

# Scholarship

## ACUW SCHOLARSHIPS

The Associated Chinese University Women (ACUW) was founded in 1931 to “perpetuate Chinese culture” through the members and others who support educational and charitable purposes in Hawaii; and to “promote, support and contribute to educational and charitable services through organizations, events, and activities.”

ACUW awards Scholarships that are funded by ACUW fundraiser and are available annually.

ACUW scholarship applicants must be persons of Chinese ancestry or interested in Chinese culture. Applicants must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents and also be residents of the State of Hawaii. They must demonstrate high scholastic achievement, good character, involvement in school and/or community service and financial need. A personal interview may be requested.

See below for 2016 scholarship information.

## 2016 SCHOLARSHIP

ACUW will be awarding a number of scholarships of \$2,500 each for the 2016-2017 academic year. Awards shall be made on the basis of scholastic achievement, financial need, good character, extra-curricular activities, and involvement in school and OR community service.

The scholarship is open to full-time undergraduate students of accredited American universities and four year colleges. In addition, the applicant must:

- Be Chinese or interested in Chinese Culture
- Be a U.S. Citizen or permanent resident and resident of the State of Hawaii
- Have a minimum GPA of 3.8
- A student related to a member of ACUW is not eligible to apply

A personal interview may be requested. Completed application packets for the Scholarship should be postmarked and mailed by **April 1, 2016** to ACUW Scholarship Committee, c/o Mrs. Shyrlene Lee, 46-236 Kalali St., Kaneohe, Hawaii, 96744. If you have any questions, please email Mrs. Lee at shylee1@yahoo.com.

## 2016 ASSOCIATED CHINESE UNIVERSITY WOMEN SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First M.I. Email Address

Address City Zip Code Home Phone/Cellular  
\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
Citizenship Birth Date M/F Sex

School Currently Attending University/College of Choice Field of Study

### FAMILY INFORMATION

	<u>Self</u>	<u>Father</u>	<u>Mother</u>
Name	_____	_____	_____
Occupation	_____	_____	_____
Annual Gross Income	_____	_____	_____

**On the reverse side, list all siblings with their ages and occupation, if living at home.**

Have you applied for an ACUW Scholarship in the past? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, what year? \_\_\_\_\_  
Are you applying for other financial aid? \_\_\_\_\_

### STUDENT INFORMATION

	Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12	College Freshman	College Sophomore	Cum. GPA & Class Rank
GPA						

Advance Placement/Honors Courses \_\_\_\_\_

**On the reverse side or on attachments, list and describe extra-curricular activities, offices held and school/community service.**

### **THE FOLLOWING MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH THIS APPLICATION**

- First two pages of your parents' and your (if applicable) most current Federal Tax Form 1040 or a completed FAFSA form.
- Two letters of recommendation (in sealed envelopes addressed to the ACUW Scholarship Committee) from people who know you well academically. References should include their occupation and phone number. (Letters may be mailed directly to ACUW Scholarship Committee)
- Your college grades transcript including 2015 Fall Semester grades, if applicable.
- A copy of your SAT scores.
- A personal statement as to why you should be awarded this scholarship, including your plans for serving the community after graduation.
- Write a brief statement about your interest in Chinese Culture.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_