

OUTSTANDING SCHOLARS



University
of Windsor

You are the kind of student who isn't satisfied with easy answers. You dig deeper. Test the theory. Push the boundaries. Strive for excellence.

In short, the University of Windsor Outstanding Scholars program (OS) might be just what you're looking for.

UWindsor's Outstanding Scholars is among the best learning enrichment programs in Canada. We provide a high-achieving student such as yourself with the opportunity to explore new ground, discover and apply unique learning strategies, and imagine exciting possibilities for your future career.

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HOW THE PROGRAM WORKS

YEAR 1 OUTSTANDING SCHOLAR CANDIDATE

Each fall, the University of Windsor offers candidacy in the Outstanding Scholars Program to the top 100 students entering first-year studies directly from high school. Outstanding Scholars candidacy is available in all our full-time, honours academic programs.

If you are selected as a first-year Scholar Candidate, you will participate in our peer-mentoring program, working with OS students in your field.

You will interact with professors and other students who are also passionate about their studies, and begin to forge interdisciplinary connections.

Outstanding Scholar Candidates receive a \$750 honorarium in both the fall and winter terms.

YEARS 2-4 OUTSTANDING SCHOLAR

During Year 1, our peer mentors will help prepare you to compete for one of 85 available places as an Outstanding Scholar, beginning in second year. Students outside the Outstanding Scholars program will also be eligible to compete for admission at the end of their first year.

If successful, you formally become a University of Windsor Outstanding Scholar, beginning in Year 2. As such, you will participate in university research prior to your graduate studies, working under faculty supervision.

You will enjoy the kind of personal attention and one-to-one contact with faculty that can open doors to future careers. You will also compete for financial support for travel to academic conferences, and for research funding opportunities outside Canada.

Outstanding Scholars earn up to \$1,500 per semester for their work during second, third, and fourth years. Upon completion of the program you will receive a notation on your transcript as a graduating Outstanding Scholar.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

As an Outstanding Scholar, you will have the opportunity to explore beyond the limits of your knowledge—rather than simply working for grades. The more you discover, the more you will be motivated to extend your learning.

To find out more about this exceptional opportunity, please contact the Outstanding Scholars Office.

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