



Black Foundation of Community Networks

Scholarship Directory 2016

A scholarship directory for students who are pursuing post-secondary undergraduate education in Canada. Together we can achieve success, one student, one adult, one family at a time.

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About BFCN

The Black Foundation of Community Networks (BFCN) is a non-profit organization founded in 2011 to network community resources and groups, to strengthen the Black family unit and to improve student achievement. BFCN is based out of Woodbridge, Ontario and serves the Black community in the Greater Toronto Area. BFCN's initiatives include a weekly youth Friday Focus Program with a Parent Forum, annual scholarships and bursaries, an annual Scholarship Directory, an ongoing Community Calendar and access to diverse resources, services and opportunities for youth, adults and families.

Friday Focus is a weekly program created to engage Black youth and parents. The youth work with teachers, volunteers and peers to improve math literacy, learn Black history and enjoy recreational activities while developing social and life skills. The parents engage in a Parent Forum where weekly discussions, workshops and resource-sharing takes place as well as a 30-minute fitness activity. All adults are welcome in the Parent Forum; most are parents but you don't need to be one to join!

Each year BFCN awards three annual scholarships to Black youth pursuing post-secondary undergraduate education in Canada; one for a graduating high school or CÉGEP student; one for a student already working towards their degree or diploma and one for a student who has overcome adversity. These \$1,000 awards are granted to successful students who have also demonstrated community involvement, leadership qualities and financial need. The 5th Annual BFCN Scholarships are due on July 31, 2016.

The BFCN Scholarship Directory is one of our most important initiatives. We believe that every student should have access to a current and informative resource of diverse scholarships, bursaries and awards to help pay for post-secondary education. Each year, thousands of dollars go unclaimed because students are unaware of what is available and information is often outdated or inaccessible. Our hope is that this directory will continue to guide students and their parents and educators towards securing financial support. We also believe that access to education of all forms is important for the continued success and advancement of our brilliant Black youth. Student achievement is one of our main goals and scholarships and resources such as these can help our youth achieve their goals both in and out of school.

Together we can strengthen the Black family unit and improve student achievement, one student, one adult, one family at a time.



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President's Message

Dear Students, Parents and Educators,

On behalf of the BFCN Family, I would like to introduce you to the 4th Annual BFCN Scholarship Directory. We hope that you will find this resource informative, useful and beneficial whether you are a student, parent or educator. We believe that education is one of the keys to success and that all youth should have the opportunity to attain further education in their academic careers. Scholarships, bursaries and awards help make these goals more achievable by financially assisting students with the often inaccessible and high costs of post-secondary education.

We created this directory to highlight existing scholarships, bursaries and awards that are available for students pursuing post-secondary undergraduate education in Canada. We have included more than 45 scholarships in this directory and we hope that each one is awarded to a youth in our community. Each page represents a different entry and includes a summary of the criteria as well as important information you need to apply. We have also included a personalized checklist at the bottom of each page. However, it is very important to also carefully read the criteria and instructions on each organization's website or application. BFCN is not liable for any inaccuracies which may appear in this document. Any due date with an asterisk (*) means that the exact date in the month was not confirmed at the time of publication. The final page includes a list of scholarships, bursaries and awards whose information was not confirmed at the time of publication but are still available. We encourage you to do further research!

This project is a work in progress and will be updated each year. If you are an organization or an individual who knows of any other scholarships which were not included in this directory, please forward the information to us at info@bfcn.ca. We would love to include them! Please share this resource widely to increase overall access. For more information regarding this Scholarship Directory or BFCN, please contact us at info@bfcn.ca or at 416-566-2731. If you use social media, stay up-to-date and like our page on [Facebook](#) and follow us on [Twitter](#)!

Thank you for your continued support.

Cheryl Yarde
President



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Scholarship Application Tips & Tricks

- ✓ Confirm that you are **eligible** for the award and meet all criteria.
- ✓ Contact the organization to make sure all the information is accurate.
- ✓ **Prepare in advance** and give yourself enough time to complete the application.
- ✓ **Read the instructions** very carefully. One small error can eliminate your application!
- ✓ Take note of the **due date**. Does the application need to be received by the date or only post-marked (in the post office by the date)?
- ✓ **Use a black pen**, unless otherwise specified.
- ✓ Do a **practice/rough copy** before completing the real application.
- ✓ **Write a generic 500 word letter of intent** outlining your goals, achievements, academic and career plans. Most scholarships require a letter or essay of some form. If you have a generic one completed, all you have to do is modify it to satisfy the criteria of the scholarship you are applying for!
- ✓ The tip above ^ also applies for **Cover Letters and Resumes!**
- ✓ **Update your letter of intent, cover letter and resume** as you gain new experiences so it's always ready to go.
- ✓ When writing, **be yourself and be honest!** Try to set yourself apart from others! **Don't just list** your accomplishments or activities. Explain them and demonstrate why they should make you more qualified and deserving. You got this!
- ✓ **Proofread** 3 times and then send it to a friend to proofread again!
- ✓ Ask a professional (e.g. teacher, coach, or employer) to provide a **good reference**.
- ✓ **Give your references enough time** to prepare the reference letters. If possible, ask for the letters to be printed on letterhead.
- ✓ Order a sufficient amount of **transcripts**, especially before the school year ends.
- ✓ **Triple-check your application package** to ensure all documents are included and in the right order.
- ✓ Always have enough **stamps and envelopes** ready to go. Check at the post office. You can also find out if you're able to submit your application **online** so you can save money and trees!
- ✓ Contact the organization a week after mailing to **ensure receipt** of your application. If sent online, check in after a couple of days if you don't receive a confirmation of receipt.
- ✓ **Write a thank you letter or email**, even if you are not awarded the scholarship.
- ✓ **Have a question?** Call BFCN at 416-566-2731 or contact us via email at info@bfcn.ca or our social media!
- ✓ **Know that you are important and worthy** regardless of the outcome of your scholarship application or your grades!



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Name: 3M National Student Fellowship
Value: \$5,000
Available: Up To 10
Due Date: January 29, 2016 (5 P.M.)

Organization: [Society for Teaching and Learning in Higher Education \(STLHE\)](#)

Website: <http://www.stlhe.ca/awards/3m-national-student-fellowship/>

Summary: This scholarship is for a full-time undergraduate student at a Canadian institution who demonstrates outstanding leadership in their lives and at school. The applicant must not be in their first or final year of school. Specific details about the application package can be found on the website. Be sure to read the procedure details carefully. The application package cannot exceed 15 pages. Winners will be invited to a conference retreat in June working with other members on a cross-Canadian collaborative project to enhance teaching and learning at the post-secondary level.

Checklist

- Cover Page
- Nomination Letters
- Letters of Support
- Statement from VP of Students
- Official Transcript
- Written Components
- Online Submission



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Name: The Mensa Canada Scholarship Programme
Value Up to \$3,000
Available: Up To 3
Due Date: January 31, 2016

Organization: [Mensa Canada](#)

Website: <http://www.mensacanada.ca/index-e.html>

Email: essay@mensacanada.ca

Summary: The Mensa Canada Scholarships are awarded to full-time students attending a Canadian post-secondary institution. The applicants must be Canadian citizens or landed immigrants. The awards are based on the submitted essay, which outlines your career plan and your strategy for achieving your goals. Other requirements may vary depending on the specific award.

Checklist

Essay → 250 Words

Award Categories

The Edgar Kerstan Memorial (1 Award): \$3,000 (One Time Award)

The Frank & Betty Woodhams Memorial (1 Award): \$2,500 (One Time Award)
Computer Science or Math Student

Mensa Canada General Scholarship (1 Award): \$1,000 (One Time Award)



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Name: Terry Fox Humanitarian Award
Value Up to \$28,000 (Over 4 Years)
Available: Varies
Due Date: February 1, 2016

Organization: [Terry Fox Humanitarian Award Program](#)

Address: Terry Fox Humanitarian Award Program
 AQ 5003
 Simon Fraser University
 Burnaby, British Columbia
 V5A 1S6

Website: <http://apply.terryfoxawards.ca/>

Email: terryfox@sfu.ca

Phone: 778-782-3057

Fax: 778-782-3311

Summary: This award is for any student who will be starting or continuing their first university degree or diploma in September 2016 OR a student who will be entering their second year of CÉGEP. The applicants must have completed high school or their first year of CÉGEP before June 30, 2016. The award is based on dedication to the humanitarian ideals of Terry Fox and having a positive impact. Applicants must show courage in overcoming obstacles and also demonstrate distinction and persistence in the pursuit of excellence in academic, athletic, and civic life. Financial need is not a criteria but can be considered an obstacle.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Unofficial Transcript (Official Transcript Needed for Interview)
- Reference Forms → 3 (Filled Online)
- Online Submission



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Name: Future Aces Scholarship and Citizen Award
Value \$1,000
Available: Varies
Due Date: February 2, 2016

Organization: [Herbert H. Carnegie Future Aces Foundation](#)

Address: Herbert H. Carnegie Future Aces Foundation
 7170 Warden Avenue
 Unit #2
 Markham, Ontario
 L3R 8B2

Website: <http://www.futureaces.org/scholarship/application/>

Email: info@futureaces.org

Phone: 905-947-9131

Fax: 905-947-9134

Summary: This award is for an exemplary student between the ages of 16 and 24 who is graduating from secondary school or CÉGEP. The applicant must demonstrate financial need and exhibit exemplary citizenship qualities as represented in the Future Aces philosophy. The student must also demonstrate extensive community service and volunteerism.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Essay
- Letters of Reference → 2 (1 Academic, 1 Community)
- Official Transcript
- Financial Budget
- Online Submission



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Name: Association of Black Law Enforcers Scholarship Award
Value: Varies
Available: Varies
Due Date: February 12, 2016

Organization: [The Association of Black Law Enforcers \(A.B.L.E.\)](#)

Address: The Association of Black Law Enforcers
 Attn: Tamiko Gray
 66-21 Livonia Place
 Scarborough, Ontario
 M1E 4W5

Website: http://www.ableorg.ca/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=136&Itemid=788
E-mail: ablescholarshipball@gmail.com
Phone: 416-574-6917
Phone: 647-792-1081

Summary: These scholarships are for Black or visible minority students who are planning to or are currently attending a post-secondary institution studying in a law or criminal justice program (see website for accepted programs). Candidates must demonstrate community involvement, volunteer work and good moral character.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Essay → 500 Words
- Letter of Reference → 1 (Community)
- Official Transcript
- Letter of Acceptance or Enrollment
- Copies → 4



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Name: The Black Law Students' Association LSAT Bursary Program
Value: Varies
Available: Varies
Due Date: February 12, 2016 (12 P.M.)

Organization: [The Black Law Students Association \(BLSA\) of Osgoode Law School](#)

Website: <http://blsaosgoode.com/prospective-students/1343-2/>

E-mail: blsalsatbursary@gmail.com

Email (Questions): blsa@osgoode.yorku.ca

Summary: These scholarships are for prospective Black law students who have successfully completed a minimum of one full year at a recognized university in a program leading to a degree OR Black individuals who have not attended university or have less than three years of university and are at least 26 years of age (as of September 1st of the year of admission) and have a minimum of five years of non-academic experience. Applicants must demonstrate community involvement and volunteer experience. The successful candidate must enroll in a HarvardReady LSAT preparatory course and must be available to attend the ceremony at the end of February.

Checklist

- Letter of Intent → 1200 Words
- Resume
- Email Submission



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Name: RBC Students Leading Change Scholarship
Value \$10,000
Available: 15
Due Date: February 23, 2016 (3 P.M.)

Organization: [Royal Bank of Canada \(RBC\)](#)

Website: <http://scholarships.rbc.com/StudentsLeadingChange.aspx>

Email: rbc_scholarships@usupport.net

Summary: These scholarships are for students who are graduating from high school or CÉGEP (or have within the last two years) OR students who are currently enrolled in their first undergraduate degree or diploma OR students who are currently enrolled in their second degree or diploma at a recognized publicly funded Canadian University or College. Read the details under each category for specific eligibility requirements. In each of the three student categories, two scholarship recipients will also be awarded a Me to We Trip volunteering overseas. The scholarships will be awarded to students who have a passion for leading and inspiring change in the world. Minimum average of 70% is required.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Essay → 400 words
- Essay → 250 words

Notes

RBC also offers three other scholarships: Check [here](#) or the websites below for the specific due dates and criteria.

RBC Royal Bank Scholarship for Aboriginals
http://www.rbc.com/careers/aboriginal_student_awards.html

Scholarship Program for the Children of RBC Employees
<http://scholarships.rbc.com/RBCChildren.aspx>

The RBC Capital Markets Scholarship for Women
<https://www.rbccm.com/scholarships/>



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Name: Toronto Real Estate Board Past President's Scholarship
Value Up to \$5,000
Available: 4
Due Date: March 1, 2016*

Organization: [Toronto Real Estate Board](#)

Address: The Toronto Real Estate Board
 1400 Don Mills Road
 Toronto, Ontario
 M3B 3N1

Website: <http://www.trebhome.com/index.htm>
Email: scholarships@trebnet.com
Phone: 416-443-8000 x 8030
Fax: 416-443-9153

Summary: This scholarship is applicable to students currently residing and registered with a secondary school within the province of Ontario. The student must have a record of academic achievement and possess a range of leadership qualities and community involvement experience. The recipient must also participate in future events on behalf of the Toronto Real Estate Board.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Essay → 1000 Words
- Resume
- Letters of Reference → 2
- Official Transcript
- Letter of Acceptance

Award Categories

1st Place Essay Winner (2 Awards): \$5,000
 2nd Place Essay Winner (2 Awards): \$2,500



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Name: Westend Sports and Cultural Club Scholarship
Value: Varies
Available: Varies
Due Date: March 1, 2016*

Organization: Westend Sports and Cultural Club Inc.

Address: Camille's Place
 Attn: Westend Sports and Cultural Club Scholarship Application
 4983 Rathkeale Road
 Unit #202
 Mississauga, Ontario
 L5V 2B3

Email: jayteew2008@hotmail.com
Phone: 416-836-5448
Phone: 905-813-8745

Summary: This scholarship is for a 1st or 2nd year student of Caribbean descent who is attending an accredited Canadian University or College on a full-time basis. The student must have a minimum average of 75% and must demonstrate community involvement and volunteerism. Students must call or email to get a copy of the application.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Letter of Intent → 500 Words
- Letters of Reference → 2 (1 Academic, 1 Community)
- Official Transcript
- Proof of Enrollment
- Passport-Sized Photograph → 1



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Name: The Aroni Award Education Bursaries
Value: \$1,250-\$1,500
Available: Varies
Due Date: March 7, 2016*

Organization: [The Aroni Awards](#)

Address: Aroni Awards Foundation
 c/o Harmony Movement
 85 Scarsdale Road
 Office #303
 Toronto, Ontario
 M3B 2R2

Website: <http://aroniawards.com/index-2.html>

E-mail: info@aroniawards.com

Phone: 416-510-8214

Summary: These bursaries are awarded to exceptional students who have overcome tremendous obstacles to excel in academics. Applicants must also demonstrate volunteer involvement. Applicants must be nominated for this award; it is preferred that applicants are nominated by teachers or youth/community organization representatives but self-nominations are accepted with reference letters. Successful candidates must be available for the ceremony in July.

Checklist

- Nomination Form
- Essay
- Letter of Reference
- Passport-Sized Photographs → 2
- Online Submission



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Name: QBMA Research & Education Fund Scholarship
Value: Varies
Available: Varies
Due Date: March 30, 2016

Organization: [Quebec Black Medical Association \(QBMA\)](#)

Address: Selection Committee for the Scholarships
 Quebec Black Medical Association
 2021 Atwater Avenue
 1st Floor
 Suite #180
 Montreal, Quebec
 H3H 2P2

Website: <http://qbma.ca/?q=node/84>
Email: qbma_youthinitiative@yahoo.ca
Phone: 514-937-8822

Summary: This scholarship is for a full-time Quebec high school, CÉGEP or undergraduate student registered in a medically related field. The applicant must demonstrate involvement in the Black community and a satisfactory academic record.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Resume
- Essay → 1 Page
- Letters of Reference → 2 (1 Academic, 1 Community)
- Official Transcript
- Proof of Acceptance
- Passport-Sized Photographs → 2
- Copies → 10



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Name: Mark Joel Trailblazer Award
Value: \$500
Available: 1
Due Date: March 31, 2016

Organization: [Durham Black Educators' Network \(DBEN\)](#)

Address: Tracey Grose Chair Activating Student Success Committee
Durham Black Educators' Network
400 Taunton Road East
Whitby, Ontario
L1R 2K6

Website: <http://dben.org/mark-joel-trailblazer-award/>
Email: grose_tracey@durham.edu.on.ca
Phone: 905-666-5500 x 5342

Summary: This scholarship is for a graduating student of Durham District School Board who intends on entering a post-secondary program to study education. The student must be from the Black Diaspora (Caribbean/African descent). Applicants must demonstrate academic performance, leadership within the school and/or community and contribution to school life. The applicant must be recommended by their secondary school Principal. Winner will be awarded at a presentation on May 5, 2016.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Letter of Recommendation by Principal
- Official Transcript



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Name: The Merit Award Bursary Program
Value: Varies
Available: Varies
Due Date: April 8, 2016

Organization: [The Merit Award](#)

Website: <http://meritaward.ca/uncategorized/%post%>

Summary: These bursaries are awarded to a student in Grade 11 or 12 in a participating school in the Toronto District School Board or Toronto Catholic District School Board if they are enrolling in either grade 12 or a post secondary institution in the following year (see the website for list of participating schools). Applicants must also demonstrate a commitment to school work, extracurricular and community activities.

Checklist

- Applicant Form
- Letters of Reference → 2
- Passport-Sized Photographs → 2
- Online Submission



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Name: Canadian Scholarship Trust Plan Scholarships
Value \$6,000
Available: 2
Due Date: April 30, 2016

Organization: [Canadian Scholarship Trust Plan \(CSTP\)](#)

Address: Canadian Scholarship Trust Plan
 600-2225 Sheppard Avenue East
 Toronto, Ontario
 M2J 5C2

Website: <http://www.cst.org/en/about-cst/scholarships>
Email: cstplan@cst.org
Phone: 416-445-7377
Fax: 416-445-6204

Summary: These scholarships were created in honour of Karthiha Guruparan and Bill Winsor for two graduating high school students who will be attending an accredited Canadian University or College on a full-time basis for commerce, finance or business. The student must demonstrate financial need, academic achievement and community involvement.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Essay
- Letters of Reference
- Official Transcript
- Letter of Acceptance
- Summary of Community Involvement
- Financial Budget



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Name: The Congress of Black Women of Canada Post-Secondary Scholarship Awards
Value: Up to \$1,000
Available: Varies
Due Date: April 30, 2016*

Organization: [The Congress of Black Women of Canada \(CBWC\)](#)
Mississauga & Area Chapter

Address: The Congress of Black Women of Canada
 Mississauga and Area Chapter
 4983 Rathkeale Road
 Suite--Office
 Mississauga, Ontario
 L5V 2B3

Website: http://www.cbwc-ontario.com/?page_id=110
Email: cbwcmississauga@rogers.com

Phone: 905-819-8361
Fax: 905-819-0189

Summary: This scholarship is for a graduate of the Ontario Secondary School system who has been accepted into their first year at a Canadian post-secondary institution. The applicants must be residents of Peel or surrounding areas. The applicants must demonstrate academic and volunteer achievement.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Essay → 1 Page
- Letters of Reference → 2 (1 Academic, 1 Community)
- Official Transcript
- Proof of Application to Post-Secondary Institution
- Letter of Acceptance
- Passport-Sized Photograph → 1



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Name: The Jerome Henry Foundation Scholarship
Value: \$750-\$1,500
Available: Varies
Due Date: April 30, 2016

Organization: [Jerome Henry Foundation](#)

Address: Jerome Henry Foundation
 2682 Eglinton Avenue
 P.O. Box #42505
 Medical Centre P.O.
 Scarborough, Ontario
 M1K 2S0

Website: http://www.jeromehenryfoundation.com/scholarship_info.html
Email: jeromehenryfoundation@gmail.com or info@jeromehenryfoundation.com

Summary: This scholarship is for a graduating high school student who will be attending an accredited Canadian University or College on a full-time basis in September. The student must have a minimum average of 75% (for university applicants) or 65% (for college/trade applicants) and must demonstrate community involvement, leadership and financial need. Applicants must live in specific neighborhoods (see website for approved list).

Checklist

- Application Form
- Personal Statement → 250 Words
- Resume
- Letters of Reference → 2 (1 Must Be Academic)
- Official Transcript
- Letter of Acceptance
- Proof of Identification
- Proof of Residence
- Financial Statement

Award Categories

University Student (3 Awards):	\$1,500
College/Trade Student (1 Award):	\$750



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Name: TD Michaëlle Jean Bursaries
Value: Up to \$10,000
Available: Varies
Due Date: May 1, 2016*

Organization: [Fondation Michaëlle Jean Foundation](#)

Address: Fondation Michaëlle Jean Foundation
143 Séraphin-Marion Street
Ottawa, Ontario
K1N 6N5

Website: <http://www.fmjf.ca/en/programs/bursaries/>
Email: info@fmjf.ca
Phone: 1-855-626-8296
Phone: 613-562-5751

Summary: This award is for Canadian youth seeking training or mentorship and who wish to use art in order to improve their communities. Over the course of a year, the recipients will work on innovative arts-based projects designed to better the lives of underprivileged youth and improve the quality of life in their communities, under the supervision of a mentor.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Letters of Reference → 2



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Name: The Congress of Black Women of Canada Post-Secondary Scholarship Awards
Value: Up to \$1,000
Available: Varies
Due Date: May 6, 2016

Organization: [The Congress of Black Women of Canada \(CBWC\) Ajax/Pickering Chapter](#)

Address: P.O. Box # 31034
 Westney Heights RPO
 15 Westney Road North
 Ajax, Ontario
 L1T 3V2

Website: http://cbwc-ajaxpickering.org/?page_id=182
Email: cbwc.ajaxpickering@gmail.com
Phone: 1-866-986-2292 x 200

Summary: This scholarship is for an African-Canadian or African-Caribbean student between the ages of 17 and 20 graduating from a Durham region high school and planning to attend a Canadian post-secondary institution. The applicants must demonstrate financial need and a contribution to the Black community.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Essay
- Letters of Reference → 2 (1 Academic, 1 Community)
- Official Transcript
- Financial Budget
- Passport-Sized Photographs → 2

Notes

CBWC (Ajax/Pickering) also offers a \$1,000 scholarship for a mature student who is planning on returning to school. Check [here](#) or the websites above for the specific due dates and criteria.



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Name: The Mount Ward Alumni Association Scholarship
Value \$750-\$1,000
Available: Varies
Due Date: May 6, 2016

Organization: [The Mount Ward Alumni Association](#)

Address: Attention: Mervin Witter
 President and Chair of Scholarship Committee
 c/o The Mount Ward Alumni Association
 414 Dixie Road
 Rockwood Postal Outlet
 P.O. Box #41014
 Mississauga, Ontario
 L4W 5L9

Website: <http://mountwardalumniassociation.org/benevolence/scholarships/>
Email: mwitt39@rogers.com
Phone: 905-575-3098
Fax: 905-538-8275

Summary: This scholarship is for an outstanding student of Jamaican descent who will be attending an accredited post-secondary institution in September. The student must demonstrate financial need, community service, particularly in the Black community and must have an interest in social justice issues. It is preferred to send application package via email or fax.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Essay → 500 Words
- Letters of Reference → 2 (1 Academic, 1 Community)



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: Learning Matters Education Charity Bursary
Value \$2,500
Available: Up to 6
Due Date: May 30, 2016

Organization: [Canadian Scholarship Trust Plan](#)

Address: Learning Matters Education Charity
 600-2225 Sheppard Avenue East
 Toronto, Ontario
 M2J 5C2

Website: <http://www.cst.org/en/about-cst/bursaries>
Email: cstplan@cst.org
Phone: 416-445-7377
Fax: 416-445-6204

Summary: These bursaries are for students who will be attending an accredited Canadian University or College on a full-time basis in September OR for students currently pursuing post-secondary education. The applicants must demonstrate financial need and academic achievement. The applicants must also demonstrate community involvement and a career objective which will make a positive contribution in Canadian society.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Essay
- Letters of Reference → 2
- Official Transcript
- Letter of Acceptance
- Summary of Community Involvement
- Financial Budget



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: BASF Jackie Robinson Undergraduate Scholarship
Value \$2,000
Available: Varies
Due Date: May 31, 2016

Organization: [Black Academic Scholarship Fund \(BASF\)](#)

Address: BASF Scholarships
 CP Vendome, P.O. Box #23035
 Montreal, Quebec
 H4A 1T0

Website: <http://basfund.ca/en/scholarship.html>
Email: basf.montreal@gmail.com
Phone: 450-676-3661
Phone: 514-609-0097

Summary: This scholarship is for a student from the Black community residing in Quebec. The student must have already completed one year of full-time studies at the undergraduate level. Applicants must demonstrate satisfactory academic standing and community involvement.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Letter of Intent
- Resume
- Essay on Jackie Robinson → 1 Page
- Letters of Reference → 2 (1 Academic, 1 Community)
- Official Transcript
- Letter of Acceptance
- Proof of Community Involvement

Notes

BASF also offers the Jackie Robinson Entrance Scholarship for an above academic average student who has recently graduated from CÉGEP and will be pursuing post-secondary education. The same information and criteria above is applicable. See [here](#) or the websites above for more details.



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: BBPA National Scholarships
Value Varies
Available: Varies
Due Date: May 31, 2016

Organization: [Black Business and Professional Association \(BBPA\)](#)

Address: The Board of Trustees
 The BBPA National Scholarships Fund
 180 Elm Street
 Toronto, Ontario
 M5T 3M4

Website: <http://bbpa.org/events-programs/national-scholarships/>

Email: scholarships@bbpa.org

Phone: 416-504-4097

Fax: 416-504-7343

Summary: These scholarships are for Black students who are Canadian citizens or permanent residents. Applicants must be a maximum of 30 years of age and enrolled in full-time study at an accredited post-secondary Canadian institution. The applicants must demonstrate academic achievement, financial need and a recognized contribution to the Black community. Other requirements vary depending on the award.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Letter of Intent
- Resume
- Letters of Reference → 2 (1 Academic, 1 Community)
- Official Transcript
- Financial Budget
- Online Submission



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: The Black Canadian Scholarship Fund Awards
Value: \$6,000
Available: 3
Due Date: May 31, 2016

Organization: [The Black Canadian Scholarship Fund \(BCSF\)](#)

Address: The Black Canadian Scholarship Fund
 CSC(T) P.O. Box #8002
 Ottawa, Ontario
 K1G 5H6

Website: <http://bcsf.ca/application-guidelines/>
Email: info@bcsf.ca
Email: jadams@cfo-fco.ca
Phone: 613-236-1616 x 231

Summary: This scholarship is for a Black Canadian student graduating from a high school in the city of Ottawa. The student must be pursuing post-secondary education at a recognized Canadian university. The applicant must demonstrate an average of at least 75%, leadership, community involvement and financial need. The recipient will need to commit to participate in BCSF fundraising activities.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Essay → 2 Pages
- Letters of Reference → 1 (Academic)
- Official Transcript
- Letter of Acceptance
- Proof of Canadian Citizenship
- Proof of Community Work
- Financial Statement
- Passport-Sized Photograph



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: Lincoln M. Alexander Award
Value \$5,000
Available: Up To 3
Due Date: May 31, 2016

Organization: [Government of Ontario](#)

Address: Lincoln M. Alexander Award
 Ontario Honours and Awards Secretariat
 Ontario Ministry of Citizenship, Immigration and International Trade
 400 University Avenue
 4th Floor
 Toronto, Ontario
 M7A 2R9

Website: www.ontario.ca/honoursandawards
Email: ontariohonoursandawards@ontario.ca
Phone: 416-314-7526
Fax: 416-314-7743
Toll-Free: 1-877-832-8622
TTY: 416-327-2391

Summary: These awards recognize youth who have demonstrated leadership in eliminating racial discrimination in Ontario. Student Award applicants must be secondary school students attending an accredited provincial secondary school in Ontario and planning to enter a post-secondary institution as a full-time student. Students must be nominated by their school. Community Award applicants must be youth between the ages of 16 and 25 who are nominated by a community organization or agency that works extensively in the area of race relations. Self-nominations are not accepted.

Checklist

- Nomination Package
- Description of Achievement
- Letters of Reference → 2
- Online Submission (Optional)



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: BCF John Rollock Memorial Scholarship
Value \$3,000
Available: Varies
Due Date: June 1, 2016*

Organization: [Barbados Canada Foundation \(BCF\)](#)

Address: Attention: John Rollock Memorial Scholarship Selection Committee
 The Barbados Canada Foundation
 105 Adelaide Street West
 Suite #1010
 Toronto, Ontario
 M5H 1P9

Website: www.barbadoscanadafoundation.com/scholarships-program.html
Email: barcanfdn@sympatico.ca

Summary: This scholarship is for a student of Bajan descent who will be attending an accredited Canadian University or College on a full-time basis. The student must demonstrate academic excellence, financial need and community involvement.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Letter of Intent
- Letters of Reference → 2 (1 Academic, 1 Community)
- Official Transcript
- Financial Budget
- Passport Sized Photographs → 2
- Copies → 3



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: United Achievers' Club Scholarship
Value: \$1,000
Available: Varies
Due Date: June 13, 2016

Organization: [United Achievers' Club](#)

Address: United Achievers' Club
 2016 Scholarship Awards Committee
 P.O. Box #74015
 Brampton, Ontario
 L6V 4J7

Website: <http://unitedachieversclub.com/education/uac-scholarship-program/>
Email: lucysloley@hotmail.com
Email: hdeniselindo@yahoo.ca
Phone: 905-796-1916

Summary: This scholarship is for a student of Black or Caribbean heritage who will be attending a recognized Canadian University or College. The student must have a strong academic record and actively be involved in the community and extra-curricular activities. The applicant must be a resident of Peel Region and demonstrate financial need.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Letter → 1 Page
- Letters of Reference → 2 (1 Academic, 1 Community)
- Official Transcript
- Letter of Acceptance
- Copies → 4



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: The Alliance of Jamaican Alumni Associations Scholarship
Value: Varies
Available: Varies
Due Date: June 4, 2016*

Organization: [The Alliance of Jamaican Alumni Associations \(Toronto\) \(AJAA\)](#)

Address: Alliance of Jamaican Alumni Associations (Toronto)
 c/o 291 Braymore Boulevard
 Toronto, Ontario
 M1B 2H3

Website: <http://www.ajaacanada.com/about-us/care-and-share-2/>

Email: info@ajaacanada.com

Email: smitholive29@gmail.com

Phone: 416-498-9934

Phone: 905-450-9987

Summary: This scholarship is for a graduating high school student of Jamaican descent attending high school in Ontario. The student must be pursuing full-time post-secondary education at a Canadian University or College. The student must demonstrate academic achievement and community and volunteer involvement.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Letter of Intent → 1 Page
- Letters of Reference → 2 (1 Academic, 1 Community)
- Official Transcript
- Proof of Acceptance
- Proof of Enrollment



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: Black Pearls Scholarship Fund
Value: Varies
Available: Varies
Due Date: June 15, 2016*

Organization: [Black Pearls Community Services](#)

Address: Black Pearls Community Services, Inc.
P.O. Box #55240
1800 Sheppard Avenue East
Toronto, ON
M2J 5B9

Website: <http://www.black-pearls.org/black-pearls-scholarship-fund.html>
Email: scholarships@black-pearls.org

Summary: This scholarship is for African-Canadian women who are pursuing post-secondary education. The applicant must be a Canadian citizen. Applicants must be nominated and will be selected based on areas such as academic achievement, community involvement, leadership, athletic achievement and more.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Essay → 500 Words
- Letters of Reference
- Official Transcript
- Letter of Acceptance
- Passport-Sized Photograph



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: MACCA Scholarship
Value \$1,000
Available: Varies
Due Date: June 17, 2016

Organization: [Markham African Caribbean Canadian Association \(MACCA\)](#)

Address: Attention: Scholarship Awards Committee
 Markham African Caribbean Association
 505 Hood Road
 Unit #5
 Markham, Ontario
 L3R 5V6

Website: <http://www.macca1987.com/scholarships.html>
Email: maca1987@rogers.com
Email: maccanew2014@gmail.com
Phone: 905-946-9998

Summary: This award is for a student of Caribbean or African heritage who is pursuing post-secondary education at an accredited Canadian institution. The student must have attended school and resided in York Region or volunteered at MACCA's Saturday School Program (MACCUP) for at least two years. The student must demonstrate academic excellence with a minimum average of B+ as well as a commitment to extracurricular activities, leadership and community involvement. Applications must be mailed.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Essay → 250 Words
- Letters of Reference → 2
- Official Transcript
- Letter of Acceptance



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: Free For All Foundation Scholarship
Value: Up to \$1,000
Available: Varies
Due Date: June 30, 2016

Organization: [Free For All Foundation \(FFAF\)](#)

Address: 32 Kennedy Road North
 Brampton, Ontario
 L6V 1X4

101 Westmore Drive
 Suite #110
 Etobicoke, Ontario
 M9V 3Y6

Phone: 416-716-6324

Phone: 905-499-4486

Website: <http://www.ffaf.ca/>

Email: info@ffaf.ca

Email: lola.gayle@peelsb.com

Summary: This scholarship is to recognize graduating students of the GTA who have prevailed over obstacles to personal success and academic achievement. Applicants must demonstrate leadership, academic, athletic and/or social excellence within the community. Applicants must be between 17 and 21 years old and be pursuing post-secondary education.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Essay → 1 Page
- Short Biography
- Letters of Reference 2 (1 Academic, 1 Community)
- Official Transcript
- Letter of Acceptance



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: Infundo Ephakemeyo Scholarship Fund
Value: \$1,000
Available: Varies
Due Date: June 30, 2016

Organization: [Infundo Ephakemeyo](#)

Address: Infundo Ephakemeyo
 98 Amberview Drive
 Keswick, Ontario
 L4P 3Y4

Website: <http://infundoephakemeyo.com/>
Email: meltonmoyo@rogers.com
Phone: 905-476-4507

Summary: This scholarship is for students of Zimbabwean descent living in the GTA. The applicants must be entering their first or second year of post-secondary education at an accredited University or College. The applicants must demonstrate academic achievement, extra-curricular activities, community involvement and financial need.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Essay → 300-500 Words
- Letters of Reference → 2 (1 Academic, 1 Community)
- Official Transcript
- Letter of Acceptance



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: June Callwood Harmony Scholarships
Value \$1,000
Available: 10
Due Date: June 30, 2016

Organization: [Harmony Movement](#)

Address: 85 Scarsdale Road
Suite #303
North York, Ontario
M3B 2R2

Website: <http://www.harmony.ca/scholarships/>
Email: scholarships@harmony.ca
Phone: 416-385-2660
Fax: 416-385-2644

Summary: This scholarship is for a student graduating from high school or CÉGEP who will be attending an accredited post-secondary institution. The student must promote harmony, diversity and equity especially in regards to the elimination of racism and discrimination in Canada but consideration will also be given in areas for gender, sexual orientation, class, ability and other areas of oppression. Successful applicants must demonstrate the 5 C's: Commitment, Courage, Consistency, Community, and Creativity.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Essay
- Letters of Reference →2 (1 Academic, 1 Community)
- Letter of Acceptance



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: Trinidad & Tobago Association of Ontario Scholarship
Value: Varies
Available: Varies
Due Date: June 30, 2016*

Organization: [The Trinidad & Tobago Association of Ontario \(TNTAO\)](#)

Address: The Trinidad & Tobago Association of Ontario
 1240 Eglinton Avenue West
 #B-7 P.O. Box #37002
 Mississauga, Ontario
 L5V 0B6

Website: <http://www.tntao.com/scholarships.php>
Email: info@tntao.com
Phone: 905-813-8745

Summary: This scholarship is for youth from the Caribbean community who are attending an accredited Canadian University or College on a full-time basis. The student must demonstrate academic achievement as well as school and community involvement. Candidates must also demonstrate outstanding character and leadership abilities.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Essay → 500 Words
- Resume
- Letters of Reference → 2 (1 Academic, 1 Community)
- Official Transcript
- Letter of Acceptance
- Passport-Sized Photograph → 1



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: Arts and Culture Jamaica Scholarship Fund
Value Up To \$1,000
Available: Varies
Due Date: July 1, 2016*

Organization: Arts and Culture Jamaica, Inc.

Address: Arts and Culture Jamaica, Inc.
 c/o The Consulate General of Jamaica
 303 Eglinton Avenue East
 Toronto, Ontario
 M4P 1L3

Email: dcherita@rogers.com
Phone: 905-272-5717

Summary: This scholarship is for a Jamaican student pursuing post-secondary studies in the arts at an accredited Canadian University or College on a full-time basis. Fields of study include fine arts, performing arts, design, literature and other cultural forms.

Checklist

- Outline of Study
- Summary of Achievements
- Portfolio
- Letters of Reference → 3 (From Supervisors and/or Department Heads)
- Official Transcript
- Letter of Acceptance
- Proof of Jamaican Heritage
- Passport Sized Photograph → 1



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: JCA Scholarship Awards Program
Value: Varies
Available: Varies
Due Date: July 1, 2016*

Organization: [Jamaican Canadian Association \(JCA\)](#)

Address: Jamaican Canadian Association
 995 Arrow Road
 Toronto, Ontario
 M9M 2Z5

Website: <http://www.jcaontario.org/scholarship/>
Email: info@jcaontario.org
Phone: 416-746-5772
Fax: 416-746-7035

Summary: These scholarships are for students from the Caribbean/African community who are pursuing full-time post-secondary education at an Ontario University or College. The students must have high academic achievement, financial need and a recognized contribution to the Black community. Other requirements vary depending on the award.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Essay
- Letters of Reference → 3
- Official Transcript
- Financial Budget
- Proof of Canadian Status
- Proof of Leadership and Community Involvement
- Passport Sized Photographs → 2



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: The Jules Foundation Scholarship Grant
Value: \$500-\$1,000
Available: 5
Due Date: July 1, 2016

Organization: The Jules Foundation

Address: The Jules Foundation Community Development Scholarship Grants
Attention: Naomi Jules, Chair and Melanius Alphonse, Vice Chair
3-12 1701 Martin Grove Road
Toronto, Ontario
M9V 4N4

Email: thejulesfoundation@gmail.com
Phone: 647-920-2469

Summary: This scholarship is for a graduating high school Black student with sickle cell anemia or any other debilitating or life-threatening disease. The student must be attending an accredited Canadian University or College on a full-time basis in September. The student must have a minimum average of 75% and demonstrate community and volunteer involvement. Please email the organization for an application package.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Essay
- Letters of Reference → 3 (2 Academic, 1 Community)
- Official Transcript
- Passport Sized Photograph



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: BFCN Annual Scholarships
Value: \$1,000
Available: 3
Due Date: July 31, 2016

Organization: [Black Foundation of Community Networks \(BFCN\)](#)

Address: BFCN
 Attn: Scholarship Application
 6-6150 Highway #7
 Suite #431
 Woodbridge, Ontario
 L4H 0R6

Website: <http://bfcn.ca/Download.html>

Email: info@bfcn.ca

Phone: 416-566-2731

Summary: These scholarships are for Black students who demonstrate academic achievement, community involvement, leadership qualities and financial need. Applicants must be attending an accredited Canadian University or College on a full-time basis in September. One will be awarded to a graduating Black high school or CÉGEP student with a minimum average of 80%; one will be awarded to a student already pursuing post-secondary education with a minimum GPA of 3; the third scholarship is for a graduating high school student who has overcome adversity and has also demonstrated academic progress. See website for specific application details.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Essay
- Letters of Reference → 2 (1 Academic, 1 Community)
- Official Transcript
- Letter of Acceptance
- Passport-Sized Photograph → 1



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: Christian Youth Sports Academy Scholarship
Value Varies
Available: Varies
Due Date: July 31, 2016

Organization: [Christian Youth Sports Academy \(CYSA\)](#)

Address: Christian Youth Sports Academy (CYSA)
 531 Finch Avenue West
 Willowdale Ontario
 M2R 3X2

Website: <http://www.cysa.ca/scholarship-program/>
Email: scholarship@cysa.ca
Email: (Questions) info@cysa.ca
Phone: 647-932-5177

Summary: This award is for a student who is graduating or has already graduated from high school. The student must be enrolled in a full-time program at an accredited Canadian institution and entering their first year of post-secondary studies. The applicant must demonstrate academic achievement, financial need, athletic involvement and/or a contribution to the community.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Letter of Intent → 2 Pages
- Letters of Reference → 2
- Official Transcript
- Financial Budget
- Passport-Sized Photographs → 2



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: The BOCA/Toronto Support Group Annual Scholarships
Value Varies
Available: Varies
Due Date: August 31, 2016

Organization: The BOCA/Toronto Support Group (BTSG)

Address: The BOCA/Toronto Support Group (BTSG)
 1828 Eglinton Avenue West
 Toronto, Ontario
 M6E 2H6

Email: bocatorontogroup@hotmail.com
Phone: 647-200-9004

Summary: These awards are for students living in Toronto or the GTA (see application form for location details) who have origins or relatives from or living in Northeast St. George in Grenada. Students must have a minimum of B average and must be planning on attending a post-secondary institution. Applicants must also demonstrate community involvement.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Essay → 500 Words
- Letters of Reference → 2
- Official Transcript
- Copy of Report Card
- Letter of Acceptance or Enrollment
- Passport-Sized Photographs → 1



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: Thornhill African Caribbean Canadian Association Scholarship
Value: Varies
Available: Varies
Due Date: September 25, 2016*

Organization: Thornhill African Caribbean Canadian Association (TACCA)

Address: Thornhill African Caribbean Canadian Association
 3-1136 Centre Street
 P.O. Box #621
 Thornhill, Ontario
 L4J 3M8

Email: vernonh@rogers.com
Phone: 416-458-2534
Phone: 905-738-4849

Summary: This scholarship is for a student who is graduating high school and entering their first year of post-secondary studies. The applicant must exhibit financial need as well as community and volunteer involvement. Please email the organization to receive an application package.

Checklist

- Application
- Essay
- Letters of Reference → 2 (1 Academic, 1 Community)
- Official Transcript



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: Loran Awards
Value Up to \$100,000
Available: 110
Due Date: October 1, 2016*

Organization: [Loran Scholars Foundation](#)

Address: Loran Scholars Foundation
 460 Richmond Street West
 Suite #502
 Toronto, Ontario
 MSV 1Y1

Website: <http://loranscholar.ca/apply/>
Email: info@loranscholar.ca
Phone: 416-646-2120

Summary: These scholarships are for students who are will be graduating high school in June 2017 and will be attending an accredited Canadian University or College on a full-time basis. The applicants must demonstrate a commitment to character, service and leadership. An overall average of 85% or higher is required. See the website for specific details about the application process depending on if you are a sponsored or direct applicant.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Official Transcript
- Sponsorship → Principal or Guidance Counselor
- Verification & Endorsement

Award Categories

Loran Scholar (30 Awards):	Up to \$100,000 (Over 4 Years) Applicant must attend select Canadian Universities
Loran Finalist Award (40 Awards):	\$3,000 (One Time Award) Applicant can attend any Canadian University
Loran Provincial Award (40 Awards):	\$2,000 (One Time Award) Applicant can attend any Canadian University



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: Jamaica Ex-Soldiers Association Bursary Award
Value: Varies
Available: Varies
Due Date: October 1, 2016*

Organization: [Jamaica Ex-Soldiers Association](#)

Address: 40-1110 Finch Avenue West
 Suite #1198
 Toronto, Ontario
 M3J 3MZ

Website: <http://jesa.ca/bursary-2/>
Email: jesa_ca@hotmail.com
Phone: 647-710-9820
Phone: 905-450-9987

Summary: This scholarship is for a student of Jamaican heritage who is pursuing full-time post-secondary education at an accredited Canadian institution. The applicants must have a minimum of a B+ average and demonstrate volunteer and community involvement.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Essay → 1 Page
- Letters of Reference → 3 (1 Academic, 2 Community)
- Official Transcript
- Letter of Acceptance
- Proof of Volunteer and Community Involvement



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: Hydro One William Peyton Hubbard Memorial Award
Value Up to \$5,000
Available: Varies
Due Date: October 2, 2016

Organization: [Hydro One Networks Inc.](#)

Address: Hydro One Networks Inc.
William Peyton Hubbard Memorial Award
483 Bay Street
South Tower
Toronto, Ontario
M5G 2P5
Attn: Alice Sahazizian

Website: <http://www.hydroone.com/Careers/NewGrads/Awards/Pages/HubbardAward.aspx>
Email: careers@hydroone.com

Summary: These awards are for two Black students in good academic standing who have already completed a minimum of one year in any field related to: Electrical, Computer, Mechanical, Civil, or Environmental Engineering/Technology, Engineering Science, Forestry or Business. The student must demonstrate leadership skills and involvement in extracurricular campus and community activities. The recipient must not have more than one other concurrent award of equal or greater value held during their application. Successful candidates are eligible for a paid work opportunity with Hydro One.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Resume
- Unofficial Transcript
- Online Submission



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: Malton Black Development Association Scholarship
Value: Varies
Available: Varies
Due Date: November 1, 2016

Organization: [Malton Black Development Association](#)

Address: Malton Black Development Association
7454 Airport Road
Suite #12
Mississauga, Ontario
L4T 2H5

Website: <http://www.mbda.ca/>
Email: secretary@mbda.ca
Phone: 905-677-0551

Summary: These scholarships are for students from the Caribbean/African community in Malton or the Peel Region who are pursuing full-time post-secondary education at an Ontario University or College. The students must demonstrate academic achievement, volunteerism, financial need and a recognized contribution to the Black community.

Checklist

- Application Form
- Letters of Reference → 2 (1 Academic, 1 Community)
- Proof of Voluntary Service



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

Name: [The Rev. John C. Holland Awards](#)
Value \$1,000
Available: Varies
Due Date: December 16, 2016

Organization: [Rev. John C. Holland Awards](#)

Address: The Reverend John C. Holland Awards
 c/o The Black History Committee
 193 James Street South
 Hamilton, Ontario
 L8P 3A8

Website: <http://www.johnhollandawards.com/awards/>
Email: hollandawards@bellnet.ca
Phone: 905-527-5651
Fax: 905-527-6254

Summary: These awards are for African-Canadians who have contributed to the social, economic and cultural life of Hamilton. Youth awards are available for students aged 16 to 24 who are graduating high school and will be attending a post-secondary institution. Applicants must be nominated for these awards and must be able to demonstrate academic achievement, leadership and a contribution to their community. Requirements vary depending on the specific awards so read the criteria carefully on the website.

Checklist

- Nomination Form
- Biography
- Letter of Intent Biography → Up To 3 Pages
- Description of Contribution → Up to 300 Words
- Letters of Reference → 3
- Official Transcript
- Passport-Sized Photographs → 2



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Additional Scholarships

- Name:** Horatio Alger Association Scholarships
Website: <https://www.horatioalger.ca/en/scholarships/>
Email: association@horatioalger.org
Phone: 1-855-753-9565
- Name:** Peel Regional Police Diversity Scholarship
Website: <https://www.peelpolice.ca/en/aboutus/diversityrelations.asp?hdnContent=lori.blashuk@peelpolice.ca>
Email: lori.blashuk@peelpolice.ca
Phone: 905-453-2121 x 3610
- Name:** TD Scholarships for Community Leadership
Website: <http://www.tdcanadatrust.com/products-services/banking/student-life/scholarship-for-community-leadership/index.jsp>
Phone: 1-800-308-8306



Black Foundation of Community Networks Scholarship Directory 2016

How You Can Help

The annual BFCN Scholarship Directory was created in hopes of supporting youth across Canada discover, apply for and win scholarships, awards and bursaries to help ease the financial burden of post-secondary education. Since 2013, this resource has been accessed by countless youth, parents and educators. We thank you for your messages of support! Here are some other ways you can continue to help us help youth:

1. **Share this directory!** Share with family, friends, co-workers, peers, students, educators, facilitators, schools, businesses and community organizations. Wherever youth are, we want them to have access to this resource.

2. If you are an organization/business listed in this directory, we strongly encourage you to **link this directory to your website and/or social media**. This will increase the number of youth who have access to your scholarship/bursary/award as well the other included entries.

3. If you know of a scholarship/bursary/award that is not included in this directory please share it with us. This resource is a work in progress and is updated annually. **Send us the ones we've missed for 2017!**

4. **Give us feedback!** We want to hear your thoughts about this directory. Helpful? Clear? Too much writing? Inaccurate information? Let us know how we can make it better!

5. **Support BFCN by making a monetary or in-kind donation.** We are a volunteer-run organization and your financial support will enable us to continue to offer resources and services within our community.

For questions, feedback, media requests or more information about the Scholarship Directory or BFCN, please get in touch with us. We can't wait to hear from you!

Phone: 416-566-2731

Email: info@bfcn.ca

Website: www.bfcn.ca

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