

CAROLE ANN LEE ALOHA SCHOLARSHIP

About the Scholarship:

The Carole Ann Lee Aloha Scholarship is designed to provide funding to undergraduate students who aspire to be a force for positive change. Applicants of all backgrounds are eligible for consideration. Additional positive consideration will be given to students who identify with the Hawaiian Islands or Hawaiian culture.

Scholarship Amount:

- The scholarship amount is determined at the completion of the 2024-25 academic year. Recipients will be notified by the Office of Financial Aid during the summer of 2025.

Eligibility:

- The Carole Ann Lee Aloha Scholarship is available to undergraduate students currently enrolled in the 2024-2025 academic year that will be returning in the 2025-2026 academic year.
- Applicant must aspire to be a force for positive change in their life, community, and the world.
- Although applicants from any background are welcome to apply, additional consideration will be given to students who identify with the Hawaiian Islands or Hawaiian Culture.

Application Deadline:

- The deadline to submit your application to the Office of Financial Aid is June 18, 2025 by 5:00PM PT.

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SECTION A: Student Information

Name (Last, First, MI): _____

SUA Student ID#: _____

Current Grade Level: _____

Email: _____

SECTION B: Eligibility

1.) Expected Graduation Date: _____

2.) Cumulative GPA: _____

3.) Have you completed a 2025-2026 Financial Aid Application?

☐ YES

☐ NO

4.) Did you graduate from a high school located on one of the Hawaiian Islands?

☐ YES

☐ NO

5.) How many years of high school did you complete on one of the Hawaiian Islands: _____

SECTION C: Certification (Check all boxes)

☐ **Authorization** – I authorize the Office of Financial Aid and/or the Scholarship Committee to verify my university status and any of the information provided as part of this scholarship application.

☐ **Release** – If I am selected as a recipient of this scholarship, I allow the Office of Financial Aid to release my scholarship application and demographic information to the donor and/or other departments on campus.

☐ **Thank You Letter** – If I am selected as a recipient of this scholarship, I acknowledge that I will be required to write a thank you letter to the donor prior to any scholarship funds being awarded to my account. The thank you letter will be delivered to the Office of Financial Aid. The Office of Financial Aid will be responsible for delivering the thank you letter to the donor.

☐ **I identify with the Hawaiian Islands or Hawaiian Culture** (only check if applicable).

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SECTION D: Positive Change

1.) In the space below, please provide an example of how you have been a source positive change in the past and what inspired you to do so.

2.) List all significant awards, activities, leadership positions, service projects, and research projects that support your commitment to positive change:

_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

(Please attach any supporting documentation that you believe would be relevant to this application.)

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SECTION E: Soka Education

In the space below, please explain how you will use your Soka education to broaden your horizons and make a positive difference in your life, community, and in the world.

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SECTION F: Connection to the Hawaiian Islands

In the space provided below, please explain your relationship the Hawaiian Islands and/or Hawaiian Culture. If this question is not applicable to you, please indicate so by writing "Not Applicable" in the space below.

SECTION G: Signature

By signing this form, I certify that all the information reported on this application is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that any false statements or misrepresentation may be cause for denial, reduction, withdrawal, and/or repayment of this scholarship. If selected for this scholarship, it will be added to your financial aid package and may impact eligibility for other financial aid awards. Recipients will be notified by the Office of Financial Aid if selected and will be required to write a thank you letter to the donor prior to the scholarship being awarded.

Student Name (print)

Student Signature

Date

Applications and supporting documents can be mailed, mailed inter-office, hand-delivered or emailed to the Office of Financial Aid at financialaid@soka.edu with the subject line of: **Carole Ann Lee Aloha Scholarship**.