### HOW TO SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION

### **MAIL TO:**

SGEU Bursary Committee, 1011 Devonshire Dr. N, Regina, SK S4X 2X4

E-MAIL TO: <u>SGEUBursary@sgeu.org</u> (Note: please

send word docs or pdf

applications)

### **FAX TO:**

(306) 565-2240, Attention: SGEU Bursary Committee

### **DEADLINE: AUGUST 15, 2016**

Applications must be:

- Postmarked August 15, 2016 or earlier, or
- Date-stamped August 15, 2016 or earlier at any SGEU office, or
- Faxed or e-mailed as specified above before midnight August 15, 2016

### **QUESTIONS**

Call extensions 211 toll-free at 1-800-667-5221 or in Regina at 306-522-8571.



## Saskatchewan Government and General Employees' Union

# 2016 Application for SGEU Bursaries



Sharon Hurd Bursary • Full-time Studies Bursaries • Part-time Studies Bursaries



# THREE \$2,000 BURSARIES (INCLUDING THE SHARON HURD BURSARY) FOR FULL-TIME STUDENTS

- Applicants must be enrolled in a recognized postsecondary school or college and must be taking three or more courses per semester.
- At least one full-time bursary will be awarded to a selfidentified applicant from the SGEU equity-seeking groups.

### TWO \$1,000 BURSARIES FOR PART-TIME STUDENTS

- Applicants must be enrolled in any credit course in the University of Saskatchewan, University of Regina, SIAST, regional colleges in Saskatchewan, Northlands College, or Gabriel Dumont Institute.
- At least one of the part-time bursaries will be awarded to a self-identified applicant from the SGEU equityseeking groups.

If there are no applicants for the part-time studies bursaries, the remaining bursaries shall be awarded to two full-time applicants at \$1,000 each. If no applicant from an equity-seeking group applies or qualifies for the full-time and/or part-time award, the bursaries will be awarded to other applicants.

#### WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

Persons eligible for the SGEU Bursaries must be:

 Members in good standing of SGEU who have held membership in the union for at least one year

OR

 Dependants of SGEU members -- current, retired, deceased. SGEU uses the Canada Revenue Agency definition of dependant. To be a dependant of an SGEU member, a person must:

- (1) Be supported financially by an SGEU member (receive room, board, and other significant living expenses, as opposed to occasional gifts of cash), AND
- (2) Live with an SGEU member in Canada, unless he/she is elsewhere attending school, AND
- (3) Be a family member by blood, marriage, adoption, common-law relationship, or other circumstances.

Applicants must be attending a recognized university, community college, or other post-secondary institution; or other institutions or courses considered appropriate by the selection committee.

Full-time students may apply prior to or during their academic year. Part-time students may apply for courses taken during the year 2016, or in the first semester of 2017.

### **SELECTION OF RECIPIENTS**

Bursary winners will be selected by a committee following the deadline. Bursaries will be awarded based on:

- Financial need <u>OR</u> best essay (depending on which option is selected on the application form)
- Choice of educational institution;
- Quality of an essay submitted with the application form. (Essay guidelines appear on the application form.)

SGEU reserves the right to publish all or portions of selected essays.

All applicants will be advised of the committees decision by letter.