TD Scholarships For Community Leadership

Available to all students across Canada who are now in their final year of high school (outside of Quebec) or final year of CEGEP (in Quebec) in the 2014/2015 school year.

2014/2015 Application Form

Important – Application Checklist

Before mailing your application, ensure that it contains all these documents in the following order:

Required:

- this application form, fully completed and signed;
- three copies of an essay of up to 600 words by you describing your community leadership.
 Tell us:
 - Why you got involved,
 - Whether and how your involvement shows initiative and innovation.
 - The way your efforts have strengthened others,
 - How long you have been involved.
 - What you think the long-term impact will be,
 - How your community has affected you. In addition, include a brief description of the range of your other community activities.
- a letter of recommendation from your school, written and signed (electronic signatures will not be accepted) by a senior official, such as your principal, guidance counsellor or teacher;
- two letters of support or confirmation written and signed (electronic signatures will <u>not</u> be accepted) from the community group, groups or individuals who have been the focus of the community leadership involvement on which this application is based. If there are exceptional circumstances whereby these two letters cannot be provided, you may include a letter detailing those special circumstances;
- an official transcript of your academic record;

Optional:

 three copies of an essay of up to 250 words, describing your family and personal circumstances (family employment, economic situation, etc.), or other extenuating circumstances you feel

- may be relevant to the consideration of your application;
- an essay of up to 250 words in length, detailing your activities if you have taken a year or more away from high school or CEGEP.

No other material will be presented to the judges. Materials cannot be returned. Please retain a copy of this application for your records.

Applicants selected as finalists will be notified by the end of March 2015, and interviewed by a selection panel in April. Scholarships will be awarded at a national ceremony in early June.

All applicants will be notified in writing by the end of May 2015 as to their status.

All applications and correspondence should be sent by registered mail to:

Association of Universities and Colleges of Canada Ref: TD Scholarships for Community Leadership 350 Albert Street, Suite 1710 Ottawa, ON K1R 1B1

Deadline

All applications and supporting documents **must be received** no later than November 28, 2014. No applications will be accepted after the deadline regardless of the postmark date. Please do not send applications by fax or email, as they will not be considered. This application may be filled in and submitted online (td.com/scholarship) or filled out and mailed. In either case, your essays, letters and transcripts MUST be sent by MAIL.

For more information: 1-800-308-8306

