

## TERMS OF REFERENCE

### Name of Non-Endowed Fund

# Common Law Elevating Excellence Entrance Scholarship Fund

## INTRODUCTION

This entrance scholarship was introduced by the dean in 2024 to recruit outstanding students to the Common Law Section of uOttawa's Faculty of Law through tuition assistance.

## PURPOSE OF FUND

To support newly-admitted JD students to the Faculty of Law, Common Law Section, who demonstrate academic excellence, leadership, innovation and integrity. Recipients will be selected based on merit and academic performance, not financial need.

## SCHOLARSHIP DETAILS

### Eligibility criteria

Recipients must meet the following criteria:

- Be a Canadian citizen, a permanent resident, or a person with protected or refugee status.
- Be admitted as a full-time JD student in the Faculty of Law, Common Law Section, of the University of Ottawa.
- Demonstrate academic excellence, leadership, innovation and integrity.

**Award value:** \$10,000 in the first year followed by \$5,000 in the second and third years if still eligible.

**Number of awards:** Minimum 1

**Award frequency:** Annual

**Renewable:** Yes (see above amounts)

**Level or program of study:** JD

## APPLICATION PROCEDURE

No application required. This scholarship is awarded automatically based on the student's application for admission to the Faculty of Law, Common Law Section.