

Faculty of Graduate Studies

## 2024 Pathway to Graduate Studies Application Form

### Program Start Date: May 6, 2024

Program End Date: May 31, 2024

Parking Expenses

### About the Program:

The Pathway to Graduate Studies (P2GS) program is returning in 2024 to offer research opportunities for Indigenous students in STEM at UWinnipeg. Throughout the 4-week program, running from May 6 – 31, 2024, students will engage in science education during the morning and participate in a paid research program under the supervision of a UWinnipeg faculty member during the afternoon. Accommodation in university housing (McFeetors Hall) might be available during the duration of the program depending on the status of the COVID-19 pandemic.

This program is free of charge for both faculty and students and does not require students to connect with researchers in advance of the application deadline. Faculty members who are interested in hosting a student from this program have brief descriptions of their research projects posted on the UWinnipeg <u>P2GS website</u>. Students will be asked to identify the top five projects they are interested in with their application package.

The intent of this program is to support Indigenous students in natural science and engineering fields, introduce students to research opportunities, and encourage students to continue with their undergraduate programs and eventually into graduate programs. We do our best to find every applicant a research spot in P2GS. In our first five years (2019 - 2023) all students who applied were given placements.

# Accepted applicants will be paid for their research participation in the program. In addition, please check the appropriate box or boxes for additional funding support.

On Campus Accomodations Bus Pass

### Who can apply or be nominated?

P2GS is open to all UWinnipeg students who identify as Indigenous Peoples of Canada, Indigenous students who have declared a major in a natural science and engineering field or are planning to declare a major in a natural science and engineering field. There is no minimum GPA requirement, what is most important is an interest in science and learning about science-based research.

#### Application Process

If you are a student applying to the program, please complete the **Application** section of the form electronically, and indicate the top five research projects listed on the <u>P2GS</u> website that you are interested in participating in.

Deadline: Nominations/Applications will be accepted until March 15, 2024.

Please submit questions and completed applications via email\*\* to: Dylan Jones (d.jones@uwinnipeg.ca).

\*\*email applications are preferred, but printed applications will also be accepted.

### **P2GS APPLICATION / PERSONAL STATEMENT**

Use this section of the form to apply to the P2GS Program

P2GS APPLICANT DETAILS	
Name	
Undergraduate Major	
Year of Study	
Email Address and/or Phone Number	
DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION	
Indigenous Ancestry: Please enter an 'x' in front of all that apply to you.	
	rst Nations (Status) — First Nations (Non-Status)
Why would you like to be an P2GS Scholar? Please include a brief statement on why you are interested in this opportunity, how research interests you, and an indication of your future plans after graduation; and the top 5 research projects you are interested in. (Please consult the P2GS website)	
Student Signature*	Date (DD/MM/YYYY)

\*If you do not have an electronic signature, typing your name in the signature section will suffice.

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