



# ALBERTA ASSOCIATION ON GERONTOLOGY EDMONTON CHAPTER 2011 STUDENT AWARD Application Form

**DESCRIPTION OF AWARD:** The Edmonton Chapter of the Alberta Association on Gerontology (AAG) is pleased to be the sponsor of an award to be given to a student from the Edmonton area who has an interest in any aspect of aging. The award is expected to assist with the costs associated with a student's coursework, research or attendance at a workshop or conference.

**VALUE AND DURATION:** An award of \$500 will be awarded annually. The award recipient will also receive a free one-year membership in the Alberta Association on Gerontology.

**ELIGIBILITY:** The applicant must:

1. Be registered in a degree, diploma or certificate program in an accredited post secondary institution (undergraduate, graduate, and diploma students are eligible)
2. Reside in Edmonton or surrounding communities
3. Not be in the last term of their program
4. Demonstrate an interest in any aspect of aging
5. Agree to contribute an article for an edition of the AAGmag (e.g., a written summary of their research or studies)

Individuals are encouraged to apply for the AAG Provincial award as well as the AAG Edmonton Chapter award but more than one award will not be given to the same person in the same year. An individual can receive the Edmonton Chapter award only once in their degree/study program.

**APPLICATION PROCEDURE:** A complete application will consist of four parts:

1. A one-page cover letter that includes a description of the applicant's current studies or research, and future plans in gerontology (academic, research, practice)
2. A completed award application form
3. A copy of the applicant's curriculum vitae
4. A copy of post-secondary education transcripts (they do not need to be original) or verification of the student's studies or research (e.g., current timetable, a letter from the student's supervisor)

**SELECTION PROCESS:** The awards will adjudicated/administered by the Alberta Association on Gerontology Provincial Board.

**CRITERIA:** Applications will be assessed on academic merit as illustrated by grades and educational attainment, relevant work/volunteer experience, current studies/research plans, future commitment to the field of gerontology, and an indication of how this award will be used to support the applicant's interest in gerontology. Preference will be given to full-time students, graduate students and current AAG members.

**APPLICATION DEADLINE:** April 30, 2011. The awards will be presented at the Edmonton Chapter Annual General Meeting in June, 2011.

# Application Form

Please Print or Type

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Province: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Post Secondary Institution: \_\_\_\_\_

Faculty: \_\_\_\_\_ Department: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Program: Degree  Diploma

Type of Degree: Undergraduate  Graduate

Type of Attendance: Full-time  Part-time

Name of Degree/Diploma \_\_\_\_\_

Year in Program: \_\_\_\_\_

Name and contact information of a faculty sponsor

*The sponsor may be contacted to confirm your studies/research*

*The sponsor does not need to be a member of AAG*

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Current Member of AAG: Yes  No

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**Applicant Signature**

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**Date**

Please forward the complete application to:  
**Alberta Association on Gerontology, Edmonton Chapter**  
**c/o Karen McDonald**  
**9745 91 Street**  
**Edmonton, Alberta T6C 3P8**