



ALFRED YEO FUND FOR THEOLOGICAL STUDIES

Introduction

The Alfred Yeo Fund for Theological Studies is established by ACTS College Ltd (ACTS) with funds provided by Zion Full Gospel Church to support theological studies at ACTS in the form of scholarships and bursaries. The Fund is named in honour of **Rev Alfred Yeo (Rev Yeo)**, who served as the Senior Pastor of Zion Full Gospel Church (ZFGC) from 2004 to 2016.

In Loving Memory of ,

Dev. Alfred Yea

1952 - 2016

"Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,
I will fear no evil; For You are with me; Your rod and Your staff, they comfort me."

Psalms 23: 4 (NK.IV.)



Besides pastoring, Rev Yeo served as an adjunct faculty to the then Assemblies of God (AG) Bible College imparting his knowledge, skills and experience on counselling. Touching lives, especially the under-privileged, was always a burden that Rev Yeo carried with him. It was no surprise that he founded and chaired the work of the AG Community Service Society in Singapore. Well-respected in the AG community, Rev Yeo was also elected to serve in the AG Executive Council for several terms.

An all-rounder in ministry, Rev Yeo left a strong legacy when he led ZFGC from strength to strength by the grace of our Lord. Rev Yeo was fully committed to loving, nurturing and growing the church. Recognising the need to advance theological training and expand the possibilities for future AG ministers, Rev Yeo always reminded the church to support the work of ACTS. As an act of worship and thanksgiving to our Lord, ZFGC is privileged to partner with ACTS to establish the "Alfred Yeo Fund for Theological Studies" that the Fund's beneficiaries will constantly be reminded and challenged by the legacy of Rev Yeo.

Alfred Yeo Fund for Theological Studies (Scholarship)

Eligibility

The scholarship is opened to **all matriculated students** of ACTS who are Singapore Citizens or Permanent Residents. New students applying for the scholarship must have concurrently submitted their application for matriculation. Preferences in selection will be given to those who are:

- 1. Outstanding in academic performance, with at least a GPA of 3.3 for an existing Graduate programme student, or 3.0 for an existing Undergraduate programme student. New students will be accessed based on previous merits.
- 2. Presently and actively involved in the ministry of his or her local church.
- 3. Training to enter into fulltime ministry after their theological studies.
- 4. Facing financial difficulties.
- 5. Exemplary and sound in their character.

Value of Award

The Scholarships are awarded on a **by-level basis**, and scholarship recipients can apply for the renewal of the scholarships for a subsequent level after they complete each level of studies. Each renewal application will be re-assessed based on the applicant's present need and past academic performances. Each scholarship provides the recipient with the following:

- 1. Tuition fees, and all fees relating to the academic aspect of the studies for up to the completion of the current level of their theological programme.
- 2. A \$50-per-module book allowance in support of their studies

Alfred Yeo Fund for Theological Studies (Bursary)

Eligibility

The bursary is opened to **all matriculated students** of ACTS who are Singapore Citizens or Permanent Residents. Applicants must have taken at least two modules in ACTS, and must be shown to have genuine financial difficulties. Additionally, applicants should be:

- 1. Satisfactory in academic performance, with at least a GPA of 3.0 for a Graduate programme student, or 2.3 for an Undergraduate programme student.
- 2. Presently and actively involved in the ministry of his or her local church.
- 3. Exemplary and sound in their character.

Value of Bursary

The bursaries are awarded on an **annual basis**, and bursary recipients can apply for the renewal of the bursaries after each academic year. Each renewal application will be reassessed based on the applicant's present need and past academic performances. Each bursary provides the recipient with a 50% subsidy of tuition fees for all enrolled modules within the academic year covered under the bursary.

Selection Process

The scholarships/bursaries will be awarded twice a year (in June and in December). Applicants may apply by submitting the prescribed application form. All applications must be submitted in person to the ACTS Admin Office no later than **30 April** or **30 Oct** each year. Incomplete application forms will not be processed.

All applications will be considered by the Scholarship/Bursary Committee. Only selected scholarship applicants will be required to attend an interview with the Scholarship Committee. All successful applicants will then be notified in writing on their receipt of the scholarship/bursary.

All decisions made by the Scholarship/Bursary Committee will be final, and no appeal will be entertained.

Undertaking by Recipient

The Scholarship/Bursary is tenable only at ACTS, and the recipient must undertake the following:

- 1. To devote his/her time and energy to his/her studies to ensure satisfactory progress and completion.
- 2. Not to hold concurrently any other scholarship or bursary, without the specific written approval of ACTS.
- 3. That the recipient accepts and will abide by all the terms and conditions of this Scholarship/Bursary.
- 4. Scholarship recipients are to complete the level of his/her studies covered by the scholarship within the stipulated timeframe, i.e. in 1 year as a full-time student, or in 2 years as a part-time student.
- 5. Scholarship recipients are to pay back in full the scholarship amount to ACTS within three months of notice by the College in the event that ACTS terminates the scholarship due to reasons concerning the recipient's conduct (see below).

Disqualification and Cessation

ACTS reserves the right to reduce, suspend or terminate the Scholarship/Bursary immediately, and without notice, if the recipient:

- 1. Commits a criminal offence.
- 2. Conducts himself/herself in a manner that compromises academic integrity and/or Christian witness.
- 3. Fails to maintain a satisfactory GPA.
- 4. Is disciplined or expelled by ACTS for breach of its regulations.
- 5. Is found to have been dishonest in any aspect of the application process.

The scholarship recipient is then expected to pay back in full the scholarship amount that has already been utilised to ACTS within three months of notice.





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Application Form for Scholarship / Bursary

I am applying for the following:	
[] SCHOLARSHIP	
[] SCHOLARSHIP - RENEWAL	
[] BURSARY	
[] BURSARY - RENEWAL	
I. STUDENT INFORMATION	
Name (as in NRIC/Passport):	Sex: M / F
	erline surname / family name
Address:	
	Postal Code:
Telephone: (Home)	(Office) (Handphone)
NRIC / Passport No.:	Citizenship:
Date of Birth (dd/mm/yy)://	Marital Status:
Present Occupation:	No. of Children:
II. ACADEMIC INFORMATION	
Please select the academic programme yo	ou are currently on:
[] Certificate of Theology	[] Graduate Diploma of Theology
[] Diploma of Theology	[] Master of Theological Studies
[] Bachelor of Theology	[] Master of Divinity
Intake (Sem / Year – e.g. 02 / 2015):	Expected year of graduation:

III. **MINISTRY INFORMATION** Church Name: _____ Pastor-in-charge: _____ ______ Postal Code: _____ Please list your current church ministry involvement (and length of time involved): Please describe your future ministry direction (for Scholarship applicants): IV. **FINANCIAL INFORMATION** Please state any other scholarship/bursary/sponsorship from any organization which you have been awarded or expect to be awarded towards your academic programme at ACTS College:

Amount (S\$)

Scholarship / Bursary / Sponsorship

] No			
If Yes, what is your monthly average?							
Do you have to support your family?	[] Yes	[] No			
If Yes, please specify							
Do you have other financial obligations?	[] Yes	[] No			
If Yes, please specify							
Are you in financial debt?	[] Yes	[] No			
If Yes, please specify							
I certify that the information submitted in my application are true and complete to my best knowledge. I agree to advise the College when I receive any monetary support or scholarship from other sources.							
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