



**Arizona Professional Chapter
American Indian Science & Engineering Society
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AZPC OF AISES LEADERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Administered by the Arizona Professional Chapter of AISES, this Leadership Scholarship is made available to American Indian students who reside in the state of Arizona. The scholarship is awarded by AZPC of AISES based on need, available scholarship funds, and the following criteria.

CRITERIA Applicants must meet all of the following criteria. Incomplete applications will not receive consideration.

1. Must be a full-time undergraduate student at an accredited two year or four year college/university, high school student, or middle school student.
2. Must reside in the state of Arizona.
3. Must be a member of a federally recognized American Indian tribe or otherwise considered to be an American Indian by tribe with which affiliation is claimed or is at least ¼ American Indian blood; or is at least ¼ Alaskan Native; or considered to be an Alaskan Native by an Alaskan Native group by which affiliation is claimed.
4. Applicant must prepare a written proposal which defines their need for the scholarship, importance of the scholarship funds requested, event or purpose which the scholarship will be used, and budget which funds will be used for.
5. Applicant must be a citizen of the United States of America.
6. After the event for which funds were requested, applicant must send to AZPC of AISES a written account of their event.

AWARD Notification of award will be made on a timely basis in accordance with each scholarship request. Amount of scholarship award is at the sole discretion of AZPC of AISES.

PROPOSAL On separate sheets, the applicant must provide a proposal. The proposal shall include a 500-word essay and detailed budget. The essay must state reasons for the scholarship request, description of the event or purpose of the scholarship, description of the applicant's career aspirations, an evaluation of past scholastic performance, and applicant's involvement and commitment to tribal community life. The budget shall be a detailed breakdown of funds requested. The proposal must be attached to this application, typed using a font of 12 points, and double-spaced. The applicant's name and date must appear at the top of each sheet.

TRIBAL ENROLLMENT Certificate of Indian Blood (CIB) or proof of tribal enrollment document is required.

RECOMMENDATION Applicant must submit a letter of recommendation, from person who is organizing the event which applicant is requesting funds for, a professor or advisor at school, or an adult friend at work or in your community who knows you well. Letter writer must not be a relative of applicant. Letter shall be limited to one page.

RESUME Please submit your current resume.

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Application Form | <input type="checkbox"/> Proposal |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Letter of Recommendation | <input type="checkbox"/> Proof of Tribal Enrollment |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Resume | |