

## **CEIU POLICY 31 SCHOLARSHIP GUIDELINES AND APPLICATION**

As amended November 2015

The Canada Employment and Immigration Union (CEIU) each year offers five (5) \$1,000.00 National Scholarships should applications be received.

Should the funds available in any given year exceed \$25,000 for each amount of \$2,000 in excess of \$25,000 benchmark, one (1) additional scholarship may be awarded in that year on the condition that a sufficient number of acceptable applications is received to a maximum of fifteen (15) total scholarships.

The first five (5) scholarships will be allocated individually for each of the five regions. If more scholarships are allocated in a given year, then the supplemental scholarships will be awarded on a merit basis.

Please note that a person who does receive a CEIU scholarship cannot submit an application to apply for a CEIU Scholarship for the next five (5) consecutive year period. Only one CEIU scholarship per individual per a five (5) consecutive year period will be awarded.

Copies of the application form will be provided to Local Union Executives, members of the National Executive, CEIU National and Regional offices. The application form will also be posted on the CEIU website.

### **Eligibility:**

All scholarships are available for members in good standing of the CEIU, their spouse, their common-law spouse (including same-sex partners) and/or their dependent(s). However, no more than one scholarship will be awarded to the same family in a given year.

For this purpose, a dependent of a CEIU member in good standing is defined as follows:

1. A person of whom the member is the natural parent or grandparent whether the person was born within or outside marriage;
2. A person who is wholly dependent on the member for support and of whom the member has immediately or before the person attained the age of nineteen (19) years had, in law or in fact, the custody and control;
3. A child or grandchild of the member's spouse or common-law partner or;

4. An adopted child of the member.

### **Requirements**

- A 600 to 800 word count essay or submission in an audio, visual (painting, drawing, sculpture or photograph), or video format that would express your view on one of the following topics:
  - Labour's contribution to the Community
  - What do you foresee as the role of organized labour in the future?
  - How can we fight against any attack on public services and defined-benefit pension plans?
- A brief statement from a person that can provide information on your work, your capabilities, your character and performance. This person could include: teachers, clergy, community service leaders, supervisors, etc. The statement may be sent directly to CEIU.
- Proof of registration with the name of the University, College or Institute of higher learning that you will be attending must be submitted with your application. Attendance shall be verified before the granting of the award.
- A transcript of your most current academic standing. This is not applicable for anyone who has been out of school for more than two (2) years.

Should there be fewer than 5 applications received in any given year, the monies remaining will be kept in a fund for future years.

The CEIU reserves the right not to award a scholarship on the basis that no applicant is deemed to possess the requirements. All submissions become the property of the CEIU.

The CEIU reserves the right to add, for applications, an optional topic through a suggestion from the Orientation Committee in a given year.



## Scholarship Application Instructions

Your application **must** include the following:

1. A covering letter that must contain
  - the name of the University, College or Institute of higher learning that you will be attending
  - an explanation of your program of study and career plan
  - details of your community and/or union involvement.
2. Proof of registration
3. An official transcript of your most current academic standing (if applicable)
4. A 600-800-word essay or submission in an audio, visual (painting, drawing, sculpture or photograph), or video format that would express your view on one of the following topics:
  - Labour's contribution to the Community
  - What do you foresee as the role of organized labour in the future?
  - How can we fight against any attack on public services and defined-benefit pension plans?
5. A brief statement from a person that can provide information on your work, your capabilities, your character and performance.

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**All documents must be supplied with the application, otherwise it will be considered incomplete.**

**If you are a successful applicant, we will require a photograph of you which may appear on our website.**

## Application Form for the CEIU Scholarship

Completed application forms must be **received** by fax, by mail at CEIU national office or by email, **no later than August 27<sup>th</sup>, 2021**, to:

Canada Employment and Immigration Union  
c/o CEIU Scholarship  
275 Slater Street Suite 1204  
Ottawa, ON K1P 5H9

Fax: 613-236-7871

Email address: [national@ceiu-seic.ca](mailto:national@ceiu-seic.ca)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Home telephone number \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Your PSAC ID # (or that of  
the person to whom you are  
related) \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete if the applicant is not the CEIU member

Relationship to member: Dependent: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of member: \_\_\_\_\_

Office telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Member: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_