



May 21, 2019

UPCE Scholarship Program

Good day members of the UPCE,

As previously mentioned, the Union of Postal Communications Employees "UPCE" has created its own scholarship program for UPCE members and their children. This is in addition to any existing Public Service Alliance of Canada "PSAC" scholarships that may be available.

The \$2,000 UPCE Scholarship Program, is available to all UPCE members in good standing at the time of application (and their children), who are enrolled at a post-secondary institution.

Program Guidelines

The UPCE will accept submissions until July 31, 2019. All the recipients should receive notification of the award no later than September 30, 2019.

A \$2,000 scholarship will be available to a member (or a child of a member) enrolled in a full-time program. A member (or their child) enrolled in a part-time program, will only be entitled to half of the scholarship (\$1,000). In a case like this, the second half of the scholarship (\$1,000) will be disbursed to the second-place applicant.

The scholarship will be awarded based on the merit of an essay of 500 words or more to a maximum of 750 words as it relates to one (1) of the topics chosen from the list provided. The applicant will need to draw links between the chosen topic and the labour movement. Essays of less than 500 words will be disqualified.

The scholarship can be awarded for any program that is accredited by a post-secondary institution.

In order to and before being awarded the scholarship, the recipient must provide both proof of enrolment, and proof of payment, from the post-secondary institution. Please also note that the applicant to whom the scholarship is awarded will need to provide her or his Social Insurance Number (SIN) before the award can be disbursed. The SIN is required in order to issue a T4A for taxation purposes.

At this time, once an applicant is awarded a UPCE scholarship, they are excluded from applying again for future such UPCE scholarships.



2019 Application Form

In order for your application to be considered complete and accepted, the following is required:

1. A completed application form, with all applicable sections completed. You must include your PSAC ID#, and your Local #.

AND

2. An essay of 500 words or more to a maximum of 750 words on one (1) of the topics chosen from the list provided by the UPCE for the current year. The essay must be submitted in a proper format such as APA (American Psychological Association) or MLA (Modern Language Association) styles.

Completed applications must be submitted by mail, received by the UPCE National Office on or before July 31, 2019, and be addressed to:

UPCE Scholarship Program
233 Gilmour Street, 7th floor
Ottawa ON K2P 0P1

NOTE: Applications **will not** be accepted by e-mail or fax

Confirmation of application received by UPCE will be mailed to the applicant.



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PERSONAL INFORMATION *(Please print)*

Applicant's Name:			
	Last	First	Middle
Address:			
	Number & Street	City	
	Province/Territory		Postal Code
Telephone:		Email:	

MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

Please complete Section A or Section B as it applies to the applicant.

Section A

<input type="checkbox"/> (✓) If you are a UPCE member applying please complete this portion	
PSAC ID #	Local #

Section B

<input type="checkbox"/> (✓) If you are a child of a UPCE member applying please complete this portion		
Parent: Last Name	Parent: First Name	Parent: Middle Name
Parent's PSAC ID #	Parent's Local #	
Telephone (Work)	Telephone (Home)	
Parent's work location	Home Email	



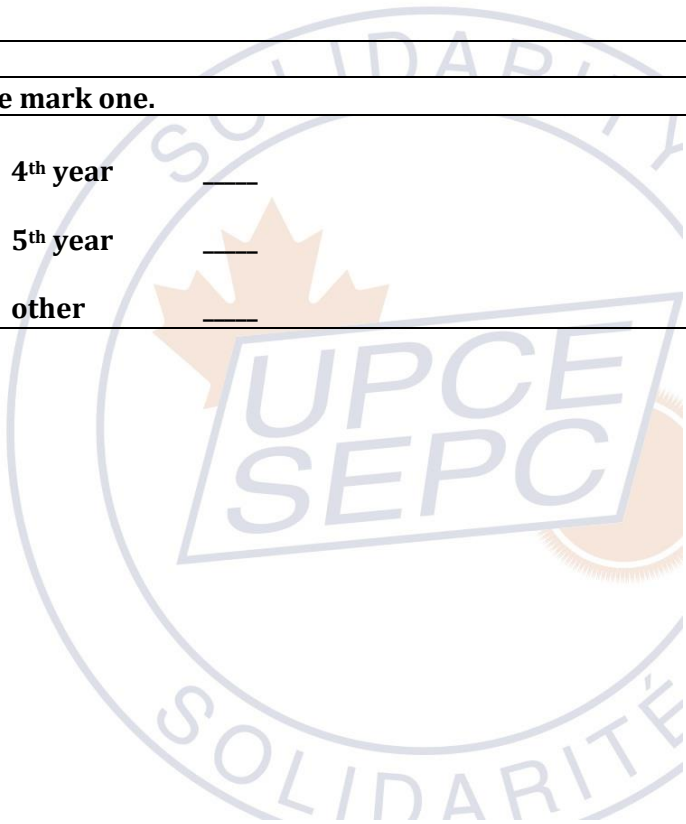
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Name and address of the post-secondary institution:

Name of degree or diploma:

What year are you entering? Please mark one.			
1st year	___	4th year	___
2nd year	___	5th year	___
3rd year	___	other	___



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List of Essay Topics

All applicants of the UPCE Scholarship program must choose one (1) topic for the essay from the list below:

1. Describe Islamophobia, its impact, global politics, the labour movement's involvement and why it is a social issue.
2. Describe Reconciliation between Indigenous and non-Indigenous peoples in Canada, its impact, the labour movement's involvement and why it is a social issue.
3. Describe today's most significant environmental issues, the global environmental impact, the labour movement's involvement and social sustainability issues.
4. Describe Domestic Violence, its impact, its victim groups, the labour movement's involvement and why it is a social issue.

