NAME OF NON-ENDOWED FUND

Paul Fortin Memorial Scholarship

INTRODUCTION

This scholarship was generously created in memory of Paul Fortin, who died December 3, 2020, at the age of 32. A lawyer for the federal Department of Justice, he was a member of the Law Society of Ontario. He was also involved as a volunteer in the francophone community sector, as a member of the Club Richelieu Vanier-Laurier, the Association Champlain Fondateur and the Fondation Richelieu Ottawa. This scholarship was created in partnership with the Fondation franco-ontarienne and the University of Ottawa.

PURPOSE OF FUND

To support undergraduate students enrolled in a French-language undergraduate program in the Civil Law Section (LLL) or the Common Law Section (JD) who demonstrate commitment to the francophone community.

FUND DETAILS

Eligibility criteria

Applicants must:

- 1. Be a Canadian citizen or permanent resident;
- 2. Be an Ontario resident as per OSAP (Ontario Student Assistance Program) regulations;
- 3. Be enrolled in an undergraduate French-language program in the Civil Law Section (LLL) or the Common Law Section (JD) at the University of Ottawa;
- 4. Demonstrate financial need, as determined by the Financial Aid and Awards Service of the University of Ottawa; and
- 5. Demonstrate commitment to the francophone community sector in a Canadian province.

Value of award:	\$2,500
Number of awards:	1
Frequency of the award:	Annual
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 Scholarship and Bursaries (accessible through uoZone). They should include:

- 1. the Financial Questionnaire; and
- 2. a letter (500 words maximum) from the applicant demonstrating their commitment to the francophone community sector in a Canadian province.