



TODAY'S LGBTQ STUDENTS... tomorrow's leaders



NOT JUST AN LGBTQ SCHOLARSHIP BUT...
MENTORING, LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT & HOPE



POINT FOUNDATION IS THE NATION'S LARGEST SCHOLARSHIP-GRANTING ORGANIZATION FOR LESBIAN, GAY, BISEXUAL AND TRANSGENDER (LGBT) STUDENTS OF MERIT. INDIVIDUALS ENROLLED IN EITHER AN UNDERGRADUATE OR GRADUATE PROGRAM, BEGINNING OR CONTINUING IN THE FALL OF 2010, ARE ELIGIBLE TO APPLY.

Point Foundation (Point) provides financial support through multi-year **scholarships, leadership training, mentoring and hope** to LGBTQ students who are marginalized because of their sexual orientation, gender identity or gender expression. The organization provides its scholars with the financial ability to attend the nation's foremost higher educational institutions and its donors and mentors with the rare satisfaction of directly **investing their resources and time in future generations of leaders.**

Point Foundation believes in rewarding these individuals who endure the daily harassment and abandonment of family, friends, educational institutions and communities with the opportunity of higher education. Through Point's scholarship, the organization empowers its scholars

and gives them the support and encouragement to excel both academically and personally.

Who qualifies for a Point Scholarship?

Applicants should visit Point's website to review current Point Scholars' biographies and assess the type of scholars that are generally selected. Applicants do not need straight A's to apply, yet Point is looking for individuals who have proven leadership skills, excellent scholastic achievements, and want to make a difference in the world. All applicants are evaluated on the totality of their situation including **academic accomplishments, financial, emotional and social need, leadership within extracurricular and career-related activities, personal circumstances and goals for the future.**



New information for the 2010-2011 academic year will be available in November 2009 at www.pointfoundation.org. Applications will be accepted online between December 11, 2009 and February 12, 2010. The application is **ONLY** available online.