



# Armenian Cultural Association of British Columbia

## Application for Scholarship or Educational Award

### **Personal Information:**

<b>Last Name:</b>		<b>Given Name(s):</b>	
Describe your Armenian origins. How do you identify as Armenian?	Please explain briefly:		
Mailing Address:	Street:	City:	Postal Code:
	Province:		
Phone number:			
Email address:			
Date of Birth:	Day	Month	Year
Status in Canada	<input type="radio"/> Canadian Citizen <input type="radio"/> Permanent Resident		
<b>Proof of Status in Canada is required.</b> <b>Please provide a clear copy of your birth certificate, your passport or your permanent resident card</b>			
Have you received a scholarship or an educational award from the ACA of BC before?	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No If Yes, indicate which year(s) _____		
<b>Please indicate if you are applying for</b> <input type="radio"/> a Scholarship <input type="radio"/> an Educational Award (for definition please refer to application criteria on the website)			

***It is the candidate's responsibility to ensure the Assessment committee is informed of any changes to their personal information including any change in email address, phone number, or mailing address.***

***The assessment committee is not responsible for obtaining this information if you have not communicated it to us.***

**Academic Information – Secondary School (Attach an additional sheet if required)**

1. Name and Address of current or most recent Secondary School.		Date of Graduation or Expected Graduation
2. Name and Address of previous Secondary School (if applicable)		From: To:
3. Name and Address of previous Secondary School (if applicable)		From: To:
4.. Name and Address of previous Secondary School (if applicable)		From: To:

**Academic Information – Post Secondary: (Attach an additional sheet if required)**

***Proof of enrollment is required***

Name and Address of Post Secondary School you are planning to attend or are currently attending -		
Will this be your first year in post-secondary: <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No		
If no please indicate your year of study:		
Are you a full or part time student?		
Number of courses for which you will register:		
Expected date of graduation:		
Expected Degree/Diploma:		
Post Secondary schools attended: (if applicable)		
1. Name and location of post secondary institution attended if applicable:	Field of Study	From: To:
2. Name and location of post secondary institution attended if applicable:	Field of Study	From: To:
3.. Name and location of post secondary institution attended if applicable:	Field of Study	From: To:

***To be considered for a scholarship or an educational award you MUST complete the following:***

**Please explain your goals and reasons for your selected field of study (not to exceed 300 words)**

**Please describe your participation and contribution to the Armenian community (not to exceed 300 words)**

Please describe your participation and contribution to the community at large (not to exceed 300 words)

To be considered for a Scholarship (for definition please refer to application criteria on the website) you **MUST** attach, in Word or PDF format, a research essay of between 1500 – 2000 words on a topic of your choosing. Please see some suggestions below;

<p><u>Armenian Culture</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Literature</li><li>○ Music</li><li>○ Fine Arts</li><li>○ Theatre</li><li>○ Film</li><li>○ Photography</li></ul>	<p><u>Armenian Entrepreneurship</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Contributions and Innovation</li></ul> <p><u>Armenian Architecture or Design</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Historical or Modern</li></ul> <p><u>Development, History of Armenian Diaspora</u></p>
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The following resources may be helpful in writing your research essay. We strongly suggest you consult the following links prior to selection of your topic and completion of your essay

- i. <https://essaymin.com/blog/steps-writing-research-paper/>
- ii. [https://owl.purdue.edu/owl/general\\_writing/common\\_writing\\_assignments/research\\_papers/index.html](https://owl.purdue.edu/owl/general_writing/common_writing_assignments/research_papers/index.html)
- iii. <https://library.concordia.ca/help/writing/research-paper.php>

**Application Checklist - Be Sure to Include:**

- ✓ **Completed Application Form**
- ✓ **Proof of Status in Canada**
- ✓ **Proof of acceptance/enrolment**
- ✓ **Official Transcripts from secondary schools and all Post-secondary schools you have attended**
  - **If your official transcript is from another country please ensure it is translated and calculated using recognized Canadian GPA equivalency**
  - **You MUST attach official transcripts for of the Secondary Schools and/or Post-secondary schools you have attended otherwise the application will not be accepted**
- ✓ **Research essay, if you are applying for a Scholarship; (see above)**
- ✓ **Two recent, (within the current or previous year) and relevant letters of reference from persons who are in a position to corroborate and/or verify your volunteerism as described in your application, e.g: professors, current job supervisors, current academic or volunteer mentors,**
- ✓ **At least one of the two letters must be from an Armenian source, eg: member of clergy, community leader, (the letter is not required to be written in Armenian**
- ✓ **The references are not to be related to the applicant and they must send the letters directly to [scholarships@acabc.ca](mailto:scholarships@acabc.ca)**

**Declaration to be completed by all applicants:**

I hereby declare the information I have provided in this application is correct and complete, to the best of my knowledge.

I acknowledge I wish to be considered for an educational award should I not qualify for a scholarship. Should I be successful I understand I may receive either a scholarship or an educational award but not both.

I also declare the essay is my own and autonomous work. All sources have been indicated as such. All texts either quoted directly or paraphrased have been indicated by in-text citations. Full bibliographic details are given in the reference list which also contains internet sources containing URL and access date.

I understand all applications submitted for consideration will be retained by the ACA of BC and will not be returned to the applicants

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Signature of Applicant

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Date