Dr. Aimee August Undergraduate Annual Scholarship
2011

Program code: UPAO-214

About the award:
The Dr. Aimee August Undergraduate Annual Scholarship was officially established in 2008 at Simon Fraser University. The Scholarship has been awarded to SFU students since 1992 through the SFU Kamloops Program. Funding for this scholarship was generously provided by the Ministry of Advanced Education.

Awards will be granted annually in the Summer term to a student of aboriginal ancestry. The purpose of this award is to provide educational support to a student, who best demonstrates good academic standing combined with an appreciation of aboriginal language and culture, AND is a student enrolled in the First Nations Studies Academic Community (NEP) Program formerly known as the SFU Kamloops Program. The NEP Scholarship Committee will put forward a nomination based on the applications received.

Value: Funding value varies annually due to availability. (Maximum available is $1860 CDN.)

Awarded: Annually each Fall Term

Terms of reference:
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Eligibility requirements:
• applicants must be of aboriginal ancestry and enrolled as full-time students (three courses or more in an academic term). The award is restricted to students who have successfully completed a minimum 24 units in this Simon Fraser University program.
• the student must demonstrate full-time enrollment in one of the previous three consecutive academic terms, since this is being awarded in the summer term.
• applicants must demonstrate sensitivity to the unique cultural and linguistic traditions of the aboriginal people. The committee will consider such criteria as student’s extra-curricular activities within aboriginal organizations, personal research and the nature of studies being pursued. The Kamloops program scholarship committee may weigh such factors as parental and marital status, part-time employment and band assistance in their decision.

Application details and deadline:
For 2011, applications will be accepted no later than Friday, July 29, 2011 in time for the 2011 Fall Academic Term announcement of the award.

Please submit a letter of application confirming the above information (see Eligibility Requirements above) to:
Dr. Aimee August Undergraduate Scholarship Committee
c/o Dr. Marianne Ignace, Academic Coordinator / Lorraine Yam, Manager
First Nations Studies Academic Community Outreach NEP Programming
Simon Fraser University
8888 University Drive, Saywell Hall 9091
Burnaby, BC V5A 1S6
email: first_nations@sfu.ca
fax 778.782.4989 (remember to mark you application confidential on the cover sheet)
Dr. Aimee August Undergraduate Annual Scholarship Application Form

Application for YEAR _________ TERM: ☐Spring ☐Summer ☐Fall

I am ☐female ☐male

In additional to submitting supporting documents (such as a cover letter, resume, personal statement, documents outlining community service, volunteer activities, scholastic and/or personal achievements), please complete this application form.

Applicant details: (Please print clearly.)
Surname __________________________________________ First name __________________________
Address __________________________________________ Province __________________________ Postal code __________________________
City __________________________ S.I.N. __________________________ Telephone # __________________________ Birthdate (yyyy/mm/dd) ____________
Email address __________________________________________

☐ Canadian citizen or Permanent Resident (landed immigrant) ☐ I am of aboriginal ancestry ☐ Yes ☐ No

Academic information: to be completed by all applicants (Attach a copy of your latest advising transcript.) (Please print clearly.)

Faculty __________________________ Major __________________________ Minor __________________________
Cumulative GPA __________________________ Last term’s GPA __________________________ Total SFU credits to date __________________________
Transfer credits __________________________ From which institution? ______________________________________________________
Previous post-secondary institution ______________________________________________________
Previous degree(s) or diploma(s) __________________________
Educational goal/degree __________________________
Secondary school graduation __________________________
Professional Development Program (provide details if applicable) ______________________________________________________

ONLY SUCCESSFUL APPLICANTS WILL BE NOTIFIED OF A SCHOLARSHIP/AWARD. DEPARTMENTAL/COMMITTEE OR OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION CONFIRMING ELIGIBILITY FOR PARTICULAR SCHOLARSHIPS OR AWARDS SHOULD BE SUBMITTED WITH THIS APPLICATION WHEN APPLICABLE.

Private Scholarships/university service awards for which you are applying (Not to be used for bursaries) (Please print clearly.)

In the left column, include the program code for each as listed in the SFU Calendar.

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Applicant’s statement

I certify that all statements on this application are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

I consent to the disclosure of information on this form to other educational institutions and the Student Services Branch of the Ministry of Advanced Education when necessary to verify information. I understand that failure to provide my consent or any misrepresentation may result in cancellation of any application, or scholarship/award I may receive. If granted a scholarship/award, I give SFU my consent to disclose to the donor and to my Faculty, Department(s), and School(s) the following information about me: my name, my award, my scholarship/award amount, my Faculty, my academic programs, my GPA, and any personal information that confirms criteria (essays, projects, etc). I understand that debts outstanding to SFU will be deducted from the scholarship/award.

Freedom of information and protection of privacy

The information on this form is collected under the authority of the University Act (RSBC 1996, c.468 s.27[4a]) and is needed to process your application, and decide your eligibility, for a private undergraduate scholarship or university award. Financial Aid and Awards may release designated information to the donors, provincial funding organizations and/or academic departments and faculties. If you have any questions about the collection and use of this information, contact the Associate Director, Financial Aid and Awards, Simon Fraser University, 778.782.4275. All information is given in confidence.

Applicant’s Signature __________________________ Date ____________

Please submit application to:

SFU Kamloops Program Scholarship Committee
C/o Dr. Marianne Ignace, Academic Coordinator/Lorraine Yam, Manager
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Office use only.

1. Application received: (MM/DD/YYYY) ________/______/

2. Are the application letter and related documents enclosed? ☐ Yes ☐ No

3. Run and attach advising transcript ☐ Yes