



“Education is the most powerful  
weapon which you can use to  
change the world.”

*-Nelson Mandela*



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# THE ASHERAH FOUNDATION



Providing second chance  
scholarships to women around  
the world.



## About us

The Asherah Foundation was created in 2016 to provide second-chance scholarships to women around the world seeking to improve their lives and their communities by pursuing postsecondary education. The Mesopotamian goddess serves as inspiration to help women continue to be strong and fight for their second chance at success.

The Asherah Foundation is dedicated to all women who have journeyed over rough waters in life. We seek to serve them as they continue to overcome great obstacles.

“I do not know how to describe my feelings when I received an email informing me that I received the foundation’s scholarship for this year. I cried out loud, hugged my daughter, and then cried. Joy meant a lot to me and it was much like the joy of a person who was sinking, and then found a ship before drowning.”

-Maklin Al-Ahmadi

2018 scholarship recipient

### 62 Million Girls Worldwide Aren't In School

As girls get educated, they get empowered. With education, girls are more likely to improve their economic prospects, granting them access to the halls of power to engage in economic, political and environmental decision-making from the household to the national level.



## 2019 SECOND CHANCE SCHOLARSHIP

### APPLICATION CHECKLIST

- Completed and signed application found on [www.asherahfoundation.org](http://www.asherahfoundation.org).
- Two letters of recommendation (The writer may mail the letter directly to the address above or may be enclosed with your application)
- Official copy of your latest transcript
- Documentation of current financial need
- Essay
- Photo (optional)

All materials can be submitted online at [www.asherahfoundation.org](http://www.asherahfoundation.org) or emailed to [info@asherahfoundation.org](mailto:info@asherahfoundation.org)

Scholarship applications are also available in French, Turkish and Arabic. Please email [info@asherahfoundation.org](mailto:info@asherahfoundation.org) if needed.