

2016-2017 CHA SCHOLARSHIPS AT A GLANCE:

SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED:

230 scholarships totaling \$268,000

- 2 Awards at the \$5,000 level
- 20 Awards at the \$2,500 level
- 208 Awards at the \$1,000 level

Over the last three years: 534 scholarships totaling \$850,000

WHO THEY ARE:

- 99 returning scholarship winners
- 73 first-year students starting college this fall
- 58 returning college students receiving an award for the first time
- 20 recipients pursuing an advanced degree, such as a Masters or Doctorate
- 46 heads of household

Housing Type:

- 158 Housing Choice Voucher households
- 72 Public Housing households

Youngest Awardee: Age 17 **Eldest Awardee:** Age 65 **Average Awardee Age:** 23

Class standing of Bachelors and Associate Degree awardees:

- Freshmen: 73 • Sophomores: 52 • Juniors: 47 • Seniors: 38 • Average GPA: 3.3
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WHERE THEY'RE FROM

- Zip Codes Represented: 37
- CHA Developments Represented: 26

WHERE THEY ATTEND SCHOOL

- 90 colleges represented by award winners

PUBLIC UNIVERSITIES: University of Illinois Chicago, Southern Illinois University, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, University of Illinois Springfield, Illinois State University, Chicago State University, University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff, University of Iowa, Texas Southern University and University of Wisconsin-Madison.

PRIVATE SCHOOLS: Columbia College, DePaul University, Roosevelt University, Northeastern Illinois University, Loyola University, Art Institute of Chicago, Illinois Wesleyan University, Vanderbilt University, Howard University, Agnes Scott College, Denison University, Hampton College, Haverford College, Syracuse University, Spelman College, Temple University, Fisk University, Monmouth College, and Clark Atlanta University.