

# Biology Donor Award Standard Application

(Revised June 2024)

Name:

MSc

PhD

Year X

Year Entered program:

I am applying for:

*(note that checking boxes for which you do not have eligibility will render your entire application invalid)*

## Irene Uchida Fellowship

*Must be a Canadian citizen, Permanent Resident/Landed Immigrant or a Protected Person and meet the OSOTF requirements including OSAP Ontario Residency: (1) You have always resided in Ontario or Ontario is the last province you resided in for 12 consecutive months without being a full-time postsecondary student (high school education must have been in Ontario), (2) You are married or in a common-law relationship and your partner had resided in Ontario for 12 consecutive months [but was not a full-time postsecondary student] prior to the month before you enrolled in your current degree, OR (3) Your parent(s)/guardian(s) resided in Ontario for at least 12 consecutive months prior to the date when you enrolled in your current degree. Must have been enrolled as a Biology graduate student for 1 year.*

Briefly state your financial need for this fellowship (Note: holders of major scholarships are considered ineligible based on this criterion).

## Ruth Horner Arnold Award

*Must be in first year of this graduate degree. Preference mycology.*

Briefly state how your research relates to the field of mycology:

## J.D. Detwiler award

*Must have completed proposal assessment.*

## Malcolm Ferguson Award

*Must have average >78% and at least one peer-reviewed publication or presentation at a national or international conference.*

- René R. Roth Memorial Award**  
*International student or landed immigrant*
- David E. Laudenbach Scholarship**  
*Must average >78%; Preference for a student studying plants*  
Briefly state how you demonstrate unusual balance to both University and extracurricular and/or family activities.
- Ian Clarke Graduate Scholarship**  
*Specializing in Cell and Molecular Biology.*
- Karen Auzins Scholarship**  
*Beyond Year 1 with preference given to Biodiversity, Conservation or Ecosystem Health.*
- Dr. Carl F. Robinow Graduate Award in Biology**  
*Preference to candidates conducting research in microbiology or mycology.*
- David G. and Susan P. Wilson Scholarship**  
*Preference to candidates whose area of research interest relates to or integrates plant biochemistry or plant molecular biology.*
- Janice Bosley Graduate Award in Global Change Biology**  
*Preference to candidates conducting research in global change biology.*

You may win each Donor Award only once in your degree program. If you have won any Donor Awards previously list them below, along with the year.

**Summary of research (including progress to date)**

**Peer-reviewed publications** (including those submitted, and those prior to your current degree) Use the following format:  
Solo, H. & Skywalker, L. (1985) An analysis of the vulnerability of moon-based security systems. *Journal of Death Star Research* 16: 253-241.

**Conference presentations** (including those prior to your current degree) Use the following format:  
Skywalker, L. & Vader, D. (1982) Is carbonite a viable cryopreservation medium? Society for carbonite research annual meeting. Banff, AB, Canada. [Poster]

Please restrict your answers to the following questions to your time in your current graduate degree.

**Please list your service involvement beyond the requirements of your degree during your period of enrolment.**  
e.g. committee membership, volunteering, conference organization etc.

**Please list your mentoring or leadership activities during your current degree.**  
e.g. mentoring undergraduates, initiating events or organizations, leading grant applications or research projects.

**Please list any current (or completed during your current degree) side projects and collaborations on publishable research that will not be included in your thesis.** Indicate if this has yielded a publication or presentation.

**Please list any outreach/communication involvement during your current degree.**  
e.g. public lectures, outreach events, professional social media profile, teaching or presentation awards

**Please list any awards and/or scholarships you have received during your current degree.**  
e.g. Presentation awards from conferences, NSERC CGS-M, TA awards, Donor awards