

# GIVE THE WORLD ITS NEXT EINSTEIN.

- > Select your Schulich Leader Nominee
- Give them a shot to win a \$100,000
   Schulich Leader Scholarship
  - > 50 STEM\* scholarships awarded annually

\*Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics

2019 Nominee Application Guide



Creating the next generation of technology innovators



# What are Schulich Leader Scholarships?



Schulich Leader Scholarships are prestigious entrance scholarships awarded to high school graduates enrolling in Science, Technology, Engineering or Mathematics

(STEM) programs at our 20 Canadian partner universities (see reverse).

Recognizing the increasing importance and impact that STEM disciplines will have on the prosperity of future generations, businessman and philanthropist Seymour Schulich established this \$100 million scholarship fund in 2012 to encourage our best and brightest students to be the next pioneers of global scientific research and innovation.

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25 at **\$100,000** for engineering

25 at \$80,000 for science, technology or mathematics





A Schulich Leader Nominee represents the top STEM student in your graduating class and in turn becomes eligible to win a \$100,000 or \$80,000 scholarship. This entrepreneurial-minded student exemplifies at least two of the following criteria:

- > Academic excellence
- > Leadership
- > Financial need

#### Benefits at a Glance



Chance to win a \$100,000 or \$80,000 scholarship



Recognition on a national stage and within your school

# What is a Schulich Leader?

A Schulich Leader is a student who has been selected by one of our 20 partner universities to receive \$100,000 or \$80,000 to pursue an undergraduate degree in STEM. In addition to this large financial award, they join an elite network and receive many ongoing benefits.

Only Schulich Leader Nominees are eligible to become Schulich Leaders.



## Submit your nominee to be eligible for a Schulich Leader Scholarship

(Limited to one student per school; two for Cégeps)

#### **How It Works**



School appoints representative to submit nominee and spearhead nomination process



School displays promotional materials to notify staff and students



School representative submits nominee (due January 30, 2019)



Nominee submits scholarship application (due February 20, 2019)



Universities review applications and make offers (March 1-June 14, 2019)

#### Student Eligibility Criteria

- ➤ Graduate high school or Cégep in the 2018/2019 academic year
- > Be a Canadian citizen or permanent resident
- ➤ Be entrepreneurial-minded and plan to enroll in STEM at one of our partner universities
- > Meet at least two of the following criteria:
  - > Academic excellence
  - ➤ Leadership (community, business or entrepreneurial)
  - > Financial need
- > Not planning a career as a medical practitioner

#### **Get Started**

#### 1. Submit Your Nominee

School representative submits nomination online. Email **info@uja.schulichleaders.com** if you are not on our electronic mailing list and we will send you the link. Nomination deadline is **January 30, 2019**.

Nomination form requires:

- > Name and contact information for your school
- > Name and contact information for your nominee

All nominations are verified by the Schulich Leader Scholarships office. Once a nomination is verified the student is sent a link to the scholarship application.

#### 2. Student Completes Application

Scholarship application deadline is **February 20, 2019**.

Application includes:

- > The universities they wish to attend
- > Their top three achievements (academic or other)
- ➤ 600 word essay demonstrating why they should win
- ➤ Optional 250 word essay to outline extenuating circumstances
- ➤ Short answer to identify where they see themselves in 10 years
- Two single-page letters of reference that include email and telephone contact information for verification
- > Copy of up-to-date transcript, credit counsel summary or detailed academic report
- > Headshot profile image for publicity

#### 3. Scholarship Recipients Selected

Universities select Schulich Leader scholarship recipients using their own rubric. All winners are confirmed by June 14, 2019.





### Partner Universities

50 Scholarships Annually 20 Canadian Universities

University of Waterloo University of Toronto McMaster University University of British Columbia Queen's University Western University University of Alberta McGill University University of Ottawa University of Victoria University of Calgary Dalhousie University Simon Fraser University University of Manitoba York University University of New Brunswick University of Saskatchewan Memorial University of Newfoundland Université de Montréal Université Laval

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