



CALIFORNIA TEACHERS OF ENGLISH TO SPEAKERS OF OTHER LANGUAGES

CATESOL ORANGE COUNTY CHAPTER SCHOLARSHIP

Amount: \$500.00 + 1-year membership in CATESOL

CATESOL Orange County Chapter has established this scholarship to promote effective preparation of teachers of English to speakers of other languages.

CATESOL is a professional organization whose mission is to promote excellence in education for English language learners and a high quality professional environment for their teachers. CATESOL Orange County Chapter represents teachers of English language learners at all levels and in all learning environments in Orange County and surrounding communities.

CATESOL strives to:

- improve teacher preparation and provide opportunities which further professional expertise
- promote sound, research based education policies and practices
- increase awareness of the strengths and needs of English language learners
- promote appreciation of diverse linguistic and cultural backgrounds

Open to: Post-baccalaureate students enrolled in a TESOL program in Orange County or at Biola University.

Criteria:

- 3.50 overall GPA in TESOL post-baccalaureate courses (excluding prerequisites)
- Minimum of 9 units of completed post-baccalaureate TESOL coursework
- Evidence of service to the profession
- Telephone or face-to-face interview of finalists may be required

Application Procedure:

Complete and sign the application on the reverse of this flyer and submit it with the following:

- Two letters of recommendation, one from a current TESOL faculty member and one from a supervisor in the TESOL field
- A resume or curriculum vitae
- A typed 300-word essay describing how your particular experience and qualities have prepared you to contribute to the profession and the ESL community
- Transcripts (official or unofficial) of all post-baccalaureate college work, including evidence of work in progress

Additional application forms can be obtained at www.catesol.org. Click “conferences” and then “awards.”

Application Deadline: must be received by January 15, 2009

Submit application materials to:

John Liang
8081 Kerr Green
Buena Park, CA 90621



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CATESOL ORANGE COUNTY CHAPTER Scholarship Application

Please submit this application as the cover page of your scholarship packet. Staple the application to the packet. Note: The recipient of the award will be required to provide a taxpayer identification number (TIN) or social security number (SSN) prior to the winner being announced.

Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial
Street Address		
City	State CA	Zip Code
Telephone (mark preference) Home	Work	Cell
E-mail Address		

I certify that the information contained in this application packet is true to the best of my knowledge.

Signature

Date

Finalists will be notified by January 25, 2009. The scholarship will be awarded at the CATESOL Orange County Chapter Spring Conference on February 6, 2009 at California State University, Fullerton. The winner will be acknowledged in the CATESOL News.

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