

MISSION: *To support and advance the education and culture of the Asian/Pacific Islander community through awarding educational scholarships, grants, and providing training.*

FUTURE VISION & GOALS

- * To continue to expand its community involvement.
- * To maintain its leadership role in support of America’s diverse cultures, rich heritage, and commitment to preserving families and youth.
- * To support and encourage youth leadership, continued learning, and family values.

THOUGHTS FROM PRIOR SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

“Receiving the APSEA scholarship has a special significance because it came from the Asian community. I really believe that this scholarship is a way of allowing the younger generation of Asian Americans to attain the educational and career aspirations.”

- Sarah Kurien, UC Berkeley Student

“In part the APSEA scholarship helped me to fund my college education which I see as a major step towards my law career.”

- Byron Chen, Rice University of Texas Student

HISTORY & BACKGROUND

The Asian State Employees Association (APSEA) Foundation was established in 1999. The Foundation is a 501(c) (3) Federal tax-exempt entity. Bequests, transfers and gifts to the Foundation are deductible for federal estate and gift tax purposes. The Foundation will focus on recognizing and supporting achievements in the pursuit of academics, arts, music, sports, and contribution/service to the community.

Prior to the California APSEA organization since 1975, the organization began to fund several \$50 to \$200 scholarships to high school seniors who pursued post-secondary education from its limited treasury in 1983. Through subsequent years, the organization has awarded to Asian Pacific Islander youth over \$120,000 in larger scholarships that are now awarded in \$1,000 increments. Previous and current sponsors to the scholarship program have been KCRA Channel 3, Sacramento Bee newspaper, Asian Pacific Rim Foundation, Japanese American Citizens League (JACL), Frank Fat Foundation, California State Lottery, and other community organizations.

SHOW YOUR SUPPORT TODAY!

APSEA Foundation Donation Form

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- or, Create An Individualized Scholarship

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SUPPORTER'S COMMENTS

"California's high schools are filled today with the future leaders of our state. The API State Employees Scholarship Foundation makes sure these students have every chance to achieve their goals by offering financial assistance for college. The API State Employees scholarship fund connects students who will make a remarkable difference with the means to reach their goals."

-- Congressman Robert T. Matsui

"APSEA could not have selected a better legacy to represent its organization than the APSEA Foundation which helps to fund and encourage the next generation of achievers to make a mark in all professions, in public policy, community service and government with the ultimate goal of improving the quality of life for all."

-- Maeley Tom
Co-Founder, California Asian Legislative Caucus

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