025), the following would be available to students:

- <u>AMBUCS Scholarship</u> offers scholarships for US citizens in accredited OTD program. Awards are based on financial need, commitment to the local community, character for compassion and integrity, and career objectives. Applications accepted from February 1 through May 1. Applications sponsored by a volunteer chapter of AMBUCS receive priority consideration. <u>Find your local AMBUCS chapter.</u>
- <u>Daughters of the American Revolution Healthcare Scholarships</u> offers annual scholarships of \$2,000 based on financial need. Applicants must be a US citizen planning to attend or attending an accredited OT program.
- <u>AOTA E.K. Wise scholarship</u> offers three awards of \$2,500 each year to students enrolled in or accepted in an accredited OT program. Application deadline is the end of March.