



APPLICATION FOR STEPHEN O'BRIEN SCHOLARSHIP

Thank you for applying for the Stephen O'Brien Scholarship, please consider the following criteria when completing the application.

ELIGIBILITY

- This scholarship is not dependent solely on academic excellence.
- To be considered for this scholarship:
 - You must be an Australian citizen or permanent resident.
 - You will need to have a UAI or equivalent academic attainments (i.e. Cert II, III, IV TAFE or other tertiary study) with supporting evidence of relevant work experience or portfolio of sample work (includes mature age students). Please include this with your application paperwork.
- You must attend a scholarship interview
- Your application must be supported by a written recommendation from a Senior Minister that has known you for more than three (3) years and is willing to partnership with you in your college journey.

TO BE CONSIDERED FOR THIS HIGH PROFILE AWARD, THE APPLICANT MUST DISPLAY:

- Demonstrated willingness and ability to undertake theological study.
- Demonstrated interest in a career in ministry or ambassador for ministry (Ministry in Community).
- Committed Christian lifestyle with active involvement in ministry within their local church or community.
- A history of sound financial stewardship.

APPLICATION PROCESS

All scholarship applications must include the following:

- A fully completed scholarship application form.
- One reference letter of recommendation from your Senior Minister (who has known you for a 2 years minimum).

CONDITIONS OF THE SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

- This award covers course fees equivalent to one year full-time at MLC.
- This award may not be redeemed for cash or any other monetary exchange.
- This award does not cover books, software, consumables, stationery, and accommodation or student registration or graduation fee.
- This award may not be deferred or transferred.

FORFEIT OF SCHOLARSHIP

- Scholarships may be forfeited if, in the opinion of the MLC Board and faculty, the scholarship award holder:
 - Fails to abide by the conduct rules outlined in the Student Handbook.
 - Fails assessments.
 - Resigns from their scholarship or discontinues studies at MLC
 - Ceases service/attendance at their recommending church during their college studies.

I have read and understood the criteria set out within this document.

Name _____

Signed _____ Date _____

Applications Close: October 1st

Please complete this application form and return to:

**ACADEMIC REGISTRAR
MACQUARIE LEADERSHIP COLLEGE
PO BOX 1000
WARNERS BAY NSW 2282**



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Name _____
Address _____ Postcode _____
Phone _____ Mobile _____ Email _____
Local Church _____ Pastor's Name _____ Phone _____

Annual income range

- 0-20,000
- 21,000-35,000
- 36,000-55,000
- 55,000+

Current employment/studies

Qualification and Education record (attach supporting documents)

Work Experience and Training

Have you studied at Bible College previously? If so, please provide the name of the college and the name of the course undertaken.

Why do you want to attend Macquarie Leadership College? (Limit 100 words)

Current ministry involvement (Limit 100 words)

Future ministry aims (Limit 100 words)

