

**AIAI EDUCATION
ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP
\$1,000.00**

Purpose

The AIAI Education Scholarship Award was created in 2011 to promote and recognize a Post Secondary student who overcame obstacles while pursuing his/her Post Secondary education journey.

Criteria

- A returning full time Post Secondary student.
- A registered band member with one of the eight (8) AIAI member Nations.
- Applicants are only eligible for the scholarship one time.

Application Process

- Completion of the AIAI application
- Self profile essay demonstrating overcoming obstacles while pursuing your Post Secondary studies and why you should receive the scholarship.
- One(1) letter of support from your program advisor, school counsellor or professor/instructors, etc.
- One (1) letter of support from your respective Chief confirming that you are a registered First Nation member of your community.

Application Deadline: March 31, 2012

Any applications received after 4:30pm on March 31, 2012 will not be considered.

Selection Review

The AIAI Chiefs Selection Committee will select the successful applicant. The successful applicant will receive the scholarship at the AIAI 2012 General Assembly.

All interested students please submit your application to the attention of:

**Gina McGahey, Education Coordinator
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**CORPORATE
OVERVIEW**

The Association currently represents eight (8) First Nations in Ontario with a membership of approximately 20,000 people. The member Nations are as follows:

- *Batchewana First Nation of Ojibways*
- *Caldwell First Nation*
- *Delaware Nation*
- *Hiawatha First Nation*
- *Mississaugas of the New Credit First Nation*
- *Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte - Tyendinaga*
- *Oneida Nation of Thames*
- *Wahta Mohawks*

The Association provides political representation and policy analysis in the following areas of mutual concerns:

- *Health*
- *Social Services*
- *Education*
- *Intergovernmental Affairs*
- *Aboriginal Healing & Wellness Strategy*
- *Taxation*
- *Housing/Infrastructure*

**Association of
Iroquois and
Allied Indians**



*Annual A.I.A.I.
First Nation
Education
Scholarship*

The Association of Iroquois and Allied Indians (AIAI) is a political organization to represent eight member Nations in any negotiation or consultation with any level of government affecting the well being of the member Nations as a whole.

ASSOCIATION OF IROQUOIS AND ALLIED INDIANS - SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

(Post Secondary Students to complete and submit this application form along with two letters of support)

Name:	Address:
Date of Birth:	
Contact No.:	Email Address:
Post Secondary Institution Attending:	Year of Study:
Career Goal:	Member Nation:

In 200 words or less, please explain the obstacles you had to overcome in pursuing your Post Secondary studies and why you are a deserving candidate for this award.

Please forward application to address listed on brochure. Use separate paper if necessary.