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## Emergency scholarships

### Scholarships offered at all times

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### Objective

Promote the pursuit of university studies and support students who are experiencing financial difficulties

### Amount

A number of scholarships up to \$1,000

### Frequency

Offered every year

### Reserved for

Canadian citizens  
Permanent residents  
Foreign students

### Target clientele

**Undergraduate students** (All programs and faculties)  
**Master's students** (All programs and faculties)  
**Doctoral students** (All programs and faculties)

### Eligibility criteria

- Be in a vulnerable financial situation (**you must complete the budget analysis on the electronic form**)
- Be a Canadian citizen, permanent resident, or foreign student
- Be enrolled in an undergraduate or graduate degree program (bachelor, master or PhD)
- Have successfully completed one semester in your program and have paid the tuition fees
- Be enrolled full time ([or be deemed full time according to MEESR](#)) at Université Laval for the current semester
- Have a minimum program average of 2.00 out of 4.33 for undergraduates and 2.67 out of 4.33 for graduate students
- Simultaneously combine studies and work during the current year. Social involvement could also be considered according to the situation
- Have submitted a financial aid application to MEESR (if you are a Québec student or permanent resident)

Please note that **students benefitting from an official exchange program are not eligible for this**



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**scholarship.** In addition, any student whose tuition fees are paid directly by a scholarship or grant agency (other than the Québec government student loans and bursaries program) is not eligible.

**Important: Write a one-page letter** (approximately 8½ x 11) in the appropriate section of the electronic form (Part 4) explaining the reasons for your financial difficulties (e.g., work/study/family balance; family or health situation; left home to study, etc.) as well as the steps you have taken (job, government financial aid, academic scholarship, bank loan, assistance from a family member or friend, etc.) to date to try to improve your financial situation.

Please note that one of the eligibility requirements is to satisfactorily demonstrate that the scholarship is essential to the pursuit of your studies and that your financial difficulties are exceptional.

### **Comments**

Students may not receive emergency financial aid more than once per year. Applications will be reviewed on a monthly basis. All students who have submitted an application will receive a response within one month.

Note: Unless requested otherwise, the names of scholarship recipients may be forwarded to the donor as well as to certain institutional bodies for administrative purposes (advertising, selection committees, scholarship award ceremonies, statistics, etc.). To opt out, you may contact the office of scholarships and financial aid at [bbafe@bbafe.ulaval.ca](mailto:bbafe@bbafe.ulaval.ca).

### **Submitting your application**

The form is submitted electronically. However, if other documents are required, please send them to the following address:

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Pavillon Alphonse-Desjardins  
2325 rue de l'Université, Suite 2546  
Université Laval  
Québec, Québec G1V 0A6

***By submitting this scholarship application, I authorize the selection committee to verify the information in my MEESR student aid file, if applicable. I am also aware that additional documents may be requested from me in order to determine my financial situation.***

### **Contact**

#### **Bureau des bourses et de l'aide financière (BBAF)**

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