

TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR AN ENDOWED FUND

NAME OF ENDOWMENT FUND (OSOTF ^[1])

Keith J. Laidler Scholarship in Chemistry

INTRODUCTION

This scholarship was created by the generosity of Dr. David T.Y. Chen to honour his former professor, and good friend, Professor Emeritus Keith J. Laidler. Dr. Chen emigrated to Canada from Taiwan and obtained his Ph.D. at the University of Ottawa under Professor Laidler. Dr. Chen subsequently returned to Hong Kong to teach and then moved to Taiwan.

Professor Laidler is recognized internationally in several fields of chemistry and is the recipient of many prestigious awards for chemical research, teaching and the history of chemistry. Professor Laidler also founded the popular Christmas Lecture Series in Science and Engineering at the University.

The Department of Chemistry thanks the Alumni Association of the University of Ottawa and the Government of Ontario for their matching contributions.

PURPOSE OF FUND

To provide financial assistance to Chemistry students whose education would otherwise be compromised.

SCHOLARSHIP DETAILS

Eligibility Criteria

The applicant must:

1. be registered on a full-time basis in the Honours in Chemistry program;
2. be an Ontario resident (as per OSAP - Ontario Student Assistance Program - rules);
3. demonstrate financial need, as determined by the Financial Aid and Awards Office of the University of Ottawa; and
4. have a CGPA of at least 8.0.

Value of the Award: Minimum \$1,500

Number of Awards: Variable

Frequency of the Award: Annual

Level of the Award: 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 the uoZone portal, and should include the Financial Questionnaire.

^[1] OSOTF : Ontario Student Opportunity Trust Fund