

2025 First Nations Affairs Form

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Are you ready to change the world?

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2025 First Nations Affairs Scholarship Round

As champions of diversity, the Institute of Community Directors Australia has long been focussed on providing leadership opportunities to the most underrepresented sectors of the community. In this round, we're offering part-scholarships towards the Diploma of Governance.

Apply today and be part of a new movement of governance leaders. Help us change the game.

Applicants must demonstrate:

- 1.their experience sitting on a board or working closely with a board of directors
- 2.their passion for increasing Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander leadership in the sector
- 3.main opportunities and challenges for increasing Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander leadership in the sector
- 4.their reasons for wanting to improve their governance skills

Applicants must also agree to the [terms and conditions](#)

Please tick the box to confirm your agreement *

☐ Yes, I agree to to the terms and conditions

Application Details

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Applicant *

Title First Name Last Name

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Name of Organisation *

Organisation Name

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This is the organisation that will most benefit from your governance skills, not necessarily your employer

Website

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Must be a URL.

Applicant Primary Address *

Address

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Suburb State Postcode

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Must be an Australian post code

Applicant Primary Phone Number *

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Applicant Primary Email *

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Must be an email address

What is your experience sitting on a board or working closely with a board of directors? *

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Word count:

Must be no more than 200 words

What can you do to increase Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander leadership in the sector? *

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Word count:

Must be no more than 200 words

What do you see as the main opportunities and challenges for increasing Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander leadership in the sector? How are you working to meet them? *

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How would the Diploma of Governance change your world? *

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We're interested in where you think this course might take you, particularly in relation to your current or future management/governance roles. Must be no more than 200 words

Are you currently in a governance or management role? Or have been previously?

Please tick all that apply. *

- ☐ Director/Committee Member
- ☐ CEO
- ☐ Senior Manager
- ☐ Aspiring for a governance/management role
- ☐ Chair
- ☐ Treasurer
- ☐ Secretary

Please explain your background in governance/management and/or your interest in completing the ICDA Diploma of Governance. *

Word count:

This will help us gauge whether or not this course will meet your needs. Recommend around 100 words.

Please describe how you think this program will help you make a stronger contribution to your organisation and/or local community. *

Word count:

This will help us gauge whether or not your participation in this course will be beneficial to you and your community. Recommend around 100 words.

Please outline your most senior or relevant business, community and/or governance roles, including the length of service in each role. *

Word count:

This will help us understand how to tailor our training to your needs/experience. Recommend around 100 words.

Please list any education courses you have completed, or any academic qualifications you have obtained, including year of completion. *

Word count:

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This will help us understand how to tailor our training to your needs/experience. Recommend around 100 words.

Please provide details of any other relevant achievements, appointments or awards that would support your application and completion of this course. *

Word count:

This will provide us with further context about your suitability for this course. Recommend around 100 words.

Do you have any learning needs we need to be aware of? If so, please specify.

Word count:

This will help us gauge whether or not this course will meet your needs. Recommend around 100 words.

PLEASE NOTE: The Diploma is currently being offered online only.

Confirmation

If your application is successful, are you happy for the Institute of Community Directors Australia to share the news of your scholarship through its social media channels (tagging you on Facebook and/or LinkedIn)? *

Where did you hear about the Diploma of Governance?

- ☐ Posted mail from Our Community
- ☐ Brochure from a colleague
- ☐ Email from Our Community
- ☐ Email from another organisation
- ☐ Email from a colleague
- ☐ Our Community website
- ☐ Other website
- ☐ "Community Directors Intelligence" newsletter
- ☐ Newsletter advertisement
- ☐ Facebook
- ☐ Twitter
- ☐ LinkedIn
- ☐ Word of mouth
- ☐ Other: