



MINERVA FOUNDATION FOR BC WOMEN

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Rix Family Foundation Science and Technology Award

Founded in 1999, the Minerva Foundation for BC Women creates opportunities for women throughout BC to realize their economic and leadership potential through innovative donor and community partnerships and entrepreneurial strategies that stimulate philanthropy. This award for BC women seeking to advance their education at a recognized British Columbia college or university is a result of the generosity of the **Rix Family Foundation** in conjunction with the **Minerva Foundation for BC Women**. The Minerva Foundation Award will be made available to a female resident of BC with demonstrated financial need and academic proficiency advancing her education in **Science and Technology**.

Candidates should meet at least one of the Foundation's criteria:

1. Assist single mothers in advancing their education.
2. Retrain mature women returning to the workforce.
3. Advance women in a non-traditional field of study.
4. Assist immigrant women, Aboriginal women or women with disabilities to overcome educational barriers.

SPONSORED BY: Rix Family Foundation

VALUE: \$1,000

NO OF AWARDS: Two

APPLICATION DEADLINE: June 1, 2011

APPLY TO: **The Minerva Foundation for BC Women**
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