



# Pearl and Ivy Educational Foundation, Inc.

*Providing College Scholarships in the Nation's Capital*

## 2021 Annual Report



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Have a look at the Pearl and Ivy Educational Foundation, Inc.'s 2021 activity, community engagement & scholarship recipients.



# Our Message

**Established in Washington, D.C. in 1988** by Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., ® Xi Omega Chapter, the **Pearl and Ivy Educational Foundation** is committed to serving the needs of the community through impactful programming and fundraising. Since its inception, the Foundation has granted over \$800,000 in scholarship awards to deserving students from D.C. traditional public high schools and charter schools and students attending four-year institutions nationwide.

**Your generosity helps our scholars achieve their dreams of higher education.**

In this report, we recognize the 2021 contributions of individuals, businesses and more than 600 PIEF member-volunteers.

Thank you for your continued support!

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President

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Executive Director



# Our Message

PIEF is comprised of college-educated, professional women – community volunteers who are dedicated to serving the needs of District residents. Our mission is to provide scholarships to exemplary and deserving high school seniors in the District of Columbia and continuing college students.



PIEF established with focus on higher education for DC students

1<sup>st</sup> Pink Hat Tea

1<sup>st</sup> Norma E. Boyd 5K Race For Education



Awarded \$56,205 in scholarships

Awarded the highest amount of \$86,000 in scholarships

1988

2010

2012

2018

2019

2021

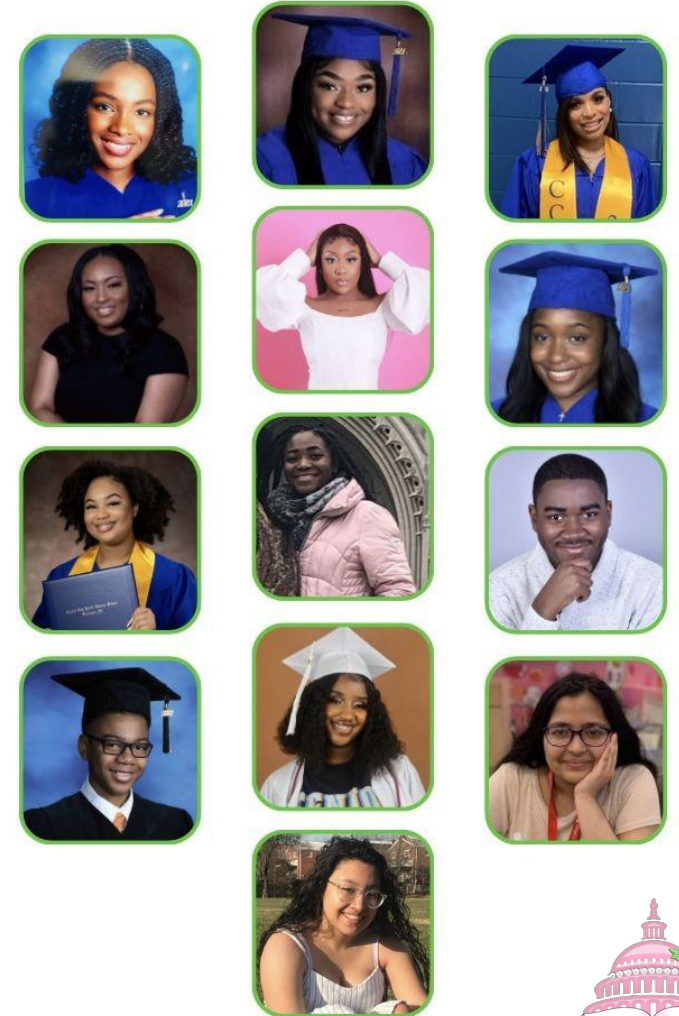
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# Scholarship Program Overview

PIEF has traditionally awarded three sets of annual scholarships:

1. High School Scholarships awarded each spring, open to graduating seniors enrolled in District of Columbia traditional public high schools and public charter high schools;
2. Returning Scholarships awarded to former PIEF high school scholarship recipients enrolled and in good standing at colleges/universities; and
3. Undergraduate Scholarships awarded to members of the three undergraduate AKA chapters supervised by Xi Omega Chapter — Alpha Chapter (Howard University), Beta Lambda Chapter (University of the District of Columbia) and Lambda Zeta Chapter (American University).

The eligibility criteria includes a written application and supporting documentation. High school and renewal scholarships also require an essay on a designated topic.



# Scholarship Program

## HIGH SCHOOL AWARDS

The 2021 PIEF High School Scholars represent a diverse cross-section of students from various socioeconomic backgrounds, including first-generation college students. Thirteen scholars were awarded scholarships, ranging from \$3,000 to \$5,000, to defray their higher education costs.

Name	University	Amount
Ezinne Anyanwu	University of Pittsburgh	\$3,000.00
Reniya Coleman	University of Alabama	\$3,000.00
Camille Jones	North Carolina A&T State University	\$3,000.00
Curtis Lawrence III	Florida A&M University	\$3,000.00
Keily Lopez	State University of New York at Oswego	\$3,000.00
Kanaya McLeod	Winston-Salem State University	\$3,000.00
Xavier Phillips	North Carolina A&T State University	\$3,000.00
Kendal Pully (*Elizabeth Somersille Scholar)	Howard University	\$5,000.00
Hadara Sain	Winston-Salem State University	\$3,000.00
Amana Seaton	The Pennsylvania State University	\$3,000.00
Faria Zannat Sultana	Georgetown University	\$3,000.00
Jessi Thompson-Brown	Fisk University	\$3,000.00
Amoura Wood	Florida A&M University	\$3,000.00
<b>Total Awarded to High School Students</b>		<b>\$41,000.00</b>

# Scholarship Program

## RETURNING SCHOLARS AWARDS

A total of 16 Returning Scholars received an award to continue their college journey.

Name	University	Amount
Donte Batts	Morehouse College	\$2,281.00
Maya Canady	Emory University	\$2,281.00
Dakara Da'Costa	Union College	\$2,281.00
Devin Halliburton	Bucknell University	\$2,281.00
Allegra Jordan Hatem	University of Chicago	\$2,281.00
Raya Henderson	Howard University	\$2,281.00
Diamond Hunter	Temple University	\$2,281.00
Natai Jinfessa	George Mason University	\$2,281.00
Dominique Johnson	Florida A&M University	\$2,281.00
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Abigail Quashie	Johns Hopkins University	\$2,281.00
Maria Sharmin	Temple University	\$2,281.00
Tolani Smith	North Carolina A&T State University	\$2,281.00
Sahara Trask	Spelman College	\$2,281.00
<b>Total Awarded to Returning Students</b>		<b>\$36,496.00</b>

# Scholarship Program

## UNDERGRADUATE AWARDS

Eight undergraduate scholarships were awarded to current members of Alpha (Howard University), Beta Lambda (University of the District of Columbia), and Lambda Zeta (American University) chapters.

Name	University	Scholarship Name	Amount
Jalynn Borders	Howard University	Marjorie Holloman Parker	\$500.00
Shontise McKinney	University of the District of Columbia	Marjorie Holloman Parker	\$500.00
Salome West	American University	Marjorie Holloman Parker	\$500.00
Camille Wilson	American University	Norma E. Boyd International Studies	\$2,500.00
Alexis Washburn	Howard University	Margaret Hill	\$1,000.00
Dejenee Miller	University of the District of Columbia	Emmie Perkins	\$1,000.00
Ayanna Snead	Howard University	Naomi Rushing	\$1,000.00
Basheerah Abdus-Shakur	University of the District of Columbia	Margaret B. Skinner	\$1,000.00
<b>Total Awarded to Undergraduate Students</b>			<b>\$8,000.00</b>



# PIEF in the Community: 2021 Highlights

**#CAP** — In collaboration with our partner, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated, Xi Omega Chapter, PIEF served 40 students through the College Admissions Process Program, known as #CAP. This program helped high school students navigate each step of the admissions process through a series of monthly workshops and related activities. Students had an opportunity to learn more about admissions test, financial aid, scholarships, career options and time management, supported by a grant from the Woodson Center.

**HBCU Support** — PIEF members provided generous support to historically Black colleges and universities through direct donations and fundraising initiatives. Total support exceeded \$50,000 including nearly \$28,000 in scholarships for students attending HBCUs.



# Lasting Legacy: Scholarship Endowment Funds

## SCHOLARSHIP ENDOWMENT FUNDS

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Thank you to our 2021 sponsors, donors and friends for your generous financial support during our 2021 fundraising efforts. Our donors and sponsors remain committed to promoting academic excellence and scholarly pursuits, encouraging positive health practices, and enhancing the professional and personal growth of those in our community.

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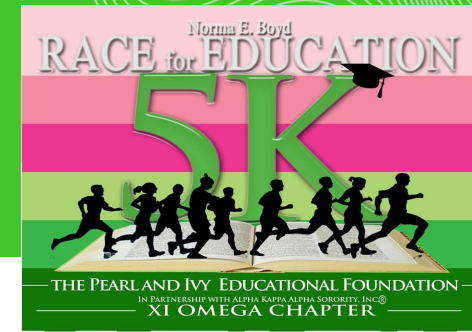
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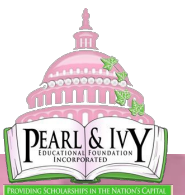


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Saturday, September 18, 2021  
10am - 12:30pm via Zoom

Register @ [www.raceentry.com](http://www.raceentry.com)

Expo registration is included with the Norma E. Boyd 5K Race for Education registration, non-race participants can attend the Expo for \$30

For more information contact Jennifer Coleman at (202)903-6268 or [jmc1908@htr.com](mailto:jmc1908@htr.com)



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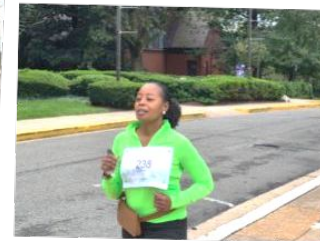
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Magnificent March Birth Month  
Notable November Birth Month  
Outstanding October Birth Month  
Paula's Purpose Forever  
Pearlfection June Birth Month  
Pink Sunshine  
Savvy September Birth Month  
Sexy Chocolate and the Ladies  
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Fiscal Year ended December 31, 2021

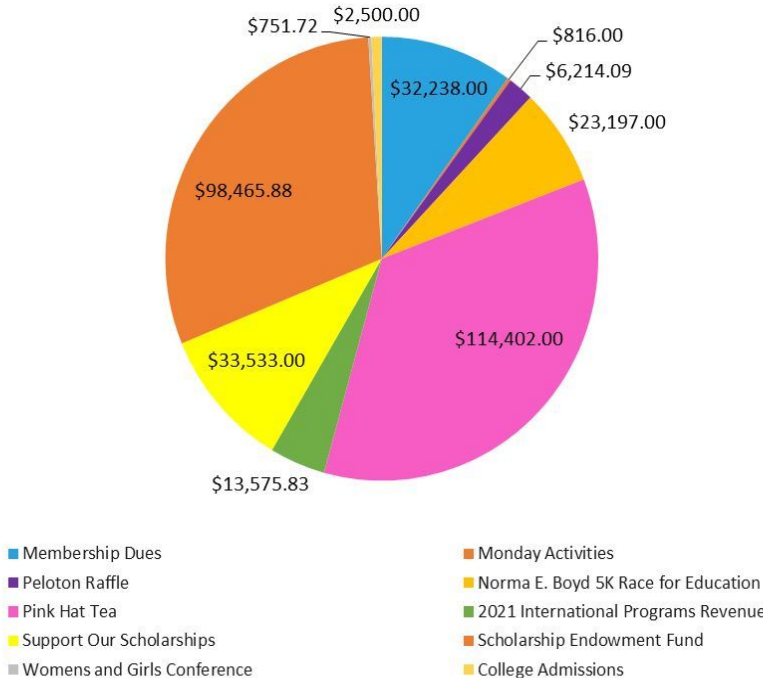
	PIEF 990 for Year 2021	Prior Year 2020	Current Year 2021
REVENUE	Contributions & Grants	\$241,418	\$312,118
	Program Service Revenue	\$25,717	\$13,576
	Investment Income	\$25,908	\$58,570
	Total Revenue	\$293,043	\$384,264
EXPENSES	Grants Paid	\$68,138	\$70,201
	Fundraising Expenses	\$17,292	\$48,588
	Other Expenses	\$123,015	\$106,363
	Total Expenses	\$208,445	\$225,152
	Revenue Less Expenses	\$84,598	\$159,112
	<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$964,346</b>	<b>\$1,103,470</b>



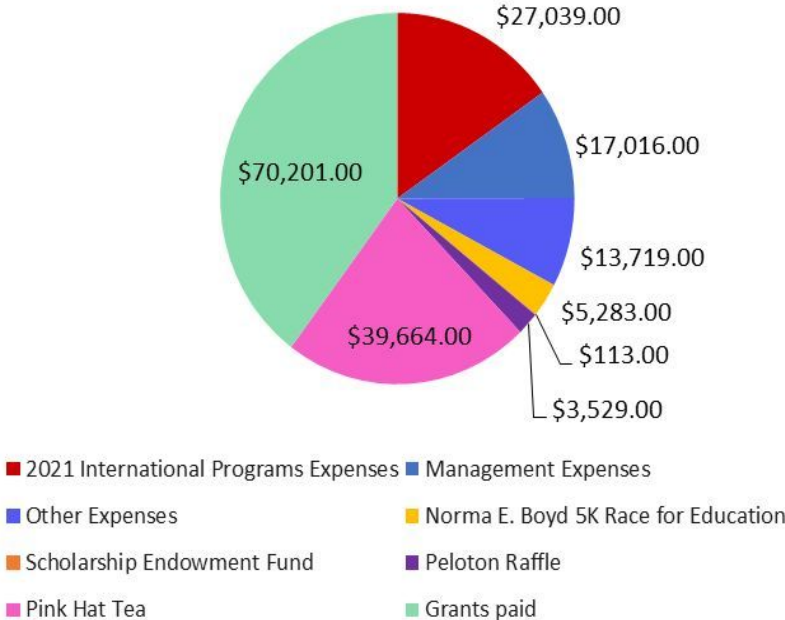
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Fiscal Year ended December 31, 2021

2021 Income



2021 Expenses



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