

Scholarship Application Instructions

For all scholarships: Complete and sign a CIIS Scholarship Application and submit it with requisite supporting documents to scholarships@ciis.edu by the posted deadline. Deadlines are not flexible and late submissions will forfeit your eligibility.

In order to be eligible for any CIIS Scholarship, students must have demonstrated financial need and be current students in good academic standing. See below for additional eligibility requirements for individual scholarships.

Angeles Arrien Scholarship

Application Period: May 1 - June 30

Eligibility: New students in the Anthropology and Social Change Program

Supporting Document: Up to 1,000 word essay stating how your research and professional interests directly connect to one of the following areas: Preservation of Cultural Heritage, Multi-Cultural Bridging and Collaborative Efforts, Elder Support, Youth Support.

Auen-Berger Scholarship

Application Period: Aug. 1 - Sept. 15

Eligibility: Second and third year Counseling Psychology in Community Mental Health students

Supporting Document: Up to 300 word essay describing your involvement in two semesters of community service (including practicum or internship, with dates of service) and your long-term goals for using your CMH degree in service to the community.

Cultural Integration Fellowship Integral Scholarships

Application Period: Aug. 1 - Sept. 15

Eligibility: Any student with research or writing in the area of integral studies as defined by the academic focus list below. Preference given to first time applicants.

Supporting Documents*: A research prospectus (up to 5 page or 1,000 words) in one of the listed areas of academic focus.

Research Areas of Academic Focus:

Integral philosophy, integral yoga, integral psychology, integral/integrative methodology, integral education, integral ecology, or other comparative and interdisciplinary research with other integral/holistic frameworks.

Research Prospectus Outline:

- Introduction and topic (1/2 page)
- Background of Research (1 page)
- Specific focus or problems/questions of research (1 page)
- Proposed literature review sources (10-15 item bibliography) (1 page)
- Methodological Framework and expected learning outcomes (1 page)



*Two selected finalists will be invited by October 17th to submit a research paper due on January 10. Based on feedback provided by January 30th, final research papers will be due by March 30th. Email scholarships@ciis.edu with questions.

Robert Joseph & Wilhelmina Kranzke Endowed Scholarships

Application Deadline: Fall Awards: June 15; Spring Awards: Dec. 15

Eligibility: Doctoral students conducting approved psychotropic research who have completed one semester, and have at least one year remaining in their studies

Supporting Documents: Detailed information on the application materials and requirements can be obtained from the CIIS financial aid office at scholarships@ciis.edu. The Kranzke proposal will be an abbreviated version (typically 15-25 pages) of a typical dissertation proposal and will comply with all of the dissertation guidelines provided by the student's department. The application also requires a letter of recommendation from the student's dissertation chairperson and a HRRC approval letter. Before an HRRC application is submitted, the applying student and dissertation chairperson should contact the co-chairperson of the HRRC committee, Frank Echenhofer (fechenhofer@ciis.edu), to discuss the application process.

Richard G. Meech *Anima Mundi* Scholarship

Application Period: Jul. 15 - Agu. 15

Eligibility: Students, either resident or Online, in the MA or PhD program of the philosophy, Cosmology, and Consciousness program; preference given to Canadian students, but if there is no qualified Canadian student, the offer other foreign applicants may be considered.

Supporting Documents: A one to two-page essay detailing your interest in the core values central to Richard Meech's values, including ecological and planetary spirituality, indigenous wisdom, integral ecology, plant medicine and importance of the sacred.

Chuan & Chun Yeung Memorial Scholarship

Application Period: **Aug. 1 - Sept. 15**

Eligibility: Any continuing ACTCM student with a GPA of 3.0.

Supporting Document: An essay of up to 750 words on the following topic: Many of us have been transformed and inspired by the healing properties of Chinese medicinal herbs. Please detail why you are interested in studying Chinese herbs and how their use improved someone's well-being, whether it's yourself, a loved one, or a patient.

**California Institute
of Integral Studies**
CIIS Scholarship Application

I. Personal Information

_____ **Last Name**

_____ **First Name**

_____ **Email address**

_____ **CIIS ID Number**

II. Academic Program Information

Current Program: _____

Graduation Date: _____

III. Scholarship(s) to which you are applying (Please check all that apply)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Angeles Arrien | <input type="checkbox"/> Richard G. Meech Anima Mundi |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Auen-Berger | <input type="checkbox"/> Chuan & Chun Yeung |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cultural Integration Fellowship | <input type="checkbox"/> Robert Joseph & Wilhmina Kranzke |

IV. Student Certification

By submitting this application, I agree to the following terms:

- This application becomes the property of California Institute of Integral Studies.
- The information on this form is true, correct and complete. Falsification of any information may result in termination of any scholarship granted.
- I have read and understand the eligibility requirements for the Scholarship.
- I authorize the Financial Aid Office to share the information in my application with any individuals or departments at CIIS (and/or external donors) relevant to the evaluation of my scholarship application (and if appropriate, to gather further information).
- The information provided on this application may be used by CIIS in publicizing awards and shared with future applicants for this award.
- CIIS has the authority to change the terms, conditions, and amount of the scholarship awards.
- CIIS is not responsible for my financial well-being should I incur unforeseen expenses.
- All scholarship awards are for institutional tuition credit only, and are not a cash award.
- Failure to fulfill the terms and conditions of any award may result in that award being rescinded.

_____ **Signature of Applicant**

_____ **Date Signed**

Financial Aid Office Use Only:

Date received: _____ Financial Aid Officer Signature: _____