Hong Kong Association of University Women

HKAUW Undergraduate Scholarships (2023/24)

Application Details

Aim

The Undergraduate Scholarships aim at recognising and encouraging **female students** with exceptional academic attainments and active involvement in community service.

Award

Each HKAUW Undergraduate Scholarship recipient will receive a certificate and an award of *HK\$5,000*.

Eligibility criteria:

The applicant

- a. must be currently registered as a full-time female student (except first and final year students) at a local degree-granting tertiary institution (designation determined by HKAUW)
- b. must be an UNDERGRADUATE member of HKAUW
- c. **must be nominated** by the head of department or faculty/school in which she is currently registered
- d. has outstanding academic achievements
- e. demonstrates current participation and active involvement in community service
- f. has **TWO** recommendation letters, one from her current academic supervisor and one from the community/voluntary service organization she is involved in
- g. is required to serve the community for at least half a year AFTER she receives the scholarship which may include participating in community services project organized by HKAUW

Application procedure:

- h. Complete the HKAUW "Membership Application Form" online at http://www.hkauw.org/membership to become an Undergraduate Member of HKAUW
- i. Directly deposit the Undergraduate Membership fee to HKAUW at **Bank of East Asia** Account: **015-176-68-00002-2** via bank counter, and upload the online Membership Application Form together with the copy of the transaction receipt which contains the payment reference number.
- j. **Retain** a copy of the transaction receipt or the bank's acknowledgement statement as proof of fee payment
- **k.** The completed HKAUW Undergraduate Scholarship Application Form including **only** relevant information together with all required supporting documents, and **two** recommendation letters (one from her current academic supervisor and one from the community/voluntary service organization she is involved in), and the **original** transaction receipt or the bank's acknowledgement statement, must be received by

HKAUW by <u>5:00 p.m. on 29th October 2023 via the Student Affairs Office of her institution.</u> HKAUW WILL NOT CONSIDER ANY LATE APPLICATION.

- 1. Applications will not be considered without supporting documents.
- m. The completed application forms with supporting documents must be posted to:

Ms. Frances Chuen
Scholarship Director
Hong Kong Association of University Women
c/o College Office
Lee Woo Sing College
The Chinese University of Hong Kong
Shatin, Hong Kong

Announcement of Results

- a. Final scholarship recipients may be selected with or without an interview.
- b. The Scholarship Director will notify the nominating institutions and the scholarship recipients directly when the recipients are selected.
- c. Applicants who are not notified by 15th **December 2023** should consider their applications unsuccessful. HKAUW does NOT provide critiques for unsuccessful applications.

Presentation of Awards:

Successful Undergraduate Scholarship Recipients are required to make a short presentation of their research topic at HKAUW's 2023 Scholarship Presentation Ceremony. Details of which will be announced later.

(NOTE 25% of the Awards, namely HK\$1,250 will be retained by HKAUW and awarded to the recipients subsequent to receipt of written proof of community services between January and August 2023 from the recipients concerned.)

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