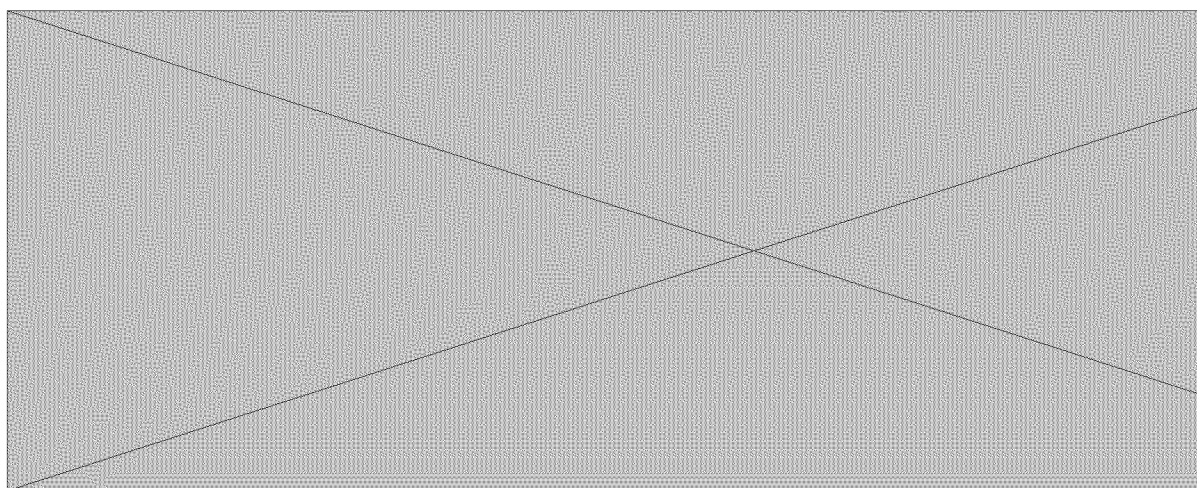


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PG&E Team:

PG&E believes in education and the power that it has in strengthening our communities. Education is one of our three main community investment priorities—in addition to community vitality and environmental stewardship. That's why we're awarding \$1 million in scholarships this spring through the new [PG&E Bright Minds™ Scholarship program](#), to high-achieving, low-income students who have given back to their local communities or who have overcome great personal challenges.

The new scholarship program will begin receiving applications on January 18. The deadline to apply for a scholarship is Friday, Feb. 17. Winners will receive full-ride college scholarships of up to \$30,000 per year and finalists will receive \$2,500. [Click here](#) to learn more.

Our new Bright Minds™ Scholarship program is in addition to the Employee Resource Group Scholarship programs, which have provided more than \$2 million to hundreds of recipients throughout northern and central California since 1989.

Please help spread the word about our new scholarship program and encourage your community to visit <http://www.pge.com/brightminds/> to learn more and apply. Thank you for your ongoing support of our communities.

Ezra Garrett

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