

The University of Wollongong and Sydney Business School Community Leadership and Development Program 2011

Ready for your next career step? Connect: Community Sector Scholarships

The Community Leadership and Development Program (CLDP) gives leaders and those who aspire to be leaders in the not for profit and community sector, a chance to build skills for the next challenge in their careers by offering industry leader mentoring and the opportunity undertake University study. CLDP is offering two scholarships with the Sydney Business School, UOW's provider of professional postgraduate business courses. These scholarships, each valued at \$AUD 10,000, cover tuition to undertake a Graduate Certificate of Management at the Sydney Business School's Sydney or Wollongong campuses.

Graduate Certificate of Management

The Graduate Certificate of Management is a flexible tertiary qualification which allows participants to choose 4 subjects from amongst a comprehensive list of subjects taught by the Sydney Business School. Examples of the type of programs undertaken include:

Example Program 1

- Managing People in Organisations
- Accounting for Managers
- Project Management
- Strategic Decision Making

Example Program 2

- Business Coaching
- Quality Management
- Innovation Topics and Cases
- Corporate Governance

Advanced Standing/Credit

Upon completion of the Graduate Certificate in Management students may apply to progress to the Master of Management with credit for subjects completed in the Graduate Certificate. This will not be sponsored by the University.

Eligibility

Applicants for the 2011 Program Community Leadership and Development Program must be in a leadership position, or aspire to a leadership position, in the community or not for profit sector in the Illawarra and South Coast Region or the Sydney metro area. Applicants must have a relevant tertiary qualification along with at least two years professional work experience. People interested who do not have qualifications but who have significant experience at a managerial level will also be considered. It is desirable that applicants are not currently enrolled in a Masters program or have a Masters level degree.

Applicants must also be committed to attendance in the program in which they enrol.

Selection Process

- Complete and lodge the application form.
- A short list is assembled by the CDLP Selection panel and shortlisted candidates may be invited to attend interviews with the CDLP Selection Panel.
- In awarding successful candidates the CDLP panel will consider previous work history, the reasons the applicant wishes to undertake the course and their future career intentions.

Graduating Community Leadership and Development Program Participants

Participants in the program may be asked to communicate their learning experiences to other e.g. in learning forums and at events.

Lodging an application

Completed application forms should be emailed to Tara Loty, Outreach and Mentoring Manager, at tara1@uow.edu.au, the closing date for the lodging application is Monday, 9 December 2011.

APPLICATION FORM
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Please complete this application form in full, attach your resume or CV, and email to Tara Loty (taral@uow.edu.au) by Monday, 9 December, 2011.

Name of Applicant: _____

Name of Applicant's Organisation (title and position): _____

Criteria to be met by all applicants:

ORGANISATIONAL	Yes/ No
Your Organisation	
Is audited and produces an annual report	
Is a not for profit organisation and has deductible gift recipient status	
PERSONAL	
You are a leader or aspire to a leadership role in the community/not for profit sector	
You have relevant tertiary qualifications along with at least two years professional work experience. Interested candidates without formal qualifications with significant experience at a managerial level will also be considered.	
You are committed to attend the subjects in which you enrol.	
You have a letter of support from your employer which supports you undertaking study.	
DESIRABLE	
That you are not currently enrolled in, or have completed a Masters program	

Why do you want to undertake the Graduate Certificate of Management? (200 words)

Why do you believe that you will benefit from being paired with a mentor? (200 words)

What are your future career intentions? (200 words)

Date of Birth _____

Address _____ Street _____

City _____ State/Country _____ Post Code _____

Telephone Number and Mobile Number: _____

Fax No: _____ Email Address: _____