

SCHOLARSHIPS

- **Helena Rubinstein Continuing Education Scholarship**

The Helena Rubinstein Continuing Education Scholarship Fund for Career Advancement Limited scholarships are available to cover up to 90% of tuition for individuals who seek to advance their careers through education and training, and who do not have access to other sources of funding that can pay for tuition and fees. Scholarship applicants may also be disadvantaged individuals who are unemployed or seeking a career change. For more information, visit https://cunySUD.formstack.com/forms/css_fall_2020.

EMPLOYER AND UNION FUNDED PROGRAMS

- **1199SEIU Members**

If you are currently an 1199SEIU member, you may be eligible to receive tuition reimbursement. To obtain reimbursement for a continuing education course, you must submit a completed application with all supporting documents to the Training and Upgrading Fund within 90 days of completing the course. For questions or an application, call the Tuition Assistance Hotline at 646.473.9200. You can also email training@1199funds.org.

- **DC 37 Members**

Many courses are reimbursable for NYC employees who are members of District Council 37. For general information, to check eligibility, or to request a tuition reimbursement application, call 212.815.1663 or visit District Council37, AFSCME,AFL-CIO.

PUBLICLY FUNDED PROGRAMS

- **ACCES-VR**

Adult Career and Continuing Education Services - Vocational Rehabilitation (ACCES-VR) assists individuals with disabilities to achieve and maintain employment and to support independent living through training, education, rehabilitation, and career development.

Phone: 718.816.4800 or www.acces.nysed.gov/vr/

- **Department of Veterans Affairs**

You may be eligible for VA Education Benefits under the GI Bill. All veterans interested in obtaining information from the VA regarding their eligibility for funding need to have a copy of their DD-214 form. Visit <https://www.va.gov/education/eligibility/> to request official notification of education benefits.

- **Individual Training Grants through Workforce1**

To apply for an Individual Training Grant register online at

http://www.nyc.gov/html/sbs/wf1/html/register/register_now.shtml

- **Independent Training Accounts through HRA**

Find your local representative here: <https://www1.nyc.gov/site/hra/locations/job-locations.page>

- **NYS & CSEA Partnership for Education and Training**

Applications can be created online <https://www.nyscseapartnership.org>,

- **SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program)**

Call 718 368-4870

- Most government issued vouchers.

STUDENT LOANS

- Students may arrange a private loan to help cover educational expenses for certificate programs. The College does not recommend any specific lender or preferred lender arrangement. We recommend thoroughly investigating your loan options before making educational financing decisions.

TUITION REIMBURSEMENT

- The College will accommodate requests for letters of support for reimbursement.

TAX DEDUCTION OF EXPENSES

- An income tax deduction is permitted for expenses of education undertaken to maintain and improve professional skills. Please consult your accountant.