# **SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY:**

Are you a current Kingsborough student who identifies as a member of an underrepresented group?

## Apply today for the:

# PONCE CUNY SCHOLARS AWARD

**AWARD PRIZE:** up to \$5,000\* (see note below)

#### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Currently enrolled in classes at Kingsborough Community College
- Identify as a member of a traditionally underrepresented group
- Reside in a low- to moderate-income community (LMI)
- Meet CUNY guidelines and regulations as they pertain to receiving financial support.

### TO APPLY:

Submit a compelling essay (of no more than 500 words) explaining: what makes you deserving of this award

#### OR

a specific challenge(s) you have faced in your academic journey as a member of a group traditionally underrepresented in higher education

**DEADLINE: Tuesday, October 15, 2024, 5pm.** 

Please email your essay to **Advancement.KCC@kbcc.cuny.edu.** Your submission must include your EMPLD, address and phone number.

\*\$5,000 has been awarded to Kingsborough Community College to distribute to undergraduate students who live in economically disadvantaged communities and identify as members of a traditionally underrepresented group. Award amount will be determined by the number of applicants and quality of essay response. Not all applicants will receive funding. Scholarship recipients will receive notification by October 22, 2024.

QUESTIONS? Call 718-368-5594 or email Maria.Patestas@kbcc.cuny.edu