

2020  
EURYDICE DIXON GENDER  
EQUALITY CHAMPIONS  
AWARD

## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### **What is the Good People Act Now (GPAN) project?**

The Good People Act Now project is a youth led action group based in Broadmeadows, who are working to promote gender equality and the prevention of violence against women in Hume.

### **Why was the Eurydice Dixon Gender Equality Champions Award created?**

The award has been established in memory of 22 year old Melbourne woman Eurydice Dixon who was tragically raped and murdered whilst returning home from a comedy night in which she had performed in June 2018.

This award is based on the proven understanding that gender inequality is the cause of violence against women. The award aims to celebrate local young people who are taking action on this issue.

### **What is a gender equality champion?**

A gender equality champion is someone who is demonstrating a commitment to gender equality in their own lives and in their communities. This may be through raising awareness about the issue, creating opportunities for other young people or through leading by example.

For more examples of what a gender equality champion could be, please visit our webpage: [www.goodpeopleactnow.org.au/gender-equality-champions-award](http://www.goodpeopleactnow.org.au/gender-equality-champions-award)

### **How old do I have to be to apply for the award?**

Applicants must be between 15-25 years old to apply for the Eurydice Dixon Gender Equality Champions Award.

### **What kinds of things can the scholarship money be used for?**

The winner must use the award to further their personal or professional development. For example:

- Support for personal and/or professional development
- Education costs
- Equipment (e.g. sports equipment, a computer or software)
- Travel to attend a conference (and conference fees)

For clarification on any of these, please contact Georgia, details below.

### **How can I submit an application and when is it due?**

Applications can be submitted online through our webpage:

[www.goodpeopleactnow.org.au/gender-equality-champions-award](http://www.goodpeopleactnow.org.au/gender-equality-champions-award)

Applications can be submitted by the intended recipient or by a third party on their behalf. Submissions open 9AM Friday, October 9th and close Monday November 2nd at 5PM. Late submissions will not be accepted.

Please be aware that you can continue to edit your application after submitting up until the close date, Friday November 2nd 2020 at 5pm.



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