

LORRAINE ROBINSON & MAEVE COUGHLAN EDUCATION FUND (LOMEF)

Administered by the Asian Resource Foundation (ARF) Bangkok, Thailand

Individual Scholarship Program

Application Form (to be submitted along with all requested supporting documentation)

The goal of the LOMEF/ARF Scholarship Program is to facilitate access to quality higher education. The scholarship is applicable for **public** college and university level studies. The program is available for those seeking to begin such studies and/or those seeking to continue such studies but is encountering financial difficulties.

The scholarship program is not applicable to, nor does it cover full studies within joint programs (i.e., double or multiple-degree) and/or Doctoral level studies.

<u>Eligibility</u>

The program is limited to South and Southeast Asian students who are bona fide for graduate studies that have not gained any other Bachelor's degree and who meet all on-going requirements.

- 1. He/she must come from a family whose combined annual income is less than US\$ 2500.
- 2. He/she must have an average of at least 75% marks in the institution previously attended.
- 3. He/she must pass an interview given by an ARF Scholarship Program representative.
- 4. He/she must undertake the full load prescribed in the curriculum of the course.
- 5. He/she must avail of only one grant at a time.
- 6. Complete all application requirements as listed below.

Scholarship Value/Inclusions

At both college and university levels the program covers partial financial support. Scholarships can cover tuition fees, learning materials (textbooks, stationary etc) accommodation and travelling costs (if required). Scholarship amounts will vary according to the level of studies and their duration.

Application Instructions

Applicants must submit all required forms and documents, as follows:

- **1.** Application form.
- **2.** One passport sized photograph.
- **3.** Photocopy of original birth certificate.
- 4. Copy of latest academic transcripts and certificates.
- **5.** Signed statement of support from legal guardian, if parents are deceased or incapacitated.
- 6. Minimum of one recommendation letter.

Any copies must be certified as a copy of the original, signed and dated.

APPLICATION FORM

1. Personal Details

First name:	
Last name:	
Father's name	
Mother's name	
Age:	
Sex:	
Date of birth:	
Place of birth:	
Citizenship:	
Occupation (if any):	
Mailing address:	
Phone number (include	
area codes):	
Email address:	

What are your academic and career goals?

How will this scholarship assist you in overcoming economic and/or other challenges?

2. Educational Background

Please list relevant high school/college attended, date attended and any certificates earned

High School/College	Enrollment		Degree Awarded
	From	То	

3. Social and/or Academic Involvement/Affiliations (please tick)

- Development work
- \Box Teaching/Training
- \Box Research
- \Box Media
- \Box Advocacy
- \Box Other please specify below

4. Recommendations

Please list below those individuals from whom you have included letters of recommendation to your application.

Name:

Designation:

Signature:

5. Financial Requirements and Educational Details

Level of education being applied for (please tick)

- College
- □ Undergraduate

What is your intended field of study? (please tick one and include major)

- Humanities
 Major ______
- Social Sciences
 Major ______
- Engineering, Manufacturing & Computing
 Major______
- Health and Welfare Major_____
- Commerce
 Major
- □ Law Major _____
- Other (please specify)

Name of Institution you wish to or are currently studying at and location?

How many semesters and over how many years is this course?

Will you be a full-time student during the time this scholarship is issued?

- Yes
- □ No (if **no** you are not eligible)

What are you applying to the program for? (please tick)

- □ *Tuition Fees*
- □ *Learning Materials*
- □ Transport
- □ Accommodation
- □ *All of the above*

If you are applying for tuition fees how much are the fees per semester? Please include costs (if any) for practical examinations?

If you are applying for learning materials what is your expenditure per semester? What items are you specifically applying for, i.e., textbooks, uniforms, stationary etc?

If you are applying for transport how much on average do you pay per semester for transport and by what mode do you travel?

If you are applying for accommodation how much on average do you pay for rent and where is the accommodation located?

6. Certification and Authorization

Applicant must read and sign below to be eligible.

I hereby certify that the information shown above is true and correct and have attached all requested documents. I certify that I meet all eligibility requirements as specified in this application and I consent to the release and disclosure of all such information to the Asian Resource Foundation and its authorized representatives.

Applicant Signature:

Date:

Parent/Guardian Signature: (If applicant is under the age of 18) Date:

This application form can be sent via e-mail but it is also required that the original form and supporting documentation be mailed to:

LOMEF/ARF House 1562/113, Soi 1/1 Mooban Pibul, Pracharaj Road Bangkok 10800, Thailand E-mail: lomef@arf-int.org

Tel: 66-2-9130196 Fax: 66-2-9130197 Webpage: <u>www.arf-asia.org</u>

* Applicants will be notified, in regards to their application and all information, documents and data provided by students-applicants shall be held in strict confidence and will be solely for internal use of ARF for evaluation purposes *