

# TRAUMATIC STRESS (section of the CPA) Student Scholarships:

# CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

# APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

The Traumatic Stress Section of the Canadian Psychological Association (CPA) is excited to offer three (3) Student Scholarships in 2021 to Canadian graduate students working on topics relevant to traumatic stress in research and/or clinical programs in a Canadian university.

Funding of \$2,000 is available per student. *Applications are due September 5, 2021.* 

## To be eligible, applicants must:

- Be registered as a full-time graduate student (master's or doctoral level) in a Canadian university;
- Conduct research or clinical work in the field of traumatic stress;
- Not currently hold awards or scholarships from a tri-council agency or similar provincial organization (e.g., Fonds de recherche du Québec) AND do not currently receive more than \$15,000 yearly in scholarship or award money from their university or any other funding body;
- At the time of application and if successful, over the term of the Scholarship, the applicant must be a member in good standing of the **CPA's Traumatic Stress Section.**

## Applicants will be selected based on the following criteria:

- Excellence of the academic dossier;
- Relevance of their work to the field of traumatic stress;
- Previous experiences in relation to traumatic stress (paid or voluntary);
- Their publication and knowledge mobilization dossier.

# **APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS**

Applications must be submitted electronically via https://cpa.ca/machform/view.php?id=56710.

Application requirements include:

- 1. Abbreviated CV limited to the past 5 years only and which shows eligibility requirements, academic history, and various contributions to the field of traumatic stress (maximum 5 pages)
- 2. Description of the research or clinical work being conducted in the field of traumatic stress (500 words)
- 3. Most recent transcript in current graduate program.

## Applications not meeting ALL application requirements will not be reviewed for funding.

### **RELEASE OF FUNDS**

The CPA will release funds on behalf of the CPA's Traumatic Stress Section upon confirmation of membership in the CPA's Traumatic Stress Section from the CPA's Membership Department.

### **RESPONSIBILITIES OF STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS**

### **General Rules**

• At the time of application and if successful, over the term of the scholarship, the applicant/Scholarshipee must be a member, in good standing, of the CPA's Traumatic Stress Section