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## **BY-LAW 4 SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

1. The Scholarship Program reflects one of the main purposes of the CMPA; to support and benefit its members. The Executive Committee shall manage a scholarship fund to provide financial assistance to members of the CMPA whose family members are pursuing their first year of full or part time post-secondary education.
2. One scholarship will be presented for entry into a university program, and one for entry into a community college program. In the event that no submission has been made for one and there is more than one application for the other, two scholarships may be presented for the same type of institution. Additionally, should no first year submissions be found suitable, the adjudication committee may canvass the membership for submissions by students entering second or higher years. The value of each scholarship will be \$1000.

### **ELIGIBILITY**

3. Consideration for support shall be afforded to all members of the Association in good standing, on behalf of any member of their immediate family (spouse or children). To be eligible, candidates must have been accepted at a post-secondary institution (university or college) and have demonstrated academic aptitude. Family members of the CMPA Executive Committee are eligible for consideration.
4. Generally, scholarships are available to students accepted to a provincially accredited degree or diploma granting university or college. The Executive will judge submissions for other institutions, e.g. trade or technological colleges.

### **APPLICATION**

5. Candidates must submit to the CMPA Secretary, a resumé of their personal and academic accomplishments and interests, in an essay of 1000-1500 words, outlining their career aspirations and why they should be considered for a scholarship. The essay, a transcript of the two previous year's grades and a letter of acceptance from a university or college must be received by the Secretary, **not later than 30 July**. Applications may be submitted in English or French.



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## SELECTION

6. The President shall convene a committee of no less than three CMPA members, representing a cross section of the Association, to consider all submissions received. No person, who is sponsoring a person for a scholarship, shall sit on the selection committee. The Committee will consider, but not be limited to, the following:

- academic performance and potential;
- community involvement;
- financial need (based upon criteria in Annex A); and
- quality of submitted resumé and essay.

7. The winning candidate(s) will normally be announced once any outstanding documentation has been provided. Winning applicants, who fail to provide the required documentation, without valid reason, shall forfeit their standing.

8. The winning candidate(s) will be presented with their cheques by the President or Vice President. Photographs of the event will be taken and provided to the Director Communications for inclusion in an article published on social media and the Web page.

Annex A      Assessment Sheet  
Annex B      Assessment Scoring Sheet