

# **Ontario Professional Engineers Foundation for Education**

## **Undergraduate Scholarship**

### **About the Ontario Professional Engineers Foundation for Education**

Founded in 1959, the Engineers Foundation provides scholarship funding and recognition to engineering students with demonstrated academic and leadership excellence. By encouraging them to pursue licensure and establish careers in the profession, and connecting them with resources along the way, we are proud to be building the future leaders of engineering.

The Engineers Foundation is the official charity of the Ontario engineering profession, whose mission is to nurture engineering students into licensed engineers by inspiring academic and leadership excellence, providing financial assistance and connecting to mentors and employers.

Our scholarships demonstrate the commitment of the Ontario engineering profession to its future leaders. All of our award recipients have achieved both academic and leadership excellence through high marks, extracurricular activities and volunteering, making them some of the brightest and most promising future engineers in Ontario.

(Source: [engineersfoundation.ca](http://engineersfoundation.ca))

### **Terms**

The purpose of the Ontario Professional Engineers Foundation for Education Undergraduate Scholarships is to acknowledge the hard work of engineering students and promote the relevancy of becoming a licensed Professional Engineer (P.Eng.) in Ontario or elsewhere in Canada.

### **Eligibility and Selection Criteria:**

To be eligible for an Ontario Professional Engineers Foundation for Education Undergraduate Scholarship applicants must be second, third, fourth or final year students enrolled in an engineering program in the Faculty of Engineering and Design at Carleton.

To be considered for a scholarship, eligible applicants must demonstrate at least one of the following:

- high engineering aptitude;
- leadership through participation in professional affairs;
- sustained participation in extra-curricular activities either on or off-campus; and
- continued volunteerism either on or off-campus.

When selecting recipients for this scholarship, particular consideration will be given to promoting equity and diversity within Carleton's Faculty of Engineering and Design. To this objective, a Voluntary Self-Declaration Form is available to be included with the scholarship application. Members of under-represented communities and groups in the Faculty of Engineering and Design's engineering programs are encouraged to apply.

**Each award is valued at \$1,500 for the 2025-2026 academic year.**

**There are six awards to be allocated.**

**Application Deadline:**

**Wednesday November 5, 2025 at 12:00PM noon (Ottawa Local Time)**

**Instructions**

1. This is a fillable PDF form. Please complete and submit this application **via the online web form at [carleton.ca/engineering-design/current-students/undergrad-academic-support/opefe-award/](http://carleton.ca/engineering-design/current-students/undergrad-academic-support/opefe-award/) before November 5, 2025 12:00PM noon (Ottawa local time)**
2. Do not include any additional attachments (e.g. resumes, portfolios, photos, certificates, etc.).
3. Incomplete applications or applications with incorrect information will not be considered.

**Section 1: Personal Information**

\_\_\_\_\_

Last Name First Name(s)

CUID: \_\_\_\_\_

Year of Study: \_\_\_\_\_ Program of Study: \_\_\_\_\_

**Section 2: Personal Statement**

**Please use the provided spaces. Leave blank any criterion you do not wish to describe. The total statement, including all criteria you address, must not exceed 800 words.**

**Please describe how you demonstrate at least one or more of the following:**

High engineering aptitude
Leadership in professional affairs (work experience)

Sustained participation in extra-curricular activities either on or off-campus

Continued volunteerism either on or off-campus

### Section 3: Student Declaration

I authorize Carleton University and the Faculty of Engineering and Design to release a copy of this application to the appropriate awards selection committee(s).

I declare that the above information is true and accurate. If any information is inaccurate, I understand that an award may be reassessed and/or withdrawn.

Signature of Applicant/Student		Date

*At Carleton University, we recognize and respect the importance of privacy. Personal information that we collect is kept confidential. In accordance with section 41 of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, Carleton University will only use the information in its custody or control in the following circumstances: where the individual identifies the particular information and consents to its use; for the purpose for which it was collected or a consistent purpose (i.e. a purpose which the individual might have reasonably expected).*