



California Association for the Education of Young Children

# Conference Scholarship

The CAAIEYC Annual Conference Award offers five (5) awards for members to attend the CAAIEYC Annual Conference and Expo – Full Conference (Early Bird Registration). The Conference Award hopes to promote attendance for those members who are interested in learning new and innovative techniques, share resources and meet new members of their profession. This award encourages involvement in the organization and provides continual growth and vitality in the field of early childhood education.

## Eligibility and Process

To be eligible, an applicant must be a current CAAIEYC member in good standing. Employment or volunteer work in a program or organization serving children from birth to age 8, or student enrollment in a minimum of six (6) Early Childhood Education or Child Development units is required. An applicant must also possess a commitment to the field of Early Childhood Education or Child Development and a commitment to professional growth development.

Only COMPLETE applications with all supporting documents received by the application deadline will be considered. Applications and supporting materials will be reviewed and evaluated by the CAAIEYC Awards and Grants Committee and recommendations will be submitted to the CAAIEYC Board of Directors for consideration. All applicants will be notified of their acceptance or declination using contact information provided on the application.

Award recipients are encouraged to attend the CAAIEYC Annual Membership Meeting for the purpose of public recognition.

## Requirements and Deadline

- A personal statement to the CAAIEYC Board of Directors describing your commitment to ECE, your active involvement in ECE, and your desire to attend conference including how it will benefit your professional growth.
- Verification of employment, volunteer work or student status.
- One (1) letter of recommendation relevant to your work with children ages 0-8 from a direct supervisor or college instructor.
- Must be an NAEYC/CAAIEYC member.

### SUBMISSIONS DEADLINE:

Applications must be submitted **online** by 5:00pm on February 7, 2025.

APPLY ONLINE

Name	Email		
Address	City	County	Zip
Work Phone	Personal Phone		
NAEYC Membership Expiration Date	Chapter (Local)		
Degree Held & Major	Degree Desired & Major		
Employer/Volunteer Site/College	Position Title/Role/Specialization Area		
Address	City	County	Zip
Dates of Employment/Service/Attendance	Hours per Week/Units	Months per Year/Semester or Quarter	

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