**IT Women 2018-19 Scholarship:**

**\*\* APPLICATION DEADLINE MARCH 2nd \*\***

IT Women’s 2018-2019 scholarship program is now OPEN and looking for this year's best and most deserving young women.  This year, we are proud to announce that we will be funding **eight college scholarships**!

IT Women Charitable Foundation’s college scholarship program supports IT Women’s mission to increase the number of women earning information technology and engineering degrees, as follows:

1) IT Women scholarship recipients will receive $2000/yr. renewable scholarship for four years, for a **total of $8,000**, provided that she maintain a program of    study    in the field of technology or engineering in the STEM academic track.

2) In addition to the monetary gift, IT Women’s Virtual Mentor program pairs a scholarship recipient with a **virtual mentor**who has at least five years working experience.  We have found mentors to be a critical element for success during the college years.

3) Also, each recipient will be assigned an IT Women’s Scholarship Ambassador. Throughout the duration of her study, her ambassador will provide:

- Bi-monthly contact with recipients

- Coordination of **internship and job offers**from IT Women’s sponsoring companies

4) Lastly, all scholarship winners will receive a **bonus care package**with useful gifts for college, courtesy of supportive donors and partners, as well as an invitation for the recipient and her parents to attend the IT Women’s Scholarship Awards Dinner.

**Applications will be accepted through Friday, March 2, 2018.**  The downloadable, fillable application (.pdf) is available at: [**https://itwomen.org/scholarship/**](https://portal-mail.dadeschools.net/owa/redir.aspx?C=HHm9cZyzkp4Vhg-ehP69ugOWaLo-YDbLwqASJAQEk1bdsnzk_3fVCA..&URL=https%3a%2f%2fitwomen.org%2fscholarship%2f)