# FUNDING YOUR EDUCATION



# **OVERVIEW**

#### WHAT FUNDING IS AVAILABLE?

- > Scholarships (UW Tacoma and Milgard)
- > Loans (Federal, Private, Short-term and International)
- > Former and Current Military
- > Graduate Funding Information Services
- > Education Tax Credit
- > Student Fellowships & Awards



# **OUR MISSION**

The Milgard School of Business cultivates business leaders through cutting edge and personally accessible education, diverse scholarly exploration, and innovative community engagement while promoting social responsibility. We inspire students to become lifelong learners.



### **SCHOLARSHIPS**

- > UW Tacoma General Scholarship Application
  - Opens early March / Closes late April
  - https://www.tacoma.uw.edu/finaid/general-scholarship
- > Financial Literacy Scholarship
  - Closes late November
  - https://www.tacoma.uw.edu/business/financial-literacy-scholarship
- > Milgard School of Business
  - Closes early May
  - https://www.tacoma.uw.edu/business/scholarships



# **LOANS**

- > Federal
  - FAFSA4caster: <a href="https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa">https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa</a>
  - FAFSA Code: 003798
- > Private
- > Short-term
- > International

# For more information, please visit:

https://www.tacoma.uw.edu/finaid/loans

https://www.edupass.org/financial-aid/

https://www.iefa.org/



#### FORMER AND CURRENT MILITARY

- > Veteran and Military Resource Center
  - https://www.tacoma.uw.edu/vmrc
- > Applying for Benefits
  - https://www.tacoma.uw.edu/vmrc/apply-benefits

#### **Contact:**

https://www.tacoma.uw.edu/vmrc/contact



#### **GRADUATE FUNDING INFORMATION SERVICES**

- > Get Started: https://www.lib.washington.edu/commons/services/gfis/gfis/
- > Hours of Operation

Monday – Friday: 9am-5pm

Research Commons: 206-685-1113

Allen Library South, Ground Floor University of Washington Box 352900 Seattle, WA 98195-2900



## **EDUCATION TAX CREDIT**

The Internal Revenue Code provides both tax credits and deductions that may be taken to reduce the federal income tax burden for students, or those paying the costs of a student's higher education. Credits directly reduce the amount of income tax owed, while deductions reduce the amount of taxable income upon which taxes are computed.

## For more information, please visit:

https://finance.uw.edu/sfs/tax/credits



# STUDENT FELLOWSHIPS & AWARDS

Fellowships are competitive, merit-based scholarships that provide financial support for undergraduate or graduate study, research, social justice or public service work, international travel, and graduate school. They can range from short, quarter-long opportunities to multiple years of funding. Applying for a fellowship takes time, effort, and dedication, and offers a great opportunity for personal reflection. Watch the video tutorial on the right to learn more.

# For more information, please visit:

https://www.tacoma.uw.edu/oga/sf

