

TERMS OF REFERENCE OF AN ENDOWED FUND

NAME OF THE ENDOWMENT FUND

G rard Coulombe Scholarship

INTRODUCTION

This fund was established in 2005 by Mr. G rard Coulombe, Q.C. while he was a member of the campaign committee within the Civil Law Section at the University of Ottawa. Mr. Coulombe acted as special advisor to the Minister of Finance of Canada from 1972 to 1977. In this capacity, he was responsible for negotiating agreements to avoid double taxation between Canada and more than forty countries. He also represented Canada on Working Group No. 1 of the Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development's (OECD) Committee on Fiscal Affairs in Paris.

Since 1977, Mr. Coulombe carried on a general practice in business and commercial law with a particular focus on matters involving financial institutions and Crown corporations and the establishment of financial and industrial conglomerates. In fulfilling his mandates, Mr. Coulombe brought insight gained from his vast experience in the field of international taxation, and he was especially sought after for his experience in providing consulting services to businesses in the area of corporate governance.

PURPOSE OF FUND

To provide admission scholarships to Quebec candidates applying for their Licence in Civil Law and who have an outstanding academic or professional record.

SCHOLARSHIP DETAILS

Eligibility criteria:

The applicant must:

1. be admitted in the civil law licence program at the Faculty of Law of the University of Ottawa;
2. demonstrate financial need, as determined by the Financial Aid and Awards Service of the University of Ottawa;
3. be a Quebec resident; and
4. have an outstanding academic or professional record.

Value of the Award: Variable

Number of Awards: Variable

Frequency of the Award: Annual

Level of the Award: Undergraduate

Application Contact: Assistant Dean, Civil Law Section

Application Deadline: March 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.