

# DR. GARY MCPHERSON LEADERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP Award Value – \$2,000

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Dr. Gary McPherson was a renowned advocate for people with disabilities. He devoted himself to inspiring leadership and bringing out the best in everyone. He was a member of the Order of Canada, the Alberta Order of Excellence and both the Edmonton and Alberta Sports Halls of Fame.

This scholarship recognizes students who have demonstrated outstanding leadership, especially in the area of disability, and/or initiative to improve the conditions and lives of others.

## **Eligibility Criteria**

#### Applicants must:

- be a Canadian citizen, Permanent Resident or Protected Person (visa students are not eligible),
- be an Alberta resident, and to be considered an Alberta resident one of the following conditions must apply:
  - one parent must currently be residing in Alberta, or
  - Alberta is the last place the student has lived for twelve (12) consecutive months before being a full-time student, or
  - is married to an Alberta resident before the start of the qualifying year of study.
- be enrolled full-time in a post-secondary program: undergraduate, professional, graduate, apprenticeship, diploma or certificate program at a designated Alberta institution in the year of nomination, and
- have shown outstanding leadership, especially in the area of disability, and/or initiative to improve the lives of other people while attending a post-secondary institution in Alberta.

### **Selection Process**

Each institution will establish a selection committee with appropriate expertise. This committee may be the same as used for other institutional awards. The committee will consider the role and contribution each applicant has made at their school. The selection committee may also take into consideration marks, financial need, and other activities as secondary selection criteria.

The Selection Committee will forward the names of the successful candidates to Student Aid Alberta no later than February 15, 2017.

## **Application Process**

Include with your completed application:

- a resume highlighting your leadership involvement and other activities related to improving the lives of other people,
- a related letter of reference, and
- an essay of up to a maximum of 1,000 words please refer to page 2 of the application for details.

## **Additional Information**

100 awards of \$2,000 each will be awarded annually.

## **Alberta Student Number (ASN)**

Your Alberta Student Number is on your Alberta Transcript for High School Achievement.

If you do not know your ASN, or do not have an ASN:

- Visit iae.alberta.ca/ASN for instructions.
- Call toll-free in Alberta at 310-0000 to have a Request for ASN form mailed to you. Due to privacy issues, ASN's will not be given over the phone.

## **Deadline and How to Apply**

- Application Deadline: Students must submit completed applications directly to Student Awards Offices at their schools by the posted application deadline.
- Post-Secondary Institution Nomination Deadline for submission to Student Aid Alberta: February 15, 2017

Contact: Student Aid Alberta Service Centre at 1-855-606-2096 Visit: **studentaid.alberta.ca/scholarships** 



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# To be Submitted by the Post-Secondary Institution

Advanced Education is collecting the personal information on this form under the authority of section 33(c) of the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* (FOIP Act), as being directly related to and necessary to determine your eligibility for a scholarship under the *Alberta Heritage Scholarship Act* and to administer scholarships including research, statistical analysis and program evaluation. The use and disclosure of your personal information is managed in accordance with the FOIP Act.

If you have any questions about the collection, use or disclosure of this information, call the Student Aid Alberta Service Centre toll free at 1-855-606-2096 from anywhere in North America. You can also mail your questions to Student Aid Alberta, PO Box 28000 Station Main, Edmonton AB T5J 4R4.

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Last Name (current legal name)	Social Insurance Number						
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Citizenship and Residency Information							
Citizenship Status: (check one)	Alberta Residency:						
☐ Canadian ☐ Permanent Resident ☐ Protected Person	Did you <u>or</u> one of your parent(s)/ legal guardian live in Alberta						
☐ VISA (International Student)	all your life?						
Indigenous Status:	Yes No If no, is Alberta the last province you have lived in for 12 consecutive months prior to						
Status Indian/First Nations	post-secondary studies?						
Non-Status Indian/First Nations	Yes No If no, are you married to						
Métis	an Alberta resident before the start of the qualifying						
☐ Inuit	year of study?						
☐ Not applicable	Yes No						
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Persons with Disabilities and Vice-Chair of the Alberta Paraplegic achievements including the prestigious Order of Canada, the Qu	nmunity serving as Chair of the Premier's Council on the Status of c Foundation. Gary received significant recognition and awards for heen's Jubilee Medal and the Alberta Order of Excellence.  nat promoted community development and support for young people
Name (please print)	Position
Signature	Date



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## **Declaration of Applicant**

#### I have read and understand the instructions, and declare that:

- all information provided is true and complete and I understand it is subject to audit.
- I will meet any eligibility requirements and obligations of the scholarship as stated in the scholarship requirements.
- I will immediately notify Student Aid Alberta in writing if I withdraw from studies.

#### I understand that:

 personal information pertaining to my high school and postsecondary academic records may be released and exchanged by and between Student Aid Alberta, Alberta Education and the educational institutions for the purpose of determining my eligibility for a scholarship.

- personal information pertaining to my post-secondary academic progress and enrolment status may be released and exchanged by and between Student Aid Alberta and the educational institution for the purpose of determining my eligibility for a scholarship.
- my personal information may be released and exchanged by and between Student Aid Alberta and any federal and provincial government departments, boards, or institutions to verify the information I have provided to Student Aid Alberta, and for the use in research and statistical analysis in program evaluation.

## I understand and agree that:

if I receive a scholarship my name, award and city/town
may be released publicly to promote the program, however,
this is not a criterion for eligibility, and if I do not want to be
identified, I will contact Student Aid Alberta.

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Please Review Your Application to Make Su	re vou Have Co	mpleted All ti	ne Required Field	ls.

Missing Information Will Delay Processing.

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