

# BRITISH COLUMBIA GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP AWARD APPLICATION



**THOMPSON  
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Student Awards &  
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# TRU GRADUATE STUDIES



APPLICATION DEADLINE  
**December 1 annually**

TRU SCHOLARSHIPS

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The Ministry of Post-Secondary Education and Future Skills has provided funding for the British Columbia Graduate Scholarship (BCGS) program. These scholarships are designed to help attract top graduate students to BC universities.

Eligible graduate programs:

- Research-intensive and professional programs
- An emphasis, but not exclusive focus on disciplines related to Science, Technology, Trades, Engineering, Art, Mathematics, Entrepreneurship and Design.

#### Eligibility:

- Canadian citizens or permanent residents enrolled at TRU
- Either newly admitted or returning students in a full-time, on campus eligible graduate program
- Demonstrated academic excellence
- Preference will be given to newly admitted students
- Preference will be given to Indigenous applicants
- **Value of scholarships:** \$17,500

## LET'S GET STARTED

Complete all sections of the application form below and attach:

- a. Your curriculum vitae and official transcripts
- b. A letter of support from an academic reference
- c. As part of TRU's commitment to inclusive excellence in research, we welcome the identification of any special circumstances that may have affected your research, professional career, record of academic or research achievement or completion of degrees. If applicable, please describe any special circumstances that may have impacted your record (not to exceed 300 words)

## TRU GRADUATE AWARD

## BRITISH COLUMBIA GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name

Address

City

Province

Postal Code

Country

Phone

Email Address

Graduate Program

Thesis

Project

TRU Student #

Course

## INDIGENOUS IDENTITY

Please check this box if you wish to be identified as an Indigenous person

If you have chosen to identify yourself as an Indigenous person, for statistical purposes, we invite you to select one or more of the three options that best describe your Indigenous identity.

An Indigenous person is identified in accordance to the Constitution Act of 1982, Part II, section 35(2), as “an Indian, Métis or Inuit person of Canada”.

Indian/First Nation (*including Status, non-Status, treaty and non-treaty*)

Metis

Inuit

## GENDER

Woman

Non-Binary

Man

Prefer not to answer

Would you say that you are:

Cisgender

Prefer not to answer

Transgender

## DESCRIPTIONS

**Woman:** Persons whose current gender is woman. This includes cisgender and transgender people who are women.

**Man:** Persons whose current gender is man. This includes cisgender and transgender people who are men.

**Non-Binary:** Persons whose current gender is not exclusively a woman or man. This includes people who do not have one gender, have no gender, are gender fluid, or are Two-Spirit.

**Cisgender:**

Persons whose gender aligns with their sex assigned at birth.

**Trans(Transgender):** An umbrella term that describes a wide range of persons whose gender identity differs from their sex assigned at birth.

## HAVE YOU INCLUDED

Your curriculum vitae and official transcripts

A letter of support

If applicable, a statement of special circumstances

## AUTHORIZATION

I authorize the release of all college/university grades to Thompson Rivers University.

Should I receive an award, I agree that TRU can make reasonable use of my award application information, including my name, for publicity purposes.

Signature

Date

Please note that only successful applicants will be notified. If special circumstances exist, TRU may, at the discretion of Student Awards and Financial Aid, defer the period for acceptance for a maximum of one year. A student is not permitted to defer the award to future years.

Award recipients must formally accept the award and the conditions of the award by written or electronic means. If a recipient accepts but fails to register at TRU by the last day for payment of fees for the appropriate semester, the award will be canceled. Student Awards and Financial Aid will advise the student in writing to this effect.

Privacy Notice: Thompson Rivers University (TRU) collects, uses, discloses and retains personal information in compliance with the BC Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FIPPA). Your personal information is being collected and will be used for the purposes of administration, registration and other decisions on students' academic status, and for the purposes consistent with the administration of the University and its programs and services, including the programs of student societies/student unions, alumni association and the Thompson Rivers University Foundation. The collection of this information is permitted under section 26(c) of the FIPPA.



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