

**‘New Horizons for Editing and Publishing’
National Editors Conference, 7 to 9 September 2011
CAL National Editors Conference Bursaries – Submission Guidelines
and Application (closing date 1 July 2011)**

Australia’s biennial national editors conference is held under the aegis of IPEd (The Institute of Professional Editors). The 2011 conference will celebrate the art of editing and the profession of editor. Through the generous support of the CAL Cultural Fund, four CAL National Editors Conference Bursaries are being provided so that emerging editors from all parts of Australia may have the chance to attend the National Editors Conference and workshop programs in Sydney.

We invite applications from emerging editors who have a particular interest in the conference program, such as our featured presentations on Indigenous editing mentorship. We especially encourage Indigenous editors to apply for a bursary. Two of the four bursaries will be available for emerging editors on the kuril dhagun Indigenous Editing Mentorship program.

The bursary will cover return airfares to Sydney, transfers, 4 nights accommodation and expenses plus registration fees for the conference and a workshop.

The provision of the CAL National Editors Conference Bursaries will enable the emerging editor recipients to participate in a national event, make editing and publishing contacts and enhance their own editorial skills.

A related outcome is that participants will then be able to communicate their experience and learning to their local communities and publishing initiatives, thereby enhancing Australian content.

- download the application form for the CAL bursaries from our conference webpage www.editorsnsw.com/conference2011.htm.
- applicants must be Australian-based trainee editors or editors in the early stages of their career who are available to attend the conference.
- provide a brief description of why you would like to attend the conference and workshop program with the support of a CAL National Editors Conference Bursary, and what attendance will help you to achieve (300 words).
- provide a brief bio (200 words) describing your editorial experience.
- provide a brief statement (200 words) supporting your application for a CAL National Editors Conference Bursary from an editorial employer/supervisor who may be contacted.
- closing date for submitting applications is 1 July 2011.
- successful applicants will be notified by 10 July 2011.

The conference will be held at the Dockside Conference Centre in the heart of Sydney and is hosted by the Society of Editors (NSW) Inc.

Visit the webpage for details: <http://www.editorsnsw.com/conference2011.htm>

