

14TH ANNUAL NUTRIEN INDIGENOUS YOUTH

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

AWARDS

Attention: Indigenous students in grade 11/12 We need you!

AFOA Canada and Nutrien are looking for 3 Ambassadors to represent the views of Canada's Indigenous Youth at AFOA Canada's 20th Anniversary National Conference

We are pleased to announce the **14th Nutrien Indigenous Youth Financial Management Awards**.

Three outstanding Indigenous Youth from across Canada will be selected to travel to Saskatoon, SK for four days to attend the ceremony at AFOA Canada's 20th Anniversary National Conference on October 8 - 10, 2019.

Would you like to:

- Jump-start your career?
- Meet Canada's most prominent Indigenous leaders who are making a positive change?
- Meet post-secondary representatives?
- Meet other inspiring Indigenous youth?
- Experience Saskatoon, SK and what it has to offer?

If you answered yes to these questions, please visit our website at www.afoa.ca and apply for this amazing opportunity!

Award recipients will enjoy:

- 5 year Scholarship package valued at over \$5,000
- Complimentary 4 night stay at the James Hotel
- Complimentary trip to Saskatoon and tour of city highlights
- Plus other exciting gifts!

Eligibility:

- Indigenous Ancestry (Proof of First Nation, Inuit or Métis status)
- Pursuing post-secondary education **and is** considering a career in the areas of **finance** and/or **management/commerce** (including financial management/planning, business administration, commerce, accounting and economics)
- Completed Application Form and submit an essay
- 2 letters of recommendation from a teacher, guidance counsellor or educator, attesting to the student's academic and community performance and commitment
- Academically successful
- Students in Grades 11 and/or 12 may apply (maximum age 19 at October 1, 2019)

"I AM SO THANKFUL TO AFOA CANADA AND NUTRIEN FOR GIVING MYSELF AND MY FELLOW AWARD WINNERS SUCH AN AMAZING EXPERIENCE. YOUR SELFLESS EFFORTS HAVE GIVEN EACH OF US A MASSIVE HEAD START IN ACHIEVING OUR EDUCATIONAL AND CAREER GOALS. MY TIME AT THE AFOA CANADA NATIONAL CONFERENCE WAS UNFORGETTABLE AND TAUGHT ME SO MUCH. I HOPE YOU CONTINUE TO MAKE A POSITIVE DIFFERENCE IN THE LIVES OF YOUNG INDIGENOUS PEOPLE."

- David Buzza, Mission, BC

APPLY NOW! DEADLINE EXTENDED - FRIDAY JUNE 7, 2019 AT 9PM EST

For more information call **1-866-722-2362** or email youthawards@afoa.ca

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Application Form

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Address _____

City/town _____ Prov/Terr _____ Postal Code _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Grade _____ Age _____ School _____
(as of October 1, 2019) (as of October 1, 2019)

Community _____ Teacher Name & Contact Info. (Email) _____

How did you hear about these awards? _____

Please write an essay (maximum 1500 words) addressing the following questions.

1. Tell us about you and your community.
2. Why have you chosen a career in finance and/or management?
3. What do you believe are the most important issues indigenous youth face today and why?
4. How do you think the issues you have identified should be solved?
5. What people or organizations should play a part of solving these issues? What should be their roles?
6. What final message do you want to leave the audience here today?

Submit your application, essay and reference letters to one of the following:

1. **Email:** youthawards@afoa.ca
2. **Fax:** (613)-722-3467
3. **Mail:** AFOA Canada
1066 Somerset St. West-Suite 301
Ottawa, ON K1Y 4T3

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