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## 2007-2008 COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

### APPLICATION FOR CURRENT HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

In its seventh year, the New York Chapter of the National Association of Asian American Professionals (NAAAP-NY) will award three (3) outstanding high school seniors the NAAAP-NY College Scholarship for distinguished performance in the combined areas of academics, extracurricular activities, and community services. Each winner will receive a one-time \$2,500 scholarship toward the use of college expenses.

In addition, one (1) student will receive the Chan Lin Achievement Award. This special \$2,500 scholarship will be awarded to a graduating high school senior who immigrated to the United States within the past five years (with an arrival date no earlier than January 1, 2003).

All three parts of this application must be postmarked on or before **January 31, 2008**. Late or incomplete applications will not be considered. Only one entry per student is allowed. Multiple entries will be disqualified. Finalists will be contacted by the scholarship committee before April 30, 2008.

Asian\* or Asian American students in their senior year at public, private, and parochial high schools in the New York metropolitan area\*\* are eligible to apply. Applicants must also be citizens or permanent residents of the United States.

Please type or print clearly the information requested. Make sure to put your name on all pages.

**PART I:** Complete this questionnaire on both sides and sign where required.

**PART II:** Attach a page listing what you consider to be your most important activities and achievements, including academic honors, community service, work experience, and extracurricular activities. Please include dates and, where appropriate, duration of activity. A copy of your resume highlighting the above may also fulfill this part.

**PART III:** Attach two brief essays (500 words each, double spaced with your name in upper right-hand corner)

- 1) An experience that shaped who you are today.
- 2) How would you increase the visibility and influence of Asian Americans in New York?

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\* As defined by the U.S. Census, Asian refers to people having origins from the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent. It includes Asian Indian, Bangladeshi, Bhutanese, Burmese, Cambodian, Chinese, Filipino, Hmong, Indo Chinese, Indonesian, Iwo Jiman, Japanese, Korean, Laotian, Malaysian, Maldivian, Nepalese, Okinawan, Pakistani, Singaporean, Sri Lankan, Taiwanese, Thai, Vietnamese, and Other Asian not specified.

\*\* Includes in New York: Manhattan, Bronx, Queens, Brooklyn, Staten Island, Nassau, Suffolk, Rockland, Westchester, and Putnam; in New Jersey: Bergen, Essex, Union, Hudson, Passaic and Middlesex; and in Connecticut: Fairfield.

## 2007 Applicant Demographics and Past Winners

37% Male	87% Attend Public School
63% Female	8% Attend Private School
	5% Attend Parochial School
45% Chinese	
17% Indian	82% Reside in New York
11% Korean	18% Reside in New Jersey
9% Filipino	
4% Bangladeshi	3% Parents with No Formal Education
4% Pakistani	9% Parents with Grade School Education
3% Taiwanese	21% Parents with High School Degree
2% Japanese	43% Parents with College Degree
1% Cambodian	24% Parents with Graduate Education
1% Malaysian	
1% Vietnamese	82% U.S. Citizens
1% Other Asian	18% Other Citizens
1% Unknown	

### 2007

Helen Kim, *Archbishop Molloy High School*  
 Dean Marcial, *H. Frank Carey High School*  
 Emily Wen, *Washington Irving High School*  
 Chun Kit Yu, *John Dewey High School*

### 2006

Shao Ping Bao, *High School of Economics and Finance*  
 Gabrielle Choi, *Riverdale Country School*  
 Sabina Khan, *Baccalaureate School for Global Education*  
 William Xing Su, *Wayne Hills High School*

### 2005

Shelley He, *Lafayette High School*  
 Kent Yoon Kim, *Stuyvesant High School*  
 Nina Ma, *Stuyvesant High School*

### 2004

Lamia Khan, *W. Tresper Clarke High School*  
 Samantha Parker, *South Side High School*  
 Jimmy Zhu, *Stuyvesant High School*

### 2003

Vijay Chaudhuri, *Glen Ridge High School*  
 Kitty Chen, *Stuyvesant High School*

### 2002

Wendy Cheung, *Stuyvesant High School*  
 Yin Zhao, *Lehman High School*



**PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN**

**A**  Mr.  Ms.  Mrs. First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Single  Married  Divorced  Widowed Relationship to Student \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Employer \_\_\_\_\_

If self-employed, specify type of business and position held \_\_\_\_\_

Highest Level of Education Completed (check only one)

None  Grade School  High School  College  Graduate School

School of Highest Education Level \_\_\_\_\_ Location \_\_\_\_\_

**B**  Mr.  Ms.  Mrs. First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Single  Married  Divorced  Widowed Relationship to Student \_\_\_\_\_

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**APPLICANT**

I certify that the information contained in this application is true. I understand the scholarship, if awarded, will be used solely for the purpose of paying for college-related expenses.

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about NAAAP-NY College Scholarship Program? \_\_\_\_\_

All three parts of this application must be postmarked on or before January 31, 2008. Late or incomplete applications will not be considered. Mail application to:

**NAAAP-NY Scholarship Committee**  
**P.O. Box 772**  
**Knickerbocker Station**  
**New York, NY 10002**