

TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR AN ENDOWED FUND

NAME OF ENDOWED FUND

Tino and Margarida Marques Bursary



INTRODUCTION

Tino and Margarida Marques immigrated to Canada from Portugal in the early 1970s. They settled in Ottawa where, starting with modest means, they raised their children and became successful business and community leaders, and notable supporters of various charities. This bursary was established in 2022 to commemorate their 50th wedding anniversary.

PURPOSE OF FUND

To support undergraduate students at the University of Ottawa who demonstrate financial need and have overcome personal hardship or a challenge to pursue their education.

SCHOLARSHIP DETAILS

Eligibility Criteria

Applicants must:

1. be a Canadian citizen, a permanent resident, a person with protected or refugee status, or an international student;
2. be enrolled as an undergraduate part- or full-time student at the University of Ottawa;
3. demonstrate financial need, as determined by the Financial Aid and Awards Service of the University of Ottawa; and
4. demonstrate how they have overcome personal hardship or a challenge to pursue their education.

Value of the award: Minimum \$2,000

Number of awards: Variable

Frequency of the award: Annual (first scholarship planned for fall 2022)

Level or program of study: Undergraduate

Application contact: Financial Aid and Awards Service

Application deadline: October 31

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Applications must be made through Online Scholarships and Bursaries, which can be accessed through uozone.uOttawa.ca. They should include:

1. the Financial Questionnaire; and
2. a letter (500 words max.) describing how the applicant has had to overcome personal hardship or a challenge to pursue an education.