

2022-2023 APPLICATION

THE JAMES MACKINNON LOCAL 1059 SCHOLARSHIP FUND

LiUNA Local 1059 established the James MacKinnon Local 1059 Scholarship Fund to assist our hard-working members, their spouses, children, grandchildren and legal dependents in funding their postsecondary education.

All candidates seeking to apply for a scholarship must complete the requirements within this package. Please note that previous award recipients are eligible to apply, however receipt of an award in a previous year does not, in any way, guarantee success of any subsequent applications.

Only applications that meet all criteria and have been submitted on time will be considered by the Independent Review Committee ("IRC"). After review, all candidates will be notified of the decision of the IRC in writing and successful candidates will be formally presented their awards at a later date.

All applications and information collected will be kept strictly confidential, except as detailed herein.

LiUNA Local 1059 firmly believes that academia is important and we look forward to supporting all candidates in achieving their goals. We thank you for taking the time to apply, we look forward to reading your applications, and we wish you the best in your future academic careers.



ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- Must be a LiUNA Local 1059 member in good standing or the spouse, son, daughter, grandchild or legal dependent of a LiUNA Local 1059 member in good standing*
- Must have received the Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD) or its equivalent
- Must be planning to attend a recognized post-secondary institution or an equivalent in the same calendar year in which you apply. This includes candidates graduating from an Ontario high school this year as well as those already attending a post-secondary institution
- Must be registered as a full-time attendee in their program
- Must submit a completed application package by July 4, 2022

AVAILABLE AWARDS

UNIVERSITY

COLLEGE

Number Available - 5 Amount - \$3,000 each Number Available - 4 Amount - \$2,000 each

GENERAL (either college or university)

Number Available - a minimum of 8, at the discretion of the IRC Amount - \$500 each

^{*}A member in good standing is one who meets all criterion required of a LiUNA member as stipulated by the Uniform Local and District Council Constitutions of the Labourers' International Union of North America, as may be amended.

REVIEW CRITERIA

In order to be considered by the IRC, each candidate must submit:

- Completed Application Form (found on page 5)
- Letter of Acceptance from the post-secondary institution the candidate will be attending in the upcoming academic year, or if returning to their program, verification of continued enrollment
- Brief personal statement about the candidate, including career goals and other important information (no more than 250 words)
- Official transcript(s) from last year of education or GED (in light of COVID-19, for the 2022 application year, copies of original transcripts will be accepted)
- Information about:
 - Academic achievements or awards
 - Volunteer and/or paid work history (excluding volunteer work performed for school credit)
 - Extra-curricular activities/community involvement
- Two completed essays (see page 4)

SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

THE DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION IS JULY 4, 2022 AT 11:59PM.

LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

MAIL/COURIER TO:

LIUNA LOCAL 1059
ATTN: JMSF INDEPENDENT REVIEW COMMITTEE
635 WILTON GROVE ROAD
LONDON, ON N6N 1N7

OR SCAN & EMAIL TO:

SCHOLARSHIP@LIUNA1059.CA
INCLUDE YOUR FULL NAME IN THE SUBJECT LINE

ESSAYS

Each candidate must complete Part A, <u>AND</u> 1 essay question from Part B

ESSAY PROMPTS

- A Why would receiving a scholarship be important to you?
- B 1 How have trade unions contributed to the promotion of social justice?
 - Why is the "freedom of association" important in Canada?
 - 3 Do you feel that trade unions adequately assist underrepresented groups? Please explain.

ESSAY FORMAT

Part A should not exceed 400 words and Part B should not exceed 750 words in length. All essays must be typed and double spaced.

Essays must be original. Essays submitted in previous years shall not be considered and shall constitute an incomplete application.

Please note that all Part B essays submitted will become property of Liuna Local 1059 and may be shared via its website, newsletter, and/or any other platform determined by Liuna Local 1059 at its sole discretion.

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PERSONAL INFORMATION

Applicant's nar	ne:		
Address:			
		Postal Code:	
Phone:	Email:		
Sponsoring me	ember's name:		
Member union	mber union #:Relationship to applicant:		
Post-secondary	y institution:		
Planned progra	am of study:	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Total length of	program (yrs):	Remaining yrs:	
APPLICATI	ON CHECKLIS	T	
Essays - 1	Part A and Part B	Official transcript	
Personal	information	Achievements, work, extra- curriculars, etc.	
Rrief Per	sonal Statement	Letter of Acceptance	