

## Catalyst Network Foundation Inc. (CNF) - 2024 Fellowship Program

Application is Open - Deadline Friday, April 19, 2024 http://catalyst-network.org/apply/ or <u>Click Here</u>

CNF identifies your unique gifts and talents and then creates a personalized plan for you to develop personally and professionally. We hold workshops to build your essential skills, improve your writing, teach you how to present yourself and your ideas and make connections with influential people.

## Benefits of being a Catalyst Network Foundation Fellowship Scholar

- Inroads to colleges/universities, SAT/ACT prep workshops, and resume development seminars
- Access to internships, professional opportunities, and mentors
- Community service hours and extra-curricular experiences to enhance your admissions credentials
- A network of friends from different high schools
- The <u>fellowship scholars</u> get training from their first day: they tour corporate offices, pitch innovative ideas, and develop professional skills
- Since 2011, CNF <u>Fellows</u> have participated in corporate tours and created or pitched presentations about community endeavors to several corporations, including <u>Google</u>, <u>Goldman Sachs</u>, <u>NIKE</u>, <u>LinkedIn</u>, <u>Morgan Stanley</u>, <u>Microsoft</u>, <u>HBO</u>, <u>Covington & Burling LLP</u>, <u>GAP</u>, <u>Bloomberg</u>, <u>BET</u>, <u>NPR</u>, <u>Essence Magazine</u>, <u>Kaye Scholer LLP</u>, <u>Hughes Hubbard Reed LLP</u>, <u>Deutsche Bank</u>, <u>Infor</u>, <u>The Peebles Corporation</u>, <u>Deloitte</u>, <u>FOX News</u>, and <u>NBC Studios</u>
- Students are uniquely positioned to develop a portfolio of community-based projects that will illustrate a fundamental understanding of ideation and implementation



## Criteria

- New York City Applicants: HS sophomore or junior at one of our partner schools
  - Must be available Monday Friday (8:00 am 2:00 pm) the last three weeks of July
- Washington, D.C. Applicants: HS sophomore or junior, attending a DC Metro HS, or affiliated with the Black or Latino Student Fund
  - Must be available Monday Friday (8:00 am 2:00 pm) 1<sup>st</sup> two weeks of August
- Be committed throughout the school calendar year
  - Demonstrated commitment, leadership, enthusiasm, ingenuity, and curiosity