

# ANTIOCH UNIVERSITY

SEATTLE

## **2017-2018 AUS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

*Antioch University provides learner-centered education to empower students with the knowledge and skills to lead meaningful lives and to advance social, economic, and environmental justice.*

### **CRITERIA FOR ALL SCHOLARSHIPS**

- **A checklist of the application requirements is listed on the Application Cover Page (the last page of this document).** You must submit all scholarship application materials by the application deadline listed below. Some scholarships may have additional criteria that you must meet, as outlined later in this document. You will be considered for all scholarships for which you meet the requirements.
- You must be a new student accepted to a degree program for 2017-18, or you must have submitted all admission application materials to the Admissions Office by the scholarship deadline. Please note that you can only apply for the scholarships available for your first quarter of attendance at AUS.
- Since financial need is considered, you must complete the free financial aid application process by the scholarship application deadline. The 2017-18 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) can be completed online at [www.fafsa.gov](http://www.fafsa.gov)
- The AUS scholarships are competitive; a limited number of students are selected for each scholarship.
- To be eligible, you must meet the minimum credit load requirements: 6 credits for undergraduate students or 3 credits for graduate students. Some scholarships may require full-time attendance.
- Some scholarships are renewable for a second year. When applicable, scholarship winners must maintain continuous half-time enrollment and meet AUS satisfactory academic progress requirements to be awarded a renewable scholarship for the second year.
- **Scholarship applications must be submitted to the AUS Financial Aid Office by the following deadlines:**

**Summer Quarter 2017**

**May 19, 2017**

**Fall Quarter 2017**

**July 14, 2017**

**Winter Quarter 2018**

**October 13, 2017**

**Spring Quarter 2018**

**January 19, 2018**

*All applicants are notified of their status, either way, within 4-6 weeks of the application deadline.  
If you have questions about Antioch's scholarships, or about the process for applying for Financial Aid, please contact the AUS Financial Aid Office at (206) 268-4010 or [financialaid.aus@antioch.edu](mailto:financialaid.aus@antioch.edu).*

## **2017-2018 AUS SCHOLARSHIP OFFERINGS**

### **\$5,000 BERGLUND FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP**

Made possible by the Berglund Family Endowment. **Please submit an additional short statement if you are a single mother, including age(s) of your children.** *Only female students may apply, with preference given to single mothers. Student must be entering B.A. Liberal Studies or M.A. Psychology Program.*

### **\$4,000 STUDENT EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP**

The Student Excellence Scholarship is made possible by donations from Antioch alumni, staff, and faculty. *Open to all new students.*

### **\$2,000 RICHARD NORRIS NATIVE AMERICAN SCHOLARSHIP**

This award honors Richard Norris' many contributions to Antioch University. **To apply, please complete the separate application listed on the [scholarships page](#) of the AUS website.** *Only Native American, Alaskan Native, or Native Hawaiian students are eligible to apply. Please note that this scholarship requires full-time attendance (12 or more credits for undergraduate students, 6 or more credits for graduate students).*

### **\$2,000 NATIONAL SERVICE SCHOLARSHIP**

This scholarship recognizes new students who have served in a National Service Program (*AmeriCorps, VISTA, or Peace Corps*). This scholarship may be renewed for a second year, such that students can receive up to \$4,000 in scholarship funds over their academic career. **To apply, in addition to the main essay, please submit a copy of your Service Letter, which you can access via [my.americorps.gov](#).** *Open to students who have completed a year of service in a full-time National Service program.*

# AUS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION COVER PAGE

## APPLICANT INFORMATION

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Academic Program \_\_\_\_\_ Entry Quarter/Year \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_

Please Indicate: Gender \_\_\_\_\_ Ethnicity/Race \_\_\_\_\_

(Optional — these demographic items are to confirm eligibility for the Berglund Family scholarship)

## APPLICATION CHECKLIST

- Complete and attach this cover page** to your application.
- All applications require an essay** (1-3 pages, typed, double-spaced, 12-point Times New Roman font) **answering the following prompt:**

*What is the most significant change or improvement you have made in an organization or community, collaboratively or individually, with which you have been affiliated? Describe the process you went through to identify the need for change and manage the process of implementing change. What were the results? What did you learn about yourself in the process?*

- In an attached page, please list volunteer activities** that exemplify your involvement in the community. Briefly describe the purpose of each organization, and describe if you assumed a leadership role in any of these activities.
- If a scholarship requires a supplemental document or statement, **be sure to include this with your application.**
- Finally, **please review and complete this student certification** before submitting the application:

*To the best of my knowledge, I certify the information provided in this application is correct. If I am awarded a scholarship, I understand I must notify the Financial Aid Office of any changes in my education plan. These include, but are not limited to, changing academic programs, reducing credit hours or withdrawing from school. I understand that it may affect my scholarship award.*

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**Applicant Signature**

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**Date**

### **SUBMIT YOUR COMPLETED SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION IN PERSON, OR BY MAIL, EMAIL, OR FAX:**

**Mail:** Antioch University Seattle  
Attn: Financial Aid  
2400 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue, Suite 200  
Seattle, WA 98121

**E-mail:** [financialaid.aus@antioch.edu](mailto:financialaid.aus@antioch.edu)  
**Fax:** (206) 268-4242