

Grad School Aid (from front)

more of it will be used for students. It has granted four students from the nursing, dramatic arts, English and political science departments. Each award amounts to \$1,500. Selections are based not "only for financial need and academic performance, but on CSI pride and activities which enhance the learning experience," said DeCrescenzo.

SG is also conducting essay contests for students (one award for \$1,000), international students (one award for \$1,000) and returning students (2 awards at \$500 each). Applications are available in the SEEK office. Deadline for submission is February 27th at 5:00 pm.

SG offers these funds through the Student Activity Fees. "We're actually giving back the fees to the students," Gaballa said.

Those who wish to apply can seek information in the Student Government office and the Career and Scholarship Center.

"People who are poor have access to funds. People who are smart have access to the funds," said SG senator, Dennis Gaffigan. "The great unwashed - everybody in the middle - we're trying to reach out to them."