



## **Interested in a Career in Real Estate?** Diversity Scholarships are Now Available from Greater Boston Association of Realtors®

The Greater Boston Association of Realtors'® (GBAR) Diversity Scholarships provide training and financial support to members of underrepresented racial groups who aspire to a career in real estate. Through this program, GBAR will provide scholarship recipients with:

- *Tuition costs to attend a real estate salesperson pre-licensing course offered in partnership with the New England Real Estate Academy\*;*
- *Reimbursement of the registration fee to take the salesperson's licensing exam up to two times;*
- *Free local, state and national dues for the first year of membership in the Realtor® organization, if affiliated with a Realtor® member firm of the Greater Boston Real Estate Board.*

To be eligible for a scholarship, individuals must meet several criteria. Specifically, applicants must be:

- *At least 18 years of age;*
- *A legal U.S. resident and permanent resident of Massachusetts;*
- *Residing in one of 64 communities in the Greater Boston Real Estate Board/GBAR jurisdiction (see opposite side for jurisdictional map and list of communities);*
- *A member of a racial minority (defined as a person of race or national origin that is African American, Asian American/Pacific Islander, Hispanic/Latino, Middle Eastern American, Native American;*
- *Able to satisfy the requirements for licensure for real estate salespersons set by the Massachusetts Board of Registration of Real Estate Brokers & Salespersons.*

\* Scholarship recipients will have three months from notification of selection to enroll in the salesperson pre-licensing course and six months from the date of enrollment to complete the course.

\*New England Real Estate Academy courses, are offered on weekdays, weeknights and weekends, and include 20 hours of online training via webinar; 20 hours of self-directed study; digital and audio versions of the "Principles of Real Estate Practice in Massachusetts" instruction manual; and access to a monthly study group, quizzes and a practice final exam.

**To learn more about the GBAR Diversity Scholarship Program and to submit the online application, visit:**  
**[www.gbreb.com/gbar/diversityscholarships](http://www.gbreb.com/gbar/diversityscholarships). For questions, contact GBAR at 617-423-8700 or 617-224-9303.**