

## Terms of Reference

# Telfer Diversity and Equity Admission Scholarship

## Introduction

This scholarship was created by the dean of the Telfer School of Management.

## Purpose of fund

To financially support an undergraduate student enrolled in the Telfer School of Management who is a member of a racialized or Indigenous community and involved in their community.

## Scholarship details

### Eligibility Criteria

The applicant must:

1. be a Canadian citizen or permanent resident;
2. be admitted as a full-time undergraduate student to the Telfer School of Management of the University of Ottawa;
3. be a racialized person (member of a visible minority) and defined as a person other than Indigenous (Aboriginal), who is non-white in colour or race, regardless of place of birth or citizenship;

OR

provide documented proof of Indigenous identity, in accordance with the requirements of the University of Ottawa Eligibility for Focused Admissions, Scholarships, and Bursaries for First Nations, Inuit, and Métis People administrative procedure;

4. be involved in the community; and
5. have the required admission average.

<b>Value of the award:</b>	\$20,000 (\$5,000 per year)
<b>Number of awards:</b>	4
<b>Frequency of the award:</b>	Annual
<b>Level or program of study:</b>	Undergraduate
<b>Application contact:</b>	Financial Aid and Awards Service
<b>Application deadline:</b>	March 31
<b>Renewable:</b>	Yes, if the renewal criteria are met

## Application procedure

Applications must be made through Online Scholarships and Bursaries, which can be accessed through uoZone, and should include:

1. a letter (500 words max.) describing the applicant's involvement in their community; and
2. documented proof of Indigenous identity, in accordance with the requirements of the University of Ottawa Eligibility for Focused Admissions, Scholarships, and Bursaries for First Nations, Inuit, and Métis People administrative procedure.

OR

self-identification from the applicant who identifies as a member of a racialized community as per the [Ontario Human Rights Commission policy and guidelines on racism and racial discrimination section 2.1 \("Race" — A social construct\)](#).

## Renewal Criteria

This scholarship will be renewed automatically so long as the student meets the renewal criteria. These scholarships are granted for three years, upon condition that the student obtains and maintains a cumulative grade point average (CGPA) of 5.0 or higher at the end of each academic year and remains a full-time student at the Telfer School of Management. Temporary interruption of studies, or registration as a part time or special student, will lead to revocation of the scholarship.