

2022-23 Fall/Winter Weweni Future Scholars Award Application Form

This award will be given to an Indigenous University of Winnipeg alumnus/alumna who is entering a PhD program. If the recipient remains in good standing at their institution, this award is renewable once. The award can be held for a maximum of 2 years. The intent of this fund is to help students further their knowledge and expertise in their field of study without financial constraints.

Eligibility

You are eligible to apply for this award if you meet the following criteria:

- You are accepted to begin your first year of a PhD program
- You are a University of Winnipeg alumnus/alumna
- You have Indigenous ancestry

Application

A complete application package includes the following:

- Completed application form (typed only, handwritten applications will not be accepted)
- Personal Statement outlining your plan of study and long-term scholarly goals (approximately 500 words)
- Proof of acceptance to PhD program from a recognized institution
- Curriculum Vitae (CV) listing your education, work experience, research, volunteer/extra-curricular activities, awards, grants, publications, etc. in chronological order.
- Official transcripts from all undergraduate and graduate institutions you have attended (scanned versions of official transcripts are accepted)

Award Value: \$12,750

Application Deadline: September 15 (or next business day)

Please submit your complete application package to:

Graduate Student Scholarship and Awards Committee Faculty of Graduate Studies, Richardson College 599 Portage Avenue Winnipeg, Manitoba R3B 2E9

Applications may be submitted electronically to Carolyn Garland, *Graduate Studies Awards and Communications Officer*, at c.garland@uwinnipeg.ca.

APPLICANT DETAILS		
Student Name		
Student Number	Social Insurance Number	
Email Address	Phone Number	

DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION		
Indigenous Ancestry: Please select all that apply to you.		
Inuit Métis First Nations (Status) First Nations (Non-Status)		
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION		
In addition to this application form, please submit the following information:		
1. Personal Statement: Outline your plan of study and your long-term scholarly goals in approximately 500 words.		
2. Proof of Acceptance: Provide proof of acceptance to a PhD program at a recognized institution.		
3. CV: List your education, work experience, research, volunteer/extra-curricular activities, awards, grants, publications, etc. in chronological order.		
4. Official Transcripts: Provide official transcripts from all undergraduate and graduate institutions you have attended.		
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MANITOBA FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AND PROTECTION OF PRIVACY ACT		
Applicants are required to consent to the use of their personal information. If there are questions concerning the retention, use, or disclosure of personal information, applicants may wish to visit http://www.uwinnipeg.ca/index/admin-fippa.		
DECLARATION AND CONSENT		
I hereby declare that all the information on this application is complete and true in every respect. I understand that my personal information will be collected and may be used and disclosed for the purposes as outlined in the Manitoba Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FIPPA).		
Personal information collected on this form may also be used and disclosed by The University of Winnipeg for award eligibility purposes, alumni services (i.e. events, publications, media stories, alumni membership tracking), donor reports, and/or research (i.e. internal and external award reporting, analysis of programs, institutional statistics) done at the University. If I am a successful recipient, I understand that the name of the award, the amount received, my name, degree/major, year level and email address will be disclosed to The University of Winnipeg Foundation for purposes of fund-raising activities and to be released to the donor(s) of my award.		
Student Signature Date (YYYYMMDD)		