



ASSOCIATED CHINESE UNIVERSITY WOMEN, INC.

大學華人婦女會

January 18, 2008

Dear College/Scholarship Counselor:

The **Associated Chinese University Women, Inc. (ACUW)** was founded in 1931 to "...further the cultural, social and intellectual welfare of its members and the community; and to assist, promote and participate in worthwhile community projects which are non-partisan and non-commercial."

ACUW raises funds annually to provide college scholarships to students of Chinese or part Chinese ancestry. Applicants must plan to attend or be currently enrolled in an accredited United States university or college with the objective of earning at least a baccalaureate degree. This year, up to nine scholarships of \$2,000 each will be awarded for the 2008-2009 academic year.

Applicants must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents and must also be residents of the State of Hawaii. They must demonstrate high scholastic achievement, character, school and community service, and financial need. A personal interview may be requested.

Application packets must be complete to be accepted and should be **postmarked and mailed by March 14, 2008** to:

Ms. Sybil Kyi
ACUW Scholarship Committee
5930 Haleola St.
Honolulu, HI 96821

ACUW and its scholarship committee appreciate your assistance in announcing this scholarship award opportunity. Please duplicate copies of this letter and application attachments for interested and qualified students. If you have any questions, you may contact me at 373-1129.

Sincerely,

Ms. Sybil Kyi
2008 ACUW Scholarship Chairperson

Enclosures

Information to Scholarship Applicants

- The amount of the scholarship shall be \$2, 000 for the academic year 2008-2009, paid in two installments to the school.
- The scholarship is open to full-time undergraduate students of accredited American universities and four-year colleges.
- Applicants must be of Chinese or part-Chinese ancestry.
- Applicants must be U.S. Citizens or permanent residents and also residents of the State of Hawaii
- The awards shall be made on the basis of scholastic achievement, financial need, character, extra-curricular activities and school and/or community service.
- Applicants should have a minimum GPA of 3.5.
- A personal interview may be requested.

Instructions to Applicants

1. All items on the application must be answered.
2. Submit your original application, tax/financial forms, school transcript, copy of official SAT/ACT scores, your personal statement, and two (2) sealed letters of recommendation in your completed application packet.
Do not staple application.
3. All packets must be postmarked by **March 14, 2008**, and mailed to:

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