Objective

Husky Energy’s Scholarship Program for Aboriginal Students is focused on attracting Aboriginal talent to the oil and gas industry. The program provides financial support to students with outstanding academic achievement and connects them with relevant work experience through co-op and summer work terms along with professional development through a mentorship program.

Number, Value and Duration of Scholarships

Up to 3 scholarships will be available at the bachelor level. These scholarships are valued at $5,000 CAD per year, tenable for up to 4 consecutive years or until first degree is obtained.

Up to 2 scholarships will be available at the diploma level. These scholarships are valued at $3,500 CAD per year, tenable for up to 2 consecutive years or until first diploma is obtained.

Eligibility

Eligible applicants must be:

- A Canadian citizen of aboriginal ancestry
- Entering or already enrolled in full time studies in a first bachelor degree program or first diploma program.
- In good academic standing over the last 2 terms of available marks.

Eligible institutions:

- Canadian educational institutions which have recognized provincial degree/diploma-granting powers, or their affiliates (e.g. universities, colleges/CEGEPs - technical diploma).
Field of Study/Program Requirements

- Preference will be given to students studying in Business, Engineering, Geosciences, Environmental Studies, Computer Science, Legal or related to the Oil and Gas Industry.
- Program must be of a minimum of 2 years in duration.

Conditions / Restrictions

- Depending on the curriculum, an Applied Bachelor Program may be considered either as a university level program or a college level program.
- A request for a one-year deferral of the scholarship may be submitted, but will be granted only under very special/unusual circumstances. This would also apply in the case of renewals of scholarships.

**Participation in the Mentorship Program is a condition of this scholarship**

Mentorship Program / Special Conditions: these conditions will be managed by Husky Energy

Scholarship winners are required to take part in the Mentorship Program, which takes place during the summer or a work term with Husky Energy. The Mentorship program aims to mentor high-achieving Aboriginal students in various academic disciplines. Scholarship recipients are mentored in their field of study by senior-level Husky Energy professionals.

Administrator

Scholarship Partners Canada, a division of Universities Canada, administers the scholarship program on behalf of Husky Energy. Universities Canada’s mandate is to facilitate the development of public policy on higher education and to encourage cooperation among universities and governments, industry, communities, and institutions in other countries. Universities Canada is associated with leading firms in nearly every sector of the economy through its provision of scholarship services and management of more than 130 different scholarships programs on behalf of corporations, government agencies and private foundations throughout North America. For additional information, please visit [www.univcan.ca](http://www.univcan.ca).

Husky Energy retains the right to change and/or end the sponsorship of the scholarship plan without notice.
Selection Process

The selection of scholarship recipients is made by a committee at Husky Energy. Once complete, the selection committee’s decision is irrevocable.

Evaluation criteria:

- Academic performance;
- Community involvement;
- Financial need;
- Quality of letter of reference and essays.

All applicants will receive confirmation by email of the results of the selection process, once available.

Successful Applicants

Successful applicants will receive confirmation of their scholarship in Summer 2017. Recipients will be required to complete the online scholarship acceptance process and forward any required documentation such as an official transcript and proof of registration from the educational institution they will be attending. It is the responsibility of the recipient to keep Universities Canada informed of any changes to their contact information through the online portal.

Payment

- Scholarship payment(s) will only be issued upon completion of the scholarship acceptance process and review and acceptance of all required supporting documentation by Universities Canada.
- Universities Canada will forward payment of the scholarship to the educational institution on behalf of Husky Energy.
- It is the student’s responsibility to ensure that payment of tuition fees is made within the defined time frame set by the educational institution regardless of the timing of the scholarship payment.
- Payment by the institution to the student will be made in accordance with the normal practice of the educational institution.
Application Process

Online Application:

1. Submit an online application by visiting https://portal.scholarshippartners.ca.
2. Applicants must complete the application process as instructed online.
3. It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure that all supporting documents have been received and accepted. This can be done through the online portal.
4. An application must be submitted to Universities Canada no later than the application deadline of MAY 31, 2017.
5. All supporting documentation must be received by JUNE 15, 2017.

Paper Application:

1. Applicants may complete a paper version of the application and send it by mail to the address indicated below.
2. Paper applications must clearly indicate a postmark of no later than the application deadline of MAY 31, 2017.
3. All supporting documentation must be received by JUNE 15, 2017 and can be sent as described in the Supporting Documentation section.
4. It is recommended that you send your application by registered mail or courier, to ensure the package can be tracked. Your application will be acknowledged in writing once it has been received and processed by Universities Canada. To ensure that all supporting documents have been received and accepted, visit https://portal.scholarshippartners.ca to review your scholarship application information. To access your account, you will require your login information, which will be provided in your acknowledgement email.
5. While paper applications will be accepted, award renewals and account maintenance will be conducted online.

Supporting Documentation

As part of this application, the supporting documentation described below is required. If any of these documents are not received and accepted, your application will be considered incomplete and will not be evaluated. Supporting documents must be received by Universities Canada on or before 2017-06-15.

Documents may be uploaded through submitting an online application or sent directly to the address below.

Letter(s) of Reference

One letter of reference is required to support your application. The letter must come from a person familiar with
your community involvement. The letter must be typewritten on letterhead, signed and include the reference’s contact information. If possible, the referee should describe their relationship to the applicant in the letter.

To assist you in the preparation of this letter, please refer to the instructions for referees.

Transcript

Please provide an official transcript of the last 2 terms of available marks. A transcript will be only considered acceptable if it is presented on the official paper of the institution AND it bears the appropriate signature(s) and/or seal of the institution. Home school grades will only be accepted if they have been validated through a recognized, independent evaluation process.

Transcripts may be uploaded to the online application however if successful, the applicant will be required to provide an original copy of the official transcript by mail before payment can be issued. If submitting the official transcript by mail at the time of application, successful applicants will not be required to re-submit.

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PLEASE NOTE: If any of the application requirements noted above are not met, your application will be considered incomplete.