## Indigenous Biocultural Exchange Fund

The Indigenous Biocultural Exchange Fund (IBEX) offers opportunities to attend a global biocultural event/exchange or a meeting of international significance which impacts the applicants' home territory or region. This fund supports indigenous peoples and local communities to have a voice in the policies and forums that concern biocultural diversity at a global level.

## **Eligibility Requirements**

The applicant must be Indigenous or a member of a local traditional community.

Additional preference will be given to: women, youth and first time travelers.

Funding is not available for those applying to an academic program.

## **Award Benefits**

Maximum of \$5,000.00 awarded funding (flexibility based on budget submission).

Award recipients are chosen by a competitive selection process and must use the award to defray costs, which include:

- International Airfare
- Hotel/Lodging
- Conference Fees
- Meals

- Incidentals
- Local Transportation
- Visa Fees
- Travel Insurance

Currently accepting applications for events/exchanges falling between

April 1, 2016 through August 15, 2016
Application Deadline: February 25, 2016

To apply go to: www.iie.org/ibexapply

Questions may be directed to: <a href="mailto:IBEX@iie.org">IBEX@iie.org</a>



INSTITUTE OF INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION