AILDI 2010 APPLICATION FOR FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Financial support is available for partial tuition support on a very limited basis. Complete and submit form to AILDI by the priority deadline, **Wednesday March 10, 2010**. Notices of financial awards will be sent by mail by Friday April 9, 2010. Please note that incomplete applications will **not** be considered.

**Background Information**

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Are you in a degree program?  
☐ Yes  ☐ No  
If so, where?  
Program you are enrolled in:  
☐ Bachelor's  ☐ Master's  
☐ Ed. Specialist  ☐ Doctoral

Are you working toward an Arizona Bilingual or ESL endorsement?  
☐ Yes  ☐ No

Number of credit hours you currently have toward your endorsement?  

**Please provide the following information on a separate sheet.**

I. **Community**
   Describe your language community (or relevant community) in regards to language status/vitality (please include a description of language use, speaker population, school and community language programs/projects etc.).

II. **Language Experience**
   Describe your language experience (Native language literacy, language courses taken and/or taught, linguistics courses taken and/or taught, etc.).

III. **Personal and Professional Goals**
   Describe your personal and professional goals in relation to Indigenous language education. Also, if you are enrolled in, or plan to enter a degree program, describe your interests in obtaining a degree and any previous university course work.

IV. **Philosophy Statement**
   Describe your philosophy of Indigenous language education and how your participation in AILDI will help you achieve your goals and better meet the needs of your students, community, language and culture.

V. **Financial Need**
   Provide a brief statement of financial need. What other sources of funding do you anticipate?

VI. **Provide one (1) letter of recommendation**

**Submit material to AILDI no later than Wednesday March 10, 2010.**

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