

Tanya Bocking Memorial Fund

APPLICATION FORM

The Tanya Bocking Memorial Fund has been set up to help new outdoor leaders become outstanding outdoor leaders. Information about the fund, and the application form, may be found at www.aultd.org

Making an Application

1. Check you are eligible (see below)
2. Download and complete the application form, and return by email to info@aultd.org
(We much prefer applications by email as it saves time and paper. However, if you are unable to email, please post your application to: The Tanya Bocking Memorial Fund, C/o Adventure Unlimited, 64 Edward Street, Brighton BN2 0JR)
3. Applications may be sent at any time of year and will be put to the next panel meeting. The panel meets on the first Friday of March, June, September and December each year. The deadline for applications is seven days before each meeting.

The application form is in two sections.

Section 1 is to be completed in writing by all applicants

Section 2 asks for a response either in writing or on audio tape/video/CD/DVD

Each application will be judged on its own merits. Written and recorded responses to Section 2 will be assessed equally. Please choose whichever method you prefer.

Eligibility

To be eligible for a grant, you must be all of the following:

- Experienced in working with young people
- Able to demonstrate a commitment to pursuing a career in outdoor leadership
- Able to show who will benefit from your new leadership skills
- In agreement with the fund's ethos (see www.aultd.org)
- Aged 25 years or over, a UK resident and intending to continue working in the UK, at the time of application
- Unable to fund the training by other means

Most grants we make are between £200 and £600. The absolute maximum is £1,000.

If you are unsuccessful, you may reapply at any time. If you are successful, you must wait until 12 months have elapsed after the date your grant was awarded before reapplying.

The Fund aims to reduce under-representation in outdoor leadership. Preference will be given to applications from people who are in one or more of our priority groups: women, LGBT, Black & Minority Ethnic, living in an area of high deprivation

Restrictions on Use

Grants may be used to pay for:

- Training and/or assessment courses that lead to recognised, National Governing Body qualifications in outdoor leadership in the UK (e.g. MLTB, BCU, RYA, BOF)
- Accredited training that supports the professional development of outdoor leaders (e.g. Health & Safety, Child Protection, Disability Awareness etc)
- Directly related costs i.e transport and accommodation, in relation to the training or assessment course

Grants may not be used for:

- Equipment
- Any other purpose

Making an application to the Fund does not guarantee an award. Your application will be assessed by a panel with a limited amount of grants to make each year. Please see the Adventure Unlimited website www.aultd.org for further details of the Fund's Aim and Ethos.

