

## **ELIGIBILITY AND POLICIES OF SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS**

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Eligibility and tenability of all scholarships and awards granted by Huron University College are reserved for students registered at Huron only (minimum 3.0 credits) unless the provisions of a particular scholarship or award state otherwise.

### **CONTINUING SCHOLARSHIP TERMS**

Renewable scholarships will be renewed up to four years unless the scholarship's terms state otherwise. To qualify for renewal, a final cumulative average of 80% in a minimum of 5.0 credits each academic year is required (September to April). If the students' average is between 79.5% and 80%, the renewal will be granted.

If a student is found responsible for misconduct under the Code of Student Conduct or commits a scholastic offence as defined by the Scholastic Discipline (Undergraduate/Graduate) policy, he/she may become ineligible for consideration or continuation of University awards, prizes, or scholarships at the discretion of the Dean or designate.

### **ELIGIBILITY OF ADMISSION SCHOLARSHIPS**

Scholarships will be offered during the regular academic term (September – April), awarded to full-time students registered in a minimum of 4.0 credits and meet Huron's residency requirement. If a student is admitted to January term, half of the scholarship will be awarded at admission. If the scholarship is renewable, the recipient must complete 2.5 credits in winter term with a final cumulative average of 80%. If the renewal criteria is met, the scholarship will be applied in September at the full value, if applicable. If a student is starting at Huron in May and is eligible for an admission scholarship, the scholarship will be awarded in September.

### **ELIGIBILITY OF HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS WITH TRANSFER CREDIT**

Where the basis of admission is secondary school or CEGEP, applicants will automatically be eligible for admission scholarships if the following conditions are met:

- a) The applicant applied directly from secondary school. (The applicant must not have attended a post-secondary institution, or attended a post-secondary institution and then returned to secondary school.)
- b) The applicant has completed the secondary school diploma successfully.
- c) The applicant meets the final admission average requirement.

### **APPLICANTS PRESENTING THE INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE DIPLOMA OR GCSE AS THE BASIS OF ADMISSION**

Applicants presenting the International Baccalaureate Diploma or A-Levels as the basis of admission may be granted advanced standing in subjects as determined by the policies of the Admissions Office. They may receive advanced standing for more than three subjects while remaining eligible for admission scholarships. Such applicants will be allowed to retain their scholarships, where applicable, for four years, or the completion of an Honors undergraduate degree (or equivalent), whichever comes first.

## **DEFERMENT OF ADMISSION**

A student whose request to defer admission to the University has been granted for one year will also have their automatic entrance scholarship deferred. Scholarships that are not automatic are not eligible for deferral (i.e. Hellmuth Scholarship).

## **APPLICANTS TRANSFERRING FROM ANOTHER POST-SECONDARY INSTITUTION**

Applicants who have completed a recognized college program or previous studies at an approved university will automatically be reviewed by the Recruitment & Admissions Office for entrance scholarships. If an entrance scholarship is awarded, recipients will be allowed to retain their scholarships, where applicable, for four years, or the completion of an Honors undergraduate degree (or equivalent), whichever comes first.

## **STUDENTS TRANSFERRING TO HURON FROM ANOTHER WESTERN UNIVERSITY CAMPUS:**

Students transferring to Huron from another Western campus will be eligible to continue their entrance scholarship if renewal requirements are met. After the adjudication process, students joining Huron must contact the Registrar's Office to determine eligibility [huronsss@uwo.ca](mailto:huronsss@uwo.ca). If a scholarship is awarded, recipients will be allowed to retain their scholarships, where applicable, for four years, or the completion of an Honors undergraduate degree (or equivalent), whichever comes first.

## **IN-COURSE SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS**

In-course scholarships are available to current Huron students in the second year or above. To be eligible for an upper-year scholarship, students must be full-time and registered in 5.0 courses during the regular academic term (September – April) and meet the residency requirement, unless stated otherwise. Students must submit an application to be considered and recipients are selected based on performance and adherence within the specific award criteria. The selection of recipients will be made by Huron's Student Awards Committee.

## **SCHOLARSHIP AND AWARDS MAXIMUM VALUES**

Students paying domestic fees that are entering first-year at Huron are eligible to receive multiple scholarships to a maximum equal to tuition and fees (not including residence or meal plan). Returning students to Huron who pay domestic fees are eligible to receive multiple scholarships to a maximum of \$10,000/year. Huron students on a student visa are eligible to receive multiple scholarships to a maximum of \$25,000/year.

## **PAYMENT OF UNIVERSITY ADMINISTERED SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS**

Any Huron administered scholarship/award/prize will be automatically applied to the recipient's tuition account. Credit balances will be issued in the form of a cheque and mailed to the sessional address.

## **FRANK HOLMES SCHOLARSHIP**

Recipients of the Frank Holmes Scholarship must be registered on a university-level, intercollegiate athletic team at Western University. Continuation of the scholarship will be based on regular renewal terms, as well as the continuation of membership on an approved team. This is an athletic scholarship and will count towards the maximum value allowed by CIS and OUA.

## **IVEY DUAL DEGREE PROGRAMS**

Students enrolled in a Huron/Ivey HBA dual degree program will have their Huron continuing scholarship applied during their time at Huron. Recipients will receive the full scholarship for the first two years of study at Huron and then for fourth and fifth years, provided a minimum of 3.0 credits are at Huron and all continuing scholarship requirements are met.

## **INDUSTRY INTERNSHIP PROGRAMS**

Students are not permitted to receive scholarships in the academic year in which they participate in an Industry Internship Program. Students who qualify to retain a continuing scholarship in the academic year in which they participate in an Industry Internship Program are not permitted to receive the scholarship while participating in the Industry Internship Program but are permitted to defer receipt of the continuing scholarship for one year.

## **INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE PROGRAMS**

Huron students participating in an international exchange program at Huron or within the Western University community, are eligible to receive scholarships for their time abroad if their tuition is paid to Huron. Continuing scholarships will be renewed for students returning to Huron if all exchange courses are successfully completed.

## **ENROUTE PROGRAM**

Students admitted to Huron's EnRoute program and are eligible for an Entrance Scholarship, will receive the scholarship in the first year of full-time undergraduate study at Huron. Students will be notified of eligibility when final admission on the EnRoute program is confirmed.

## **WITHDRAWAL OR REDUCED COURSE LOAD AFTER RECEIVING UNIVERSITY ADMINISTERED SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS**

Scholarship/Award recipients who withdraw or reduce their course load to less than 4.0 courses after registration shall be entitled to the prorated value of the scholarship/award only for the number of weeks attended full-time in the academic term. The number of weeks will be calculated using the date of course change or withdrawal. Students taking less than 5.0 credits will not be eligible for renewal.

## **REINSTATEMENT OF SCHOLARSHIP**

Students who do not meet the terms of renewal for continuing scholarships will not be eligible to receive the scholarship in subsequent years.

## **LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

Students that take a leave of absence from Huron will not have scholarships reinstated upon return to undergraduate studies.

## **SCHOLARSHIP APPEALS**

Students who do not meet the terms of renewal for their scholarship are eligible to appeal. Students may appeal on the grounds that they have experienced exceptional circumstances that impacted their capacity to meet the required terms for renewal. Students will be required to complete the Scholarship Appeal Form ([huron.jotform.com/231424177881055](http://huron.jotform.com/231424177881055)) and both this form and their Academic Record will be reviewed by the Dean and Provost Office and the Office of the Registrar.