



## Asian Pacific Islanders for Professional and Community Advancement (APCA) of AT&T

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### ASIAN PACIFIC ISLANDERS FOR PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY ADVANCEMENT (APCA) AWARDS \$6,000 IN SCHOLARSHIPS

**San Ramon, California** – (June 5, 2007) -- Asian Pacific Islanders for Professional and Community Advancement (APCA), an employee resource group of AT&T Inc. and 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, announced today the recipients of its 2007 scholarship program. APCA is awarding a total of \$6,000 in non-renewable scholarships to eight high school seniors during this scholarship cycle.

All of the scholarship recipients will be freshmen this fall and will enter an accredited college/university or vocational school. More than 60 students applied for this year's scholarships.

The scholarship program was open to:

- ✓ All full-time graduating high school seniors in good academic standing (minimum GPA 2.5 on 4-point scale), of any ethnic background, who wish to continue their education at an accredited college (2-year and 4-year) or vocational school.
- ✓ Residents of one of the following nine states or regions where APCA currently has chapters: Arizona, California, Colorado, Georgia, Michigan, New Jersey, New York, Texas, and Washington, D.C.

The APCA Scholarship Program judges were impressed by the scholarship and achievements of all the applicants. APCA is pleased to further its goal of promoting diversity and its advantages throughout our corporation and our communities by granting scholarships to college-bound high school students.

The recipients for this year's scholarships in alphabetical order are as follows:

<b>Name</b>	<b>City, State</b>	<b>High School</b>
<b>Marina Bohn</b>	Clayton, CA	Clayton Valley High School
<b>Michelle Chen</b>	Westlake Village, CA	Westlake High School
<b>Naho Fukushima</b>	Torrance, CA	North Torrance High School
<b>Anamika Goyal</b>	Marlboro, NJ	Freehold High School
<b>Sohani Khan</b>	Westbury, NY	W.T. Clarke High School
<b>Gregory Lam</b>	San Jose, CA	Lynbrook High School
<b>Jeffrey Schord</b>	Livermore, CA	Livermore High School
<b>Jessica Tsai</b>	San Ramon, CA	California High School

#### **About APCA:**

Asian Pacific Islanders for Professional and Community Advancement (APCA) is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit, educational organization focused on representation of Asian Pacific Islanders (API) employed by AT&T Inc. and its wholly owned subsidiaries. It is dedicated to creating alliances that enhance professional and leadership opportunities for its members to benefit AT&T and our communities through

- Educational and membership development
- Increasing diversity awareness within the corporation and the community
- Organizational growth and influence on issues that impact Asian Pacific Islanders