



Youth Activist Scholarship Fund

Armenian National Committee of Glendale
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Armenian National Committee – Glendale Chapter Youth Activist Scholarship Fund

ELIGIBILITY

Applicants to the ANC Glendale Scholarship must:

- ❖ Be a graduating high school senior planning to attend an accredited college or university as a full time, degree-seeking student or a current college student attending an accredited college or university full time.
- ❖ Have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.5
- ❖ Have demonstrated a strong commitment to activism through community involvement.
- ❖ Be a Glendale resident.

SELECTION PROCESS

Applicants will be selected on the basis of their: (in order of importance):

- ❖ Contributions to the overall Glendale community with an emphasis on the Armenian-American community.
- ❖ Demonstrated leadership and participation in school and community activities.
- ❖ Commitment to academic excellence
- ❖ Likelihood of commitment to the Armenian American community and civic engagement in the future.

Winners will be announced September 2010.

Selection of recipients is made by the ANC Glendale Board of Directors

AWARD OF SCHOLARSHIP

Two \$500.00 and one \$1000.00 scholarships will be awarded to selected recipients.

Awards will be distributed in person at the ANC Glendale Annual Banquet on September 16, 2010.

APPLICATION DEADLINE

All application materials, including letters of recommendation, must be postmarked by **August 31, 2010**. Application materials may be emailed to youthscholar@ancglendale.org or mailed to

**Armenian National Committee of Glendale
Youth Activist Scholarship Program
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Only complete applications will be considered.

Address questions to the program coordinator, Elen Asatryan at (818) 243-3444 or youthscholar@ancglendale.org



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APPLICATION GUIDELINE

RESUME: Please attach to the completed application form, your most current resume. This resume should be no more than two, 8.5”x11” pages in length. Be sure the resume includes:

- ❖ An outline of your complete secondary and post-secondary educational background – Including majors/minors, years attended and GPA earned.
- ❖ An outline of your employment history and professional experience – including names of employers and their addresses, dates employed, positions held, and responsibilities for each.
- ❖ A list of any honors or awards you have earned – include the name of the award, name of the granting agency, and year received.
- ❖ Your participation in or affiliation with professional and Armenian community organizations – include the name of the organization, position(s) held, and dates of membership.
- ❖ List the languages in which you can communicate and your proficiency in each (speak, read, write).

PERSONAL STATEMENT: Please note that your statement should include a combination of the following: your understanding of what it means to be civically responsible, specific examples of how you have demonstrated your dedication to the betterment to Armenian-American community, challenges that you had to overcome in doing so, how you showed leadership in your actions, and how you plan on continuing your activism in college and beyond.

Please include your name, address, and the name of the educational institution in which you are enrolled on each page. Your personal statement should be attached to the completed application form at the time of submission and should be no more than 1,000 words.

LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION: Please submit two letters of recommendation from two individuals, not related to you, with definite knowledge of your abilities and qualifications. One of the recommendations should ideally be from an individual who can speak of your involvement in your community. The letters should be accompanied by the enclosed recommendation forms and submitted to the ANC-Glendale Chapter by the recommender directly, or be included in your application packet. All recommendation materials must be postmarked by **August 31, 2010**.

Recommenders may not be employed by or be affiliated with any chapters of the Armenian National Committee.

FINAL APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Remember to submit the following, postmarked by the **August 31, 2010** deadline:

- a completed **APPLICATION FORM (signed by parent/guardian if the applicant is under 18)**
- HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT**
- most current **RESUME** with the requested information included and
- PERSONAL STATEMENT**
- Have you also ensured that your recommenders have mailed their letters of recommendation along with the completed **RECOMMENDATION FORM** by the deadline?



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PERSONAL INFORMATION (TO BE COMPLETED BY APPLICANT)

NAME: _____ DATE OF BIRTH: _____
ADDRESS: _____ FEMALE MALE
CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____
HOME PHONE: _____ CELL PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____
HIGH SCHOOL NAME: _____ GPA: _____
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY NAME: _____ GPA (IF ALREADY ATTENDING): _____
HOW DID YOU LEARN ABOUT THE ANC-GLENDALE YOUTH ACTIVIST SCHOLARSHIP?

PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION

NAME: _____ RELATIONSHIP TO APPLICANT: _____
NAME: _____ RELATIONSHIP TO APPLICANT: _____

CERTIFICATION

For the applicants: I agree to the rules of the ANC Glendale scholarship process. I affirm that the information enclosed in the application is accurate and original to me, and I authorize ANC Glendale to reproduce, distribute, create derivative works of and publicly display my essay in all media now known or hereafter developed in connection with its mission, including for promotional purposes. If I am a recipient of the 2010 ANCG Youth Scholarship, I grant the ANC Glendale the right to use my name, likeness, and biographical information in all media in connection with ANC Glendale's mission, including promotional materials without any further compensation or permission.

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

For applicants under 18: Consent from a Parent or Legal Guardian is also required

I, _____ am the [parent/guardian] of the above named individual. I have read the foregoing and fully understand the contents hereof. I hereby consent to the foregoing on his/her behalf.

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____



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RECOMMENDATION FORM #1

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM AND YOUR LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION TO:

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APPLICANT NAME: _____ **PHONE NUMBER:** _____

E-MAIL: _____ **RECOMMENDER NAME:** _____

Attach additional sheet if more space is needed

In what capacity and how long have you known the applicant?

How has the applicant shown his/her commitment and activism to the betterment of the Armenian American community in the City of Glendale? Please provide specific examples.

How has the applicant shown leadership and teamwork in his/her community, both through his/her activism and otherwise. Please provide specific examples.

How do you see the applicant continuing his/her activism in college and beyond?



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RECOMMENDATION FORM #2

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