

DONOR-FUNDED ENTRANCE AWARD CRITERIA



David Williams Entrance Award

David Williams, Bachelor of Business Administration faculty, is pleased to offer an award to a student entering the Business Management Diploma program. The student will have demonstrated distinct leadership skills with an academic achievement of at least 80%, based on high school transcripts.

Selected each spring with KPU entrance awards, the recipient will be invited to the annual School of Business awards dinner event.

One award valued at \$1,000

Dianne Watts Surrey Legacy Award

Former City of Surrey Mayor, Dianne Watts, believes that the future health and well-being of her beloved city lies in supporting the leaders of tomorrow. In conjunction with the Surrey Fire Fighters' Charitable Society, Dianne Watts is seeking to identify an outstanding graduating grade 12 female student and provide this individual with a one-time educational award.

The Dianne Watts Surrey Legacy Award sets out to reward an inspiring female student who shows leadership and vision for their Surrey neighbourhood and community. In addition to these qualities, the ideal candidate will demonstrate extraordinary volunteerism and a strong level of social consciousness as evident through their humanitarian efforts.

The recipient must be graduating this calendar school year, a resident of Surrey for at least the previous six months, excel academically, demonstrate leadership, and have an extraordinary history of community involvement and volunteerism in Surrey.

One award valued at \$2,500

Janis Elaine Waller Endowed Memorial Fashion Design Scholarship

Janis Elaine Waller, mother of three young children and lifelong partner to her husband, was a very vivacious and outgoing person who was always willing to help. Her care for others was demonstrated in her work as a high school home economics teacher. Janis' goal was to encourage and help promising students pursue higher education and ultimately a career in the fashion industry. In Janis' memory, her family and the Burnaby School District home economics department are pleased to offer an award to a Burnaby high school graduate. The student will have achieved a minimum grade of A- in home economics-related courses, based on high school transcripts. The recipient will be announced at the school commencement ceremony.

Funds will be applied as a tuition credit once the student has registered in one of the following programs at KPU in the fall:

- Bachelor of Design, Fashion & Technology
- Diploma in Fashion Design and Technology
- Diploma in Fashion Marketing

Students must apply through the KPU entrance awards online application and submit the required documentation, in order to be considered for this award.

Preference given to a Cariboo Hill Secondary School student, second to a student from one of the Burnaby Secondary Schools, and third to graduates of School District 41.

Selected each spring with KPU entrance awards, the recipient will be invited to the annual School of Design awards dinner event.

One award valued at \$1,255

Laura Szendrei Endowed Memorial Scholarship

In loving memory of Laura Szendrei, a grade ten French immersion Burnsvievw student who was so bright and filled with promise. Talented in every aspect of school and in life with humility and understanding beyond her years, Laura was an individual who had a profound impact on the lives of each and every person who knew her. There were so many things in life left to do like graduate, get married and have children of her own. The loss of Laura's life as a victim of crime at the tender age of just fifteen is every parent's worst nightmare. Laura was taken too soon from this world and will remain forever young. The award is given to a student entering KPU who is a graduate of Burnsvievw Secondary School or a graduate of a Delta high school.

The recipient will be a well-rounded student involved in sports and demonstrate volunteerism or community service.

One award valued at \$1,000

Margaux Molson Endowed Entrance Award

The Margaux Molson Endowed Award is dedicated to Margaux in recognition of her commitment to building a strong and harmonious community, her passion and dedication to educating youth, and her sensitivity towards the plight and needs of every student. Margaux's caring nature provides her the foundation to understand that most times a student is not doing well in school because of circumstances beyond their control that are holding them back.

This award recognizes a student entering KPU who has overcome adversity, demonstrated perseverance, and also possesses a noticeable positive outlook expressed through volunteerism or community service (student will be required to submit reference letters confirming each activity). Preference given to a graduate of School District 36.

One award valued at \$1,000

RCG Group - Richmond Holdings Ltd. Endowed Entrance Scholarship

Available to a student graduating from a Richmond secondary school with the highest academic achievement (based on interim high school transcripts submitted).

One award valued at \$1,000

Margaretha Bootsma Entrance Scholarship for Fine Arts

Online applications and submission requirements are available at: kpu.ca/arts/fine-arts

One award valued at \$1,000

To be considered for any of the following awards, the Budget Worksheet (included at the bottom of this document) must be completed and submitted as supporting documentation.

Anshu and Romia Arora Entrance Award

The award is presented to an individual who has demonstrated strong academic acumen and possesses a passion for learning. In addition to having an exemplary academic focus, this individual will also demonstrate a high degree of community involvement and leadership.

The recipient of this award will be entering the Bachelor of Business Administration in Accounting program and have an academic achievement of at least 80%, based on high school transcripts, with demonstrated volunteerism and financial need.

One award valued at \$1,000

CORSA Youth Initiative Endowed Scholarship

The CORSA Youth Initiative Endowed Scholarship is awarded to a graduating secondary student proceeding to a full-time program at KPU. In addition to providing supporting documentation, the award recipient must be of South-Asian (Indian) heritage, have demonstrated extra-curricular involvement and financial need.

Supporting documentation must include:

- One letter from the school principal (or designate) confirming character, scholastic achievement, initiative, and extra-curricular involvement
- One letter from a teacher or counselor certifying leadership, initiative and character
- One-page personal statement on "Why I should be awarded this scholarship".
- One-page letter which provides an indication of intended post-secondary program of studies and a summary of school and/or community activities.

Two awards valued at \$1,000 each

Dr. E. Jane Fee Award

Dr. Jane Fee is pleased to present an award to two students entering a degree program in the Faculty of Arts. The award is to assist students who may not otherwise be able to attend a post-secondary institution.

Award recipients must be graduating from within the Surrey School District, have demonstrated community involvement and financial need.

For continuance of the award after the initial installment, the recipient must maintain a program CGPA of at least 3.00.

Two awards valued at \$2,000 each (payable over two years, \$1,000 per year)

Frank G. Hutchins Memorial Award

The family of Frank Hutchins is pleased to present this award to a promising, diligent student, with an excellent work ethic.

The award recipient must have demonstrated community involvement or volunteerism and financial need. Supporting documentation from the candidate's secondary school is required.

Preference given to a student graduating from Hope Secondary School.

One award valued at \$1,500

Hardip Mann Endowed Entrance Awards

The Pacific Eagles Athletics Society and GN Sporting Club, in conjunction with the United Surrey Soccer League, is proud to sponsor an award in memory of Hardip Mann, who was a leader, a visionary and always positive in promoting progressive reforms within sports. Above all, Hardip was humble, caring and a devoted family man. He was dedicated and focused around player development rather than winning medals or trophies. He was also involved at various levels of Surrey minor hockey, lacrosse and rugby. As his own three children got involved in sports, he became a soccer coach. He never wanted to be in the limelight and always preferred to work diplomatically in the background, constantly reminding parents and coaches that "we should be focused solely on the kids and their dreams, not politics."

Hardip leaves behind a rich legacy of community service, involvement with youth sports and fights for justice and equality. He will be forever remembered for his tremendous contributions to the sports community, which words alone cannot describe.

Awards will be given to two male and two female students who reside in the City of Surrey, with a fifth award open to either. The recipients will demonstrate a true passion for sports both as participants and supporters of the power of sports within a community.

Award recipients must demonstrate academic achievement, based on interim high school transcripts submitted, and financial need. Supporting documentation is required.

Five awards valued at \$1,000 each

Jason R. McPhail Endowed Memorial Award

In memory of Jason R. McPhail, an award is given annually to a student from a Richmond secondary school enrolling in full-time studies (minimum nine credits) at KPU in the fall.

Award recipients must be graduates of a Richmond secondary school, demonstrate financial need, and submit a letter of recommendation from a high school teacher or counsellor and interim high school transcripts.

Preference for this award will be given to one female and one male student entering any KPU School of Business degree program, including: accounting, marketing management, entrepreneurial leadership, information technology, and human resources management.

Selected each spring with KPU entrance awards, recipients will be invited to the annual School of Business awards dinner event.

Two awards valued at \$1,700 each

Jaswant Singh Bubber & Devendra Bubber Endowed Entrance Award

The Bubber Family has established an award in honour of Jaswant Singh and Devendra Bubber. This award is available to a student entering KPU for the first time and studying in any discipline.

The award recipient must be graduating from a Surrey inner city high school and have demonstrated financial need.

Preference will be given to those with volunteer involvement and in good academic standing.

One award valued at \$1,000

The Magical Dreams Foundation Endowed Bursary

Mark Catroppa and his family are pleased to present an entrance bursary for a Queen Elizabeth Secondary student attending KPU in the fall.

Award recipients must be graduating student from Queen Elizabeth Secondary and demonstrate financial need.

Two awards valued at \$1,750 each

Surrey Fire Fighters' Ignite a Dream Award

The Surrey Fire Fighters' Charitable Society is pleased to present the Ignite a Dream Award to support graduating high school students in Surrey who have shown great resiliency in overcoming adversity. The Ignite a Dream Award was created to change lives and inspire student recipients to become valued and contributing citizens who are agents of social change, since education is the cornerstone of a healthy, vibrant community.

Award recipients must be students who have overcome adversity, will graduate from the Surrey School District, and have extreme financial need. Applicants must provide a short supporting essay/statement (250 words or less) to address any personal obstacles/challenges faced or are continuing to overcome.

As part of the KPU entrance award application, we require:

- At least one reference letter from a high school counsellor, teacher or principal
- At least one reference letter supporting community involvement, leadership or volunteerism
- Interim high school transcripts
- A completed Budget Worksheet to show evidence of financial need

Six awards valued at \$4,000 each

Yale Shap Endowed Entrance Bursary

Yale Shap is pleased to provide a bursary to a graduate of Vanguard Secondary School (Langley School District) enrolled in any program at KPU.

If no student from Vanguard Secondary school is registered, the award will be open to any student in the Langley School District enrolled in a Faculty of Trades & Technology program who has demonstrated financial need.

One award valued at \$1,000

Budget Worksheet – Please complete in ink

This form is required for those awards stating “financial need.” For the purposes of this application, this form is intended to reflect your expenses and resources over a **4-month period (e.g. Jan – April)** and will assist Student Awards and Financial Assistance in determining eligibility for awards.

Living Expenses: *Estimated Monthly Costs (enter zero where not applicable)*

DESCRIPTION	EXPLANATION		AMOUNT
Accommodation	Cost of rent/room & board/mortgage you pay on a monthly basis	X4	
Food	Estimated cost per month	X4	
Transportation	Estimated bus/gas costs per month	X4	
Utilities	Cost per month Include hydro, gas, phone, cable, internet, etc.	X4	
Misc. Expenses	One-time unexpected costs or exceptional expenses (supporting documentation, receipts, etc. must be submitted)		
Total (A):			

Income: *Estimated Monthly Income (enter zero where not applicable)*

DESCRIPTION	EXPLANATION		AMOUNT
Awards & Scholarships	Total amount of awards & scholarships you expect to receive during the 4 month period		
Monthly Income	Monthly net income	X4	
Other Income	All other sources of monthly income	X4	
Other contributions	One-time contribution from parents (if applicable)		
Savings	Amount available		
EI, WCB, EPPD Benefits, Income Assist.	Monthly total	X4	
Native Band Funding/Sponsorship	Enter total amount of funds you will receive for educational costs and/or living expenses		
Total (B):			

Total Expenses (A) \$ _____

Minus Total Income (B) \$ _____

= Financial Need \$ _____

Student Name (print): _____ **KPU Student Number:** _____