FMS Indigenous Scholarships

The Faculty of Mathematics and Science (FMS) is pleased to announce Indigenous focussed scholarships created through the FMS Dean Strategic Discretionary Fund.

The Faculty of Mathematics and Science, Vice Provost Indigenous Engagement, and Aboriginal Student Services, guided by the common goal of fostering a culture of inclusivity, accessibility, reconciliation and decolonization, have endeavoured to create the scholarship series to assist Indigenous students at both the undergraduate and graduate level to attend and thrive at Brock University.

The scholarships are available for those who identify as First Nations (status and non-status), Inuit and Métis. Undergraduate scholarships encourage students to choose the Faculty of Mathematics and Science as a premier destination for their academic pursuits. Graduate Program scholarships will foster the next generation of brilliant student researchers to complete their graduate degrees at Brock, paving the way for a robust expansion of and the inclusiveness of the science community.

Scholarship Outline

Note: Scholarship adjudication will be conducted by the Faculty of Mathematics and Science Dean’s Office, Vice Provost Indigenous Engagement, and Aboriginal Student Services.

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<td>Undergraduate Entrance Scholarship</td>
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<td>To increase opportunities for first year students enrolling in an undergraduate program in the Faculty of Mathematics and Science by reducing financial barriers to attend</td>
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<td>Graduate Entrance Scholarship</td>
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<td>To encourage graduate studies and further the quality of research opportunities</td>
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Application

Applications are accepted throughout the year. Please do not hesitate to apply if you wish to be considered for a scholarship. The scholarship application will remain open until all spots are filled for each calendar year.

Eligibility:

*Students that meet the eligibility components outlined below are able to apply.*

- Self Identifying First Nations (status and non-status), Inuit and Métis
- Must meet eligibility requirements for registration in the program of choice
- Acceptance into the program

Application Procedure:

1. Submit a brief letter to deanfms@brocku.ca in which you:
2. Include your student I.D. and Brock email address
3. Confirm your eligibility: First Nations (status and non-status), Inuit and Métis applying to enroll at Brock University in the Faculty of Mathematics and Science
4. Identify the program you have applied to and are enrolling in at Brock University in the Faculty of Mathematics and Science
5. In your letter, please include a paragraph describing how this scholarship will help advance your goals
6. Once your letter is submitted complete your student profile through Mybrock.ca self identifying as indigenous

Terms and Conditions:

For scholarships that award funding beyond the first year of study, the awardee must be a full-time student in good standing with the Faculty of Mathematics and Science to receive the designated scholarship funds each subsequent year that funding is available.

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