

## GRAYDON NICHOLAS INDIGENOUS SCHOLARSHIP IN ENGINEERING

### APPLICATION GUIDELINES

Available to New Brunswick residents of Indigenous ancestry who have been accepted into an engineering program at either the University of New Brunswick (Fredericton or Saint John) or Université de Moncton. The scholarship may be used to help offset tuition, textbooks, transportation and/or living expenses.

Two scholarships are awarded each year to Indigenous engineering undergraduate students entering their 1<sup>st</sup> year or higher of full-time or part-time study: one (1) at the University of New Brunswick (Fredericton or Saint John) and one (1) at l'Université de Moncton.

### DEADLINE

Applications are accepted until 11:59pm on September 30<sup>th</sup> and will be awarded in October.

### ELIGIBILITY

- Members of New Brunswick First Nation Communities
- Enrolled in an engineering program, either full-time or part-time, at UNB or UdeM
- In good academic standing
- Require financial assistance to pursue education

### PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING

- 1) A student is eligible for one APEGNB scholarship each academic year. If you are successful in more than one APEGNB scholarship competition, you will receive the award with the highest value. If however you are already receiving partial funding from other sources, you may still apply to cover additional educational and living expenses.
- 2) Previously successful applicants who still qualify under the criteria above are eligible to apply for this scholarship five times over the duration of their studies. **Priority however will be given to first time applicants.**
- 3) Incomplete or late applications will not be considered.

## SECTION A: APPLICANT INFORMATION

### PERSONAL

SURNAME .....

GIVEN  
NAME .....

ADDRESS .....

CITY PROV PC .....

EMAIL PHONE .....

### STATUS

Are you of Indigenous ancestry? Yes ..... No .....

Are you a member of a New Brunswick First Nations Community? Yes ..... No .....

If yes, which community .....

**To ensure the scholarship is awarded to the intended recipient(s), please provide proof of ancestry by submitting a copy of your ID and/or a letter from the Community that verifies your membership.**

### PROPOSED DEGREE

DEGREE DISCIPLINE .....

Université de Moncton START DATE .....

University of New Brunswick  
Fredericton COMPLETION  
DATE (expected) .....

University of New Brunswick  
Saint John STUDENT ID  
(if applicable) .....

How did you hear about this scholarship? .....

## **SECTION B: MOTIVATION ESSAY**

In a short essay, describe 1) your motivation to pursue an education in engineering along with your career plans, and 2) how you intend to succeed in your chosen field. **750 words max.**

### SECTION C: FINANCIAL NEED

Your individual financial needs will be considered to some extent. If you would like to volunteer information for consideration, please provide details of your financial needs, your sources of income and your anticipated expenses for the duration of the scholarship. **300 words max.**

### SECTION D: LETTER OF SUPPORT

A letter of support is required from an educator, guidance counselor, engineer or geoscientist, community member, spiritual leader, or business leader, member of the military, medical professional, etc. ***Please instruct your reference to return their Letter of Support directly to the APEGNB office.***

NAME .....

EMAIL .....

PHONE .....

### SECTION E: ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

The following items must be submitted **with** your completed scholarship application form.

- A Copy of your University Transcript (or high school transcript for students enrolled in their first year of study)
- Resume (including any community involvement, awards, and/or information on extracurricular activities)
- Motivation Essay (see attached)
- Proof of ancestry

SIGNATURE .....

DATE .....

## SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

### Letter of Support

#### APPLICANT

*Please complete this section before passing to your reference.*

APPLICANT NAME .....

PROGRAM .....

UNIVERSITY .....

#### TO REFERENCE:

*The Association recognizes the value of attracting competent Indigenous People to the engineering profession. This scholarship is intended to assist motivated Indigenous People in the pursuit of their studies. Please comment on the merit of the applicant and provide any information you feel would be appropriate. This information will be considered confidential. Please forward the completed form to the APEGNB office per above.*

***Please forward the completed form to the APEGNB office ([info@apegnb.com](mailto:info@apegnb.com)) by September 30<sup>th</sup>.***

COMMENTS:

SIGNATURE .....

DATE .....

NAME (print) .....

POSITION .....

UNIVERSITY .....

EMAIL .....

PHONE .....