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Fastweb Working to Connect LGBTQ Students with Educational Opportunities

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In support of Pride Month this June, Fastweb is focusing its efforts to connect the lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and queer student community with beneficial scholarship opportunities. Furthering educational opportunities for all students is a priority at Fastweb (www.fastweb.com), the leading website for scholarship and financial aid information and a member of the Monster.com network.

Rewarding scholarships, grants, fellowships and internships are available to students who identify as lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender or queer, as well as students passionate about advocacy regarding equal rights for the LGBTQ community. Numerous opportunities can be found in Fastweb's featured article, LGBTQ Community Scholarships as well as those that are recognized below, including:

Scholarships:

Gene and John Athletic Scholarship – Award \$5,000

IES Merit-Based David Porter Diversity Scholarship – Award \$5,000

Leroy F. Aarons Scholarship – Award \$3,000

Jeremy D. Protas LGBT Patent Law Scholarship – Award \$1,000

Grants:

Wayne F. Placek Grant – Award \$15,000 Roy Scrivner Memorial Research Grant – Award \$12,000

Additional valuable information on scholarships, grants, internships and much more is available at <u>Fastweb</u>, where the focus is helping all students find ways to pay for school.

About Fastweb:

Fastweb, a top site in the Monster Worldwide (NYSE:MWW) network, is the nation's recognized leader in helping students pay for school, by providing scholarship and financial aid information, as well as information on jobs and internships. One out of three college-bound seniors use the site, and more than 50 million users have benefitted from Fastweb's information and services. Fastweb lets students create personalized profiles that can be matched against its expansive databases of colleges and scholarships. As the oldest and most popular free online scholarship matching service, the database has more than 1.5 million scholarships totaling over \$3.4 billion. To learn more about Fastweb, visit www.fastweb.com and follow on Twitter at @PayingForSchool.

About Monster Worldwide:

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