TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR A NON-ENDOWED FUND

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Dr. Peter Bryce Indigenous Scholarship in Medicine

INTRODUCTION

This scholarship has been created by the Knox Presbyterian Church of Ottawa as part of our efforts toward reconciliation and creating opportunity for Indigenous students enrolled in the Faculty of Medicine at the University of Ottawa.

Dr. Peter Henderson Bryce (1853–1932) was a pioneer in Canadian public health and sanitation policy. He is best remembered for his efforts to improve the health and living conditions of Indigenous people. His report on the Indian schools of Manitoba and the Northwest Territories exposed the unsanitary conditions of residential schools across Canada and prompted national calls for residential school reform.

This scholarship has been created by Knox Presbyterian Church members to highlight the path towards reconciliation.

PURPOSE OF FUND

To support Indigenous students pursuing an MD through the Indigenous UGME program at the Faculty of Medicine.

SCHOLARSHIP DETAILS

Eligibility Criteria

The applicant must:

- 1. be a Canadian citizen, a permanent resident, a person with protected or refugee status;
- 2. be admitted as a full-time student in the UGME program at the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Ottawa;
- 3. demonstrate financial need, as determined by the Financial Aid and Awards Service of the University of Ottawa; and
- 4. provide documented proof of Indigenous identity, in accordance with the requirements of the University of Ottawa Eligibility for Focused Admissions, Scholarships, and Bursaries for First Nations, Inuit, and Métis People administrative procedure.

Value of the award: \$2,000 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 Scholarships and Bursaries, which can be accessed through uozone.uOttawa.ca:

- 1. the Financial Questionnaire; and
- 2. documented proof of Indigenous identity, in accordance with the requirements of the University of Ottawa Eligibility for Focused Admissions, Scholarships, and Bursaries for First Nations, Inuit, and Métis People administrative procedure.