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# ABORIGINAL EDUCATION COUNCIL (NSW) INC.

## Alan Duncan Award APPLICATION

### HOW TO APPLY

1. Complete this Application Form.
2. Ensure that you have provided the appropriate academic records and financial details, together with supporting documentation.
3. Applications must include a letter of support from your academic advisor or a lecturer.
4. Include proof of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander identity.
5. Complete the Statutory Declaration at the end of this form.
6. Return the Application Form and supporting documentation to: Scholarships Officer, AEC (NSW) Inc. PO Box 3120 Redfern NSW 2016 or email the completed application to [admin@aec.org.au](mailto:admin@aec.org.au)

**\*Please Note** all documents 1-5 must be included with your application for it to be considered

### I AM APPLYING FOR:

**ALAN DUNCAN SCHOLARSHIP**

Up to 4 Scholarships valued at \$5000 are to be awarded to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander men who are undertaking an approved course of study at a NSW university.

**ALAN DUNCAN COURSE ASSISTANCE FUND**

Awards of up to \$1000 are made to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander men who are undertaking study at a tertiary institution in NSW, to assist them to attend a conference or to access resources required to complete their course of study.

**ALAN DUNCAN INCIDENTAL SUPPORT FUND**

These awards are to assist Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander men who are undertaking a course at a TAFE in NSW, which will enable them to enter the workforce. Applicants are invited to apply for this award to assist with the cost of:

- Child care
- Textbooks
- Equipment
- Travel Expenses

**NOTE:** All applications will be based on financial need and single men with children are a priority.

### APPLICANT DETAILS [Please print clearly and in block letters]

Family Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

Suburb \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Postcode \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: M  F  Phone \_\_\_\_\_

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

Are you Australian Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander? Yes  No

Which course are you undertaking \_\_\_\_\_

Which NSW University are you attending \_\_\_\_\_

**APPLICATIONS CLOSE AT 5PM ON 30 June 2016**

## FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

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### Details of Parents

Do you live with your parents?

Yes  No

If yes

Parents Names: \_\_\_\_\_

Total family income per year: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents Employer and address:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Number and ages of other dependent family members: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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### Abstudy Youth Study Allowance

*(If applicable)*

Do you receive Abstudy or Youth Allowance?

Yes  No

If YES please give details, if NO please state reasons:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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### Bursaries/Scholarships/Cadetships

Do you, or have you ever received a bursary, scholarship or cadetship?

Yes  No

If YES please give details:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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### Financial Assistance

Have you ever received financial assistance?

Yes  No

If YES please give details and please include the name of the organisation:

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\_\_\_\_\_  
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**FINANCIAL OVERVIEW cont.**

**Employment**

Type of employment during period of study: \_\_\_\_\_  
Hours worked per fortnight: \_\_\_\_\_  
Fortnightly wage after tax: \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

**Partner**  
*(If applicable)*

Partner's Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_  
Fortnightly wage after tax: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Dependent children**  
*(If applicable)*

Number of dependent children? \_\_\_\_\_  
What are their ages \_\_\_\_\_

**Other Income**

Please give details:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Assets**

Do you own a motor vehicle? Yes  No

If YES please give details:

Type: \_\_\_\_\_  
Model: \_\_\_\_\_  
Market value: \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Amount owing (if any): \$ \_\_\_\_\_

What other major assets do you own eg. property, shares, electrical equipment, jewellery?

Please list / value:

\_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Financial Position Today**

Cash in hand: \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Savings: \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any debts or any other financial commitments to a bank, any other institution, friends or family members? Yes  No

If YES please give details:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_



## STATUTORY DECLARATION BY APPLICANT

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### STATUTORY DECLARATION *To be completed before a Justice of the Peace*

I (name) \_\_\_\_\_ of

(address) \_\_\_\_\_

do solemnly and sincerely declare that the particulars I have given are true and complete in every respect, And I make this solemn declaration, conscientiously believing the same to be true, and in virtue of the provisions of the *Oaths Act, 1900*.

Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_

Made and signed before me at \_\_\_\_\_ this

\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Justice of the Peace \_\_\_\_\_

#### The following documents must be attached to this Application:

- Confirmation of current enrolment showing course details / units of study
- Confirmation of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander identity
- A letter of support from an academic staff member.

**\*Applications will not be considered without all the above listed documentation.**