

# AWARDS AND FINANCIAL AID

## STUDENT FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

King's provides non-repayable financial assistance in various forms:

- **scholarships**, awards based primarily on academic merit;
- **bursaries**, awards primarily based upon financial need;
- and **prizes**, awards offered for academic achievement, leadership qualities and/or volunteer efforts.

King's students may also apply for **government funding**, which may take the form of repayable federal and provincial/territorial loans, non-repayable grants, or a combination of both. Please see the Government Student Funding section for more information.

## KING'S SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS APPLICATION

This is a competitive awards application containing over 80 different awards. This application is only offered once annually, between February 1 and March 31 and all full-time students are encouraged to apply. Applications are online and the Registration and Student finance office typically releases the results by the first week of June (regardless of decision). Please visit [www.kingsu.ca/financial-aid](http://www.kingsu.ca/financial-aid) for more information. King's will only consider applicants who meet individual award requirements. Students must submit applications, including any required letters of reference, by the March 31 deadline. New students to King's do not need final admission to apply; however, they must receive at least initial admission by March 31 in order to hold awards provided in the Fall term. Admission and Transfer scholarships are exempt from this deadline.

## AWARD ELIGIBILITY AND ACCEPTANCE DEADLINES

In order to receive awards administered by King's, students must complete all required action items. This will act as the student's formal acceptance of the award(s).

Students must register in courses by June 15 (this is also the tuition deposit deadline). If students have not done so, they will forfeit any awards obtained through the Scholarships and Awards Application (does not apply to

Admission, Transfer or Returning Student Scholarships).

Students must return 'Thank you' cards for donor-based awards by August 15 to the Registration and Student Finance office. If not returned by this date, your award offer will be rescinded. Please note that the Manager of Student Finance and Scholarships provides blank cards, but students may also submit their own.

All students must have all incomplete grades submitted by the normal incomplete deadline.

All students must be registered in the minimum course load for each award:

- **Scholarships** require students to register for and maintain a minimum of 12 credits per term in each of Fall and Winter terms (*unless otherwise stated in award criteria*)
- **Bursaries** require students to register for and complete a minimum of 9 credits per term in each of Fall and Winter terms (*unless otherwise stated in award criteria*)

Lastly, students must provide required documentation to support student eligibility of awards (*if applicable*) before the withdrawal deadline for the term in which the award is offered or the award will be forfeit.

**IMPORTANT NOTE: Students who become ineligible by program change, withdrawal or change to part-time status in the fall term will forfeit the winter term portion of the award.**

## STUDENT RESPONSIBILITY

Students are responsible for:

- Updating their current and permanent mailing address, email and telephone numbers
- Checking their King's email account regularly
- Submitting award applications and required documentation (*if applicable*) by award deadlines

## PAYMENT

Unless otherwise noted, all scholarships, bursaries and monetary awards administered by King's will be credited to student accounts in two equal amounts, half

in the Fall term (typically in late September) and half in the Winter term (typically in late January). Students who receive an award but who do not return to King's for further study will forfeit their award.

For more information on tuitions and fees, please refer to the Fees section on page 28.

### **AWARD APPEALS**

All appeals must be submitted in writing (typed with an ink signature) in the term in which the award was originally offered and submitted to the Registration and Student Finance Office.

Appeals will only be granted in exceptional circumstances. Being unaware of deadlines is not valid grounds for an appeal. King's publishes all award deadlines well in advance of any deadline.

### **STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMS**

Students taking part in a study abroad program in their Fall term will receive their full award amount in the Winter term. Students studying abroad in the Winter term will receive the first half of their awards in September and the second half in December, subject to confirmation of enrolment in the study abroad program.

Please note that to confirm enrolment in a study abroad program, students must provide the registry with an official letter from the school they will attend.

Furthermore, their study dates must coincide with King's term dates. Should a student choose to cancel their study abroad program, award funding will be distributed as appropriate.

### **STUDENTS WITH PERMANENT DISABILITIES**

Students with a disability may receive awards with 3 credits less than the posted requirement if a Student Success Coordinator approves them for a reduced course load. (for example, if a scholarship requires 12 credits per term, these students would be eligible to still accept their award while taking 9 credits per term).

### **WINTER TERM ONLY STUDENTS**

Students who are only registered for the Winter Term (not enrolled in the Fall Term) may be considered for automatic Admission and Transfer student scholarships. However, eligible students will only receive half of the award value.

### **SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS (LISTED IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER)**

All awards are subject to changes and availability. Should there be any discrepancies, King's will use the most recent terms of the award. Please also note that

G.P.A. will represent "Grade Point Average" within award descriptions.

### **AUTOMATIC SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS**

These awards are selected automatically; no application is required.

#### **CANADIAN SOCIETY FOR CHEMISTRY SILVER MEDAL**

This Silver Medal is awarded to the student with the highest academic standing entering his or her final year in a four-year chemistry degree program. Honors standing plus a minimum G.P.A. of 3.50 in chemistry is required.

#### **CHEMICAL RUBBER COMPANY (CRC) PRESS FIRST YEAR CHEMISTRY ACHIEVEMENT AWARD**

A CRC handbook is awarded to the student with the highest academic standing in first-year chemistry.

#### **COMPUTING SCIENCE SCHOLARSHIP**

Scholarships of \$2,400 will be awarded each year to all students who are enrolled in the 4-year Bachelor of Science degree program with a major in Computing Science and are registered in at least 12 credits each semester. Eligible applicants must have achieved a minimum high school admission average of 75%. Students who received admission based on a SAT exam written before March 2016 must have achieved a minimum score of 1800. Those admitted based on an SAT exam written after March 2016 must have achieved a scholarship of 1200. Students admitted based on an ACT exam must have achieved a score of 26. Returning and transfer students must have achieved in the previous (full-time) year of study an annual G.P.A. of 2.5 for second year, 2.75 for third year, or 3.0 for fourth year students. All students meeting the criteria will receive this scholarship; no application is necessary for this scholarship. Recipients will be notified of the award in their letter of admission subject to verification of eligibility in September.

#### **C. S. LEWIS SCHOLARSHIP IN ENGLISH LITERATURE**

King's will award a scholarship of \$500 to the third- or fourth-year student enrolled in the 4-year Bachelor of Arts degree program with a major in English who has achieved the highest G.P.A. in English. As both a scholar of English literature and a popular Christian writer, C. S. Lewis fused disciplinary rigor with a faithful Christian perspective. This scholarship is designed to recognize and support the student who most clearly models the academic excellence for which Lewis is renowned.

**DERRICK TIMMERMANS MEMORIAL AWARD**

A \$500 prize is available to a full-time student in their graduating year. Other students in their final year of a degree program will nominate the winner. Recipients must demonstrate service to the community-at-large, involvement within the King's community, and Christian discipleship. King's will engrave the recipient's name on a memorial plaque displayed on campus.

**EAGLES STUDENT ATHLETE OF THE YEAR**

A \$1,000 award goes to the male and female student-athlete who demonstrates the highest degree of athletic excellence among his/her peers and is a tremendous representative of Eagles' Athletics, King's University and of our Lord Jesus Christ. When choosing the recipient, the committee will consider players' athletic performance and leadership, commitment to their team and to the greater community, and academic standing. Athletes will receive their award money at the end of the school year.

**EAGLES STUDENT ATHLETE LEADERSHIP AWARD**

This \$500 award recognizes the male and female student who made the most significant contribution to student life at the King's University during the previous academic year. Selection criteria will include student life involvement and academic standing and will be based on recommendations by staff and fellow students.

**EAGLES STUDENT ATHLETE ROOKIE OF THE YEAR**

This award recognizes the male and female student athlete who have shown the most improvement and potential in his and her first year on an Eagles athletic team. The athletics department chooses recipients based on athletic performance, academic commitment, teachable spirit and potential for future leadership. There are two awards of \$500 each for one male and one female player. King's will apply money towards students' tuition accounts at the beginning of the following school year.

**EDMONTON OILERS COMMUNITY FOUNDATION LEADERSHIP AWARD**

A \$1,500 scholarship is available to a male and female King's athlete who demonstrates leadership, dedication commitment to their team and community. To be eligible, incoming students must have a high school average of 80% or higher, and returning students must have a GPA of 3.0 or higher. Applicants must also demonstrate financial need, and provide a reference letter. Applications will open on February 1 and will close mid-July.

**EDMONTON OILERS COMMUNITY FOUNDATION MIND, BODY & SPIRIT AWARDS**

A scholarship of \$1,500 is available to a male and female King's athlete who can demonstrate how they incorporate whole person wellness principles into their lifestyle. Whole person wellness principles include physical, intellectual, emotional, social, spiritual, and vocation wellness principles. Incoming students must have an average of 75% or higher and returning students must have a minimum GPA of 2.5. To be eligible, students must demonstrate financial need, and provide a reference. Applications will open on February 1 and will close mid-July.

**EDMONTON OILERS COMMUNITY FOUNDATION SERVICE AWARD**

A \$1,500 scholarship will be awarded to a male and female King's athlete who demonstrates leadership abilities and a high level of proficiency in their sport. King's will preference students who are committed to 5-10 hours/week of volunteer coaching of a high school club or team. Incoming students should have an average of 70% or higher on high school grades, and returning students must have a minimum GPA of 2.0 in their previous year of post-secondary study. Recipients must demonstrated financial need and provide a reference. Applications will open on February 1 and will close mid-July.

**ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP AWARD**

This award sponsors one or more students in Environmental Studies for leadership or professional development in the stewardship of creation. Examples include leadership training in environmental stewardship and international internship placements. The recipient is expected to share his or her experience with the King's community in appropriate venues. The award is subject to funding, and the number and value of awards may vary. See the Director of Environmental Studies for specific award opportunities.

**GOVERNOR GENERAL'S ACADEMIC SILVER MEDAL**

King's presents the Governor General's Academic Silver Medal on behalf of the Governor General to the student with the highest graduating GPA, calculated based on the last 60 credits of study.

**JUBAL FINE ARTS AWARD**

A \$500 award is made each spring to a talented returning, full-time student who has put the most effort into his or her program, as determined by a panel of professors who teach courses in the fine arts. This includes visual arts, literature, music and drama.

### **KING'S GENERAL TRANSFER SCHOLARSHIP**

Scholarships of \$1,500 are available for students transferring to any non-after degree program from other qualifying institutions. Students must have a minimum of 24 university transfer credits to qualify. Students must have a G.P.A. of 3.50 or higher based on, at maximum, the last 60 credits of study. Students must also be enrolled in 12 credits per semester the year they receive the scholarship.

### **THE KING'S UNIVERSITY ADMISSION SCHOLARSHIP**

Admission scholarships are available to students who are admitted to King's based on their high school marks. Students must have attempted fewer than 9 credits of accredited post-secondary study, or fewer than 30 credits of a non-accredited program with results that indicate success equivalent to their high school admission average. Recipients must register in at least 12 credits per semester during the academic year to keep their scholarship. King's will use the following table to determine the amount of the award.

<i>Admission Average or Score</i>	<i>Honours Scholarship (\$1000)</i>	<i>Academic Excellence Scholarship (\$2000)</i>
High School admission	80-90%	90-100%
SAT Scores	Pre March 2016: 1900-2099	Pre March 2016: 2100 or higher
	Beginning March 2016: 1270-1399	Beginning March 2016: 1400 or higher
ACT Scores	28-30	31 or higher

No application is necessary; all students meeting the criteria will receive a scholarship provided they register in at least 12 credits per semester during the academic year at King's. King's will notify recipients in their admission letter. Awards are subject to verification of eligibility in September.

### **THE KING'S UNIVERSITY EDUCATION ADMISSION SCHOLARSHIP**

Scholarships for students entering the Bachelor of Education program are available. The amount of the award is determined by the student's admission average according to the following table:

<i>Award</i>	<i>Admission Average</i>	<i>Amount Awarded</i>
Education Academic Excellence Scholarship	3.70-4.00	\$2,000
Education Honours Scholarship	3.30-3.69	\$1,000

All students meeting the criteria will receive the scholarship. These criteria include academic average and registration in at least 12 credits per semester during the academic year; no application is necessary for these scholarships. Recipients will be notified in their letter of admission, subject to verification of eligibility in September.

These averages are based on the Alpha 4.00 scale and are calculated over the last 60 credits (2 years) of study. For grades based on a different grading system, equivalencies will be used.

### **THE KING'S UNIVERSITY ACADEMIC GOLD MEDAL AWARD**

Gold Medal Awards are given each year to the top academic students in years one, two, three and four of study at the University. King's will identify candidates through a review of Statements of Results. All full-time students enrolling in the complete academic year are eligible. Medals are presented annually in early autumn; students will be individually invited to receive their award.

### **LEDER SCHOOL OF BUSINESS EXCELLENCE ADMISSION SCHOLARSHIP**

An automatic scholarship of \$3,000 will go to the incoming student who is enrolled in the Bachelor of Commerce degree program and has the highest admissions average on their high school transcripts. King's will only consider students who apply for admission before March 31 for the upcoming academic year.

### **LEDER SCHOOL OF BUSINESS HONOURS ADMISSION SCHOLARSHIP**

An automatic scholarship of \$2,000 will go to the incoming student who is enrolled in the Bachelor of Commerce degree program and has the second highest admissions average on their high school transcripts. King's will only consider students who apply for admission before March 31 for the upcoming academic year.

### **LEDER SCHOOL OF BUSINESS HONOURS RETURNING SCHOLARSHIP**

King's will award a maximum of two automatic scholarships of \$1,000 to the top academic students in

years two, three and four of studies in the Leder School of Business.

**LEDER SCHOOL OF BUSINESS INTERNATIONAL STUDY AWARD**

Several bursaries ranging from \$750-2000 are available for Bachelor of Commerce students participating in an international study abroad learning opportunity. Students recipients are recommended by the Leder School of Business.

**LEDER SCHOOL OF BUSINESS INTERNATIONAL RECRUITMENT AWARD**

Up to ten International students entering their first year of the business program are potentially eligible for a recruitment bursary ranging from \$1000-\$3000. Preference is given to students who focus on the key areas of growth within the Leder School of business for each year. Additional preferences may be country of origin as per a particular year's strategic focus. Additional eligibility priorities for a given year may include financial need and demonstrated leadership and community potential.

**OUTSTANDING SENIOR RESEARCH THESIS AWARD**

King's will award the 4 year B. Sc student with the most outstanding Senior Research Thesis (SRT) Project a \$250 award. All projects are automatically eligible (exceptional 2 credit Senior Independent Projects will also be considered). Students must submit a final copy of the project to the Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council faculty representative on the SRT oral presentation day. Recipients receive a plaque and a \$250 award credited to the student's account at the time of the award. See your faculty advisor for more information.

**RETURNING STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP**

Scholarships are available for returning King's students entering their second, third or fourth year. The amount of the award is determined by the student's G.P.A. according to the following table:

<i>Award</i>	<i>B.Ed.</i>	<i>Non-B.Ed</i>	<i>Amount Awarded</i>
Academic Distinction Scholarship	3.80-4.00	3.70-4.00	\$2,000
Academic Merit Scholarship	3.70-3.79	3.50-3.69	\$1,000

All students meeting the criteria will receive this scholarship; no application is necessary. Recipients will be notified by letter, subject to verification of eligibility in September. Eligibility criteria include an attempted 18 credits in the previous academic year, no failures during

the year including the INST course, and enrolment in 12 credits per semester during the academic year they receive the scholarship.

**COMPETITIVE AWARDS**

These awards are not automatic; students are required to apply. Unless the award description states otherwise, students must apply through the annual King's Scholarships and Awards application (page 33).

Many awards are department specific so please read requirements carefully. Students complete award statements, such as Christian Commitment, when they apply. See [www.kingsu.ca/financial-aid](http://www.kingsu.ca/financial-aid) for more information.

**ABORIGINAL STUDENT FUND**

One bursary of \$1,000 will be awarded each year to a full-time incoming or returning student who is of Aboriginal descent. Preference will be given to students who are enrolled or intending to enroll in the Bachelor of Education degree program at King's. To be eligible students must apply and provide proof of Aboriginal status.

**ADRIANA VANDENDOOL BURSARY**

One bursary of \$1,500 is available to a full-time student from an African country on a student authorization, who intend to return to their home country upon completion of their post-secondary education. Students must also demonstrate financial need and Christian commitment.

**ALBERTA BLUE CROSS 50TH ANNIVERSARY ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIP**

One scholarship of \$750 will be awarded to an incoming, first-year student with no previous post-secondary experience. To be eligible students must be an Alberta resident, have an average of 80% or higher on grade 12 entrance marks and have financial need.

**ALBERTA BLUE CROSS 50TH ANNIVERSARY SCHOLARSHIP FOR PSYCHOLOGY**

One scholarship of \$750 will be awarded to an incoming, first-year student with no previous post-secondary experience. To be eligible, students must be accepted into the 3-year or 4-year Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology, be an Alberta resident, have an average of 80% or higher on grade 12 entrance marks and have financial need.

**THE ARTHUR (BOO) RADLEY SCHOLARSHIP**

One scholarship of \$1,500 will be awarded each year to a full-time returning student who is enrolled in English, sociology, or education and was at least 21 years of age when they started their university studies at King's. To

be eligible students must apply, maintain a minimum 3.30 GPA, demonstrate involvement in the King's student community, and have financial need.

**ATLAS IMMUNIZATION SERVICES  
INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP**

A scholarship of \$1,000 will be awarded each year to a full-time, international student who is enrolled in a Bachelor of Commerce or Bachelor of Science program. To be eligible a student must have an average of 80% or higher on high school entrance marks, or maintain a 3.00 or higher GPA. This scholarship is funded through donations from Atlas Immunization Services Inc., Suite 104, 7633 50 St, Edmonton, AB.

**BERT BOREN VOLUNTEERISM BURSARY**

Four bursaries of \$1,000 each are available to returning students who are Canadian citizens or permanent residents, enrolled full-time in the Social Sciences (e.g. Psychology, Sociology, etc.) or the Bachelor of Education degree program who are actively involved in a volunteer capacity in the social service sector. Selection criteria include a written confirmation, including description and time commitment from the student's volunteer supervisor, financial need and satisfactory academic standing (min. 2.00 G.P.A.). These bursaries are made possible by a generous endowment received from the Estate of Robert Tegler (Trust) in recognition of Mr. Bert Boren's service to the Edmonton community.

**BETTY AND LEN VOGELAAR BURSARY**

Two bursaries of \$1,000 are available to full-time students enrolled in the Bachelor of Arts degree program in English or Philosophy, or Bachelor of Commerce degree program. To be eligible students must apply, demonstrate financial need and provide a statement of Christian commitment. These bursaries are funded through an endowment administered by The King's University College Foundation.

**BETTY AND LEN VOGELAAR SCHOLARSHIP**

Two scholarships of \$1,000 each are available to full-time incoming or returning students enrolled in the Bachelor of Arts degree program with a major or concentration in English or Philosophy, or Bachelor of Commerce degree program. To be eligible first-year students must have an average of 80% or better on high school entrance marks and returning students must maintain a 3.30 G.P.A. Selection criteria include academic achievement and demonstrated Christian commitment. These scholarships are funded through an endowment administered by The King's University College Foundation.

**BOESSENKOOL SCHOLARSHIP**

Two scholarships of \$1,000 are available to a full-time new or returning student enrolled in the Bachelor of Commerce degree program. To be eligible first year students must have an average of 80% or better on high school entrance marks and returning students must maintain a 3.30 G.P.A. Selection criteria include academic achievement, along with demonstrated Christian commitment. This scholarship is funded through an endowment administered by The King's University College Foundation.

**BRENDA BOURQUE-STRATICHUK BURSARY**

One bursary of \$2,000 will be awarded to an Aboriginal student enrolled in full-time studies. The recipient must maintain a minimum GPA of 2.0 and preference will be given to students with demonstrated financial need. Applicants must provide proof of Aboriginal ancestry as well as statements of Christian commitment, involvement in university activities and graduation intention. Applicants must demonstrate how they will use their King's education to give back to their specific community and to the Aboriginal community at large.

**CHRISTIAN CREDIT UNION LTD. SCHOLARSHIP**

A \$1000 scholarship is available to a returning student who is enrolled in the Bachelor of Commerce degree program at The King's University. Selection criteria include demonstrated Christian Commitment, understanding of the Biblical principles of stewardship and academic standing.

**CHRISTIAN LABOUR ASSOCIATION OF CANADA  
SCHOLARSHIP**

A scholarship of \$1,000 is available to a full-time returning student who is planning a career in business or commerce. Preference will be given to a student working towards a Bachelor of Commerce degree. Additional eligibility criteria include good academic standing (min. 3.30 G.P.A.) and demonstrated Christian commitment.

**CHRISTIAN SERVICE BURSARY**

Four bursaries of \$2,250 each are available to a full-time students enrolled in a degree program in English, History, Philosophy or Theology who are planning a career in Christian service, i.e. education, missions, parish or hospital ministry, and who are active members of a Reformed church. To be eligible students must apply and must demonstrate financial need. They must also provide a statement of Christian commitment and career intent and a letter of reference from the student's pastor.

### **CLAC SOLIDARITY AND LABOUR JUSTICE SCHOLARSHIP**

One scholarship of \$1,500 will be awarded each year to students majoring in the Politics, History and Economics degree program and/or pursuing the Micah Certificate. Students must have a 3.30 G.P.A. to qualify. Interested students must demonstrate a passion and commitment to the pursuit of economic and social justice and who have a vocational objective that aims to restore positive, healthy, and co-operative workplace communities within Canada and around the world. The successful applicant will demonstrate a willingness to engage fellow students and staff about workplace justice either in the area of labour relations, labour law or basic human rights. Students must provide a statement of involvement in university activities and a statement of career intent.

### **CLASSIS ALBERTA NORTH PRE-SEMINARY SCHOLARSHIP**

Two scholarships of \$2,000 will be awarded each year to full-time students in the final year of a degree program who intend to pursue further studies at Calvin Theological Seminary in Grand Rapids, Michigan or a similar Reformed institution. To be eligible students must have been a member of a Christian Reformed Church at the time of applying for the scholarship, and maintain a 3.00 or higher G.P.A. Selection criteria include academic achievement, demonstrated Christian commitment and professed intent to enter into ministry in the Christian Reformed Church.

### **COMPUTRONIX COMPUTING SCIENCE SCHOLARSHIP**

One scholarship of \$2,000 and two of \$1000 will be awarded each year to full-time students who are enrolled in the 4-year Bachelor of Science degree program with a major in Computing Science. Eligible applicants will have achieved an average of 80% or better in high school entrance marks, or have achieved a 3.5 G.P.A. in the previous (full-time) year of study in the program. This scholarship is funded by Computronix Corporation Ltd. and reflects the strong need in the information technology industry for individuals of both technical aptitude and strong character. Applicants must provide a written statement of Christian commitment, career intent, and volunteer experience. Adjudication of the \$2,000 and \$1,000 scholarships will be based upon a combination of academic achievement and the applicant's written statement.

### **DEGROOT-REITSMA MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP**

A scholarship of \$1,000 is available each year to a full-time student who is enrolled in the Bachelor of Music

program or the four-year Bachelor of Arts program with a major in Music. To be eligible, students must have an average of 80% or higher on high school entrance marks, or maintain a 3.30 or higher G.P.A. and demonstrate Christian commitment. This scholarship endowment was established through the generosity of Christopher and Janelle deGroot-Reitsma.

### **DGL CHRISTIAN SERVICE BURSARY**

A bursary of \$1,500 is available to a full-time student enrolled in a degree program, with preference given to students in the Politics, History and Economics (PHE) program. To be eligible students must provide a statement of Christian commitment and career intent, maintain a satisfactory GPA, and provide a reference letter from their teacher/professor/pastor or a leader who can attest to the student's commitment to service in the community. Selection criteria include academic achievement and demonstrated Christian commitment.

### **DR. HARRY COOK SCIENCE SCHOLARSHIP**

One scholarship of \$1,000 will be awarded to a full-time returning student who is enrolled in the Bachelor of Science degree program. To be eligible students must apply and must maintain a 3.30 G.P.A. Selection criteria include academic achievement and demonstrated Christian commitment.

### **DR. JACOBUS KLOPPERS HONORARY MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP**

A scholarship of \$1,000 will be awarded each year to a full-time student enrolled in the Bachelor of Music degree program or Music Diploma program in Applied Organ Study. If there are no eligible students from these programs, students in other programs may be considered if they are enrolled in an Applied Organ course. To be eligible, first year students must have received an average of at least 80% in one or more final year high school music courses, or their equivalent (see Music Department for details). Returning students must have received an average of 3.0 G.P.A. or higher in their previous year's university level music course(s). Selection criteria include academic achievement, a written Statement of Faith and proof of musical proficiency. This scholarship was established in honour of Dr. Jacobus Kloppers, Professor of Music at King's from 1979-2008.

### **THE DR. JOHN E. HULL EDUCATION BURSARY**

A bursary of \$1000 will be awarded each year to a full-time student enrolled in the King's Education after-degree program. To be eligible the student must demonstrate financial need and a commitment to Christian Education. A statement of career intent and

philosophy of education must be included along with one letter of recommendation from an educator.

**DR. PETER MAHAFFY GLOBAL SCIENCE SCHOLARSHIP**

A scholarship of \$4,000 will be awarded to a full-time second, third or fourth year returning student who is enrolled in the 4-year Bachelor of Science degree program with a major in the natural sciences. To be eligible students must apply and must maintain a 3.30 G.P.A. Selection criteria include demonstration of a wide range of interests: must be enrolled in a fine arts course (i.e. enrolled in at least one fine arts course, enrolled in choir or pursuing drama, art, dance or musical instrument studies in the coming semester), academic achievement, demonstrated Christian commitment, and an interest in international development. Students should also have spent no less than 3 weeks working or volunteering outside of North America since graduating from high school.

**DR. PETER MAHAFFY SCIENCE SCHOLARSHIP**

A scholarship of \$1,000 will be awarded to a full-time returning student enrolled in the 4-year Bachelor of Science degree program with a major in the natural sciences. To be eligible students must apply and must maintain a 3.30 grade G.P.A. Selection criteria include academic achievement and demonstrated Christian commitment.

**THE DURK AND JANNY DEJONG BUSINESS SCHOLARSHIP**

One scholarship of \$1,000 will be awarded each year to a full-time returning student who is enrolled in the Bachelor of Commerce degree program. Applicants must plan to pursue a Certified Public Accountant designation upon completing their studies at King's. To be eligible students must apply, maintain a 3.30 or higher G.P.A. and provide a statement of graduation intention.

**DURK AND JANNY DE JONG ELEMENTARY EDUCATION BURSARY**

A bursary of \$1,500 will be awarded each year to a full-time student accepted into or continuing in the Bachelor of Education (Elementary) after-degree program. To be eligible students must apply and must demonstrate financial need and Christian commitment.

**DURK AND JANNY DE JONG ELEMENTARY EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP**

A scholarship of \$1,500 will be awarded each year to a full-time student accepted into or continuing in the Bachelor of Education (Elementary) after-degree program. To be eligible students must apply and must

demonstrate academic achievement and Christian commitment.

**DURK AND JANNY DE JONG SECONDARY EDUCATION BURSARY**

A bursary of \$1,500 will be awarded each year to a full-time student accepted into or continuing in the Bachelor of Education (Secondary) after-degree program. To be eligible students must apply and must demonstrate financial need and Christian commitment.

**DURK AND JANNY DE JONG SECONDARY EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP**

A scholarship of \$1,500 will be awarded each year to a full-time student accepted into or continuing in the Bachelor of Education (Secondary) after-degree program. To be eligible students must apply and must demonstrate academic achievement and Christian commitment.

**FRED & FRIEDA VOOGD EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP**

Two scholarships of \$1,000 will be awarded each year to a student enrolled in the Bachelor of Education (after degree) program who is intending on a career in teaching. To be eligible students must maintain a 3.00 or higher G.P.A. and demonstrate Christian commitment. This scholarship is funded through an endowment administered by The King's University Foundation.

**GEORGE D. VAN HAREN SCHOLARSHIP**

A scholarship of \$500 will be awarded each year to a full-time third-year returning student who plans to further his/her studies at a Reformed theological seminary. Consideration will be given to a student who intends to enroll in the Bachelor of Education (after degree) program. To be eligible students must maintain a 3.00 or higher G.P.A. and demonstrate Christian commitment.

**GERALD AND JOANNE VOOGD SCHOLARSHIP**

A scholarship of \$2,000 will be awarded each year to a full-time student enrolled in the Politics, History and Economics (PHES) degree program; or secondarily, to a full-time student who has enrolled in or taken courses in Political Science. To be eligible, students must be from outside Alberta, with a preference given to students from British Columbia. Applicants must apply and have an average of 80% or higher on high school entrance marks, or maintain a 3.30 or higher G.P.A., and demonstrate Christian commitment.

**GERRY SEGGER MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP IN PERFORMANCE EXCELLENCE**

A scholarship of \$3,000 will be annually awarded to a full-time, student enrolled in the Bachelor of Music

Degree (Performance) program or Performance Diploma program. If there are no eligible students enrolled in a Bachelor or Diploma in Music, the Music department can designate the award to a student in a Bachelor of Arts in Music (the student should be enrolled as a performance major and will be expected to play a junior and senior recital). Students may only hold this award once in their lifetime. Selection will primarily be based upon performance ability. This scholarship endowment was established through the generosity of Gerry and Hilda Segger.

#### **GO GLOBAL BURSARY**

Bursaries of \$500-\$1,000 are available to returning students who are assessed international student fees and can demonstrate involvement in promoting diversity on The King's campus, i.e. Go Global Week events, the King's Global Community. Students must also demonstrate financial need.

#### **GREIDANUS PRE-SEMINARY SCHOLARSHIP**

A scholarship of \$1,000 is available each year to a full-time student in the final year of a program who intends to pursue further studies at Calvin Theological Seminary in Grand Rapids, Michigan, U.S.A. To be eligible students must maintain a minimum G.P.A. of 3.00. Selection criteria include academic achievement, demonstrated Christian commitment, and a professed intent to enroll in the Master of Divinity program at Calvin Seminary immediately following graduation. This scholarship was established through the generous support of Dr. Sidney and Marie Greidanus. Dr. Greidanus was Professor of Theology at The King's University College from 1979 to 1990.

#### **H.J. AND J.H. KITS MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP**

A scholarship of \$1,000 is available each year to a full-time incoming or returning student enrolled in a Music degree, Performer's Certificate or Artist's Diploma program. To be eligible, students must have an average of 80% or higher on high school entrance marks, or maintain a 3.30 grade point average (GPA).

#### **HENRY AND WILHELMINA VAN ANDEL SCHOLARSHIP**

A scholarship of \$1,000 is available to a first-year student from British Columbia, in memory of Reverend and Mrs. Van AnDEL, who served the Christian Reformed Church and Christian education in B. C. for many years. Selection criteria include membership in the Christian Reformed Church, an average of 70% or higher on high school entrance marks, and demonstrated Christian commitment.

#### **HENRY DEKKER SHALOM ENDOWMENT BURSARY**

Two bursaries of \$500 are available to full-time students in each of years one and two of the Bachelor of Education program. Students must demonstrate Christian commitment and financial need.

#### **HERMAN AND HARRIET WIERENGA FAMILY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

A scholarship of \$1,000 will be awarded each year to a full-time student who is enrolled in the Bachelor of Commerce or Bachelor of Politics, History and Economics (PHE) degree programs. To be eligible students must apply and be members of the Christian Reformed Church. They must provide a letter of reference from their pastor that includes a statement regarding their Christian commitment and their active involvement in the Christian Reformed Church. They must have a high academic standing on high school entrance marks, or maintain a high G.P.A. This scholarship was established in memory of Herman Wierenga who served the Christian Reformed Church as immigrant field man (by helping immigrants find housing and employment) from 1949 until his death in 1954, and of Andrew and Carolyn Wierenga and Gladys Wierenga who served the Edmonton Christian community until their deaths in 1963.

#### **JANSEN FAMILY CHRISTIAN SERVICE SCHOLARSHIP**

One scholarship of \$1000 is awarded to a meritorious student who intends to enter a career characterized by service rather than monetary reward. Criteria include vocational choice, academic standing, and demonstrated Christian commitment.

#### **JOE LAMIGO MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

Two scholarships in the amount of \$500 will be awarded to students who intend to complete the Micah Certificate Program and a vocation in the area of International Development. To be eligible a student must maintain a grade point average of 3.00 or higher and demonstrate Christian commitment. Preference will be given to Filipino students. However, all eligible applicants are invited to apply.

#### **KING'S EMPLOYEE STUDENT BURSARY**

A bursary of \$1,000 will be awarded each year to a full-time student enrolled at The King's University. To be eligible a student must demonstrate financial need. This bursary is funded through donations from King's faculty and staff members.

**THE KING'S UNIVERSITY ADMISSION BURSARY**

Ten bursaries of \$500 each are available to high school applicants who are admitted to King's and who can demonstrate Christian commitment and financial need.

**THE KING'S UNIVERSITY ALUMNI STUDENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM BURSARY**

Several

bursaries of \$500 per year, funded by The King's University alumni, are available to full-time returning students. To be eligible, a student must have completed at least 24 credits at King's and have maintained satisfactory academic standing (2.00 G.P.A. or better). Students may receive up to two bursaries for the duration of the degree program. The number of bursaries awarded will depend on funds available in the program. Successful applicants will be selected on the basis of financial need, demonstrated Christian commitment, level of involvement in university, student life activities, intent to graduate from King's and other financial aid received.

**THE KING'S UNIVERSITY COMMERCE BURSARY**

Ten bursaries of \$750 are available to full-time students enrolled in the B.Com. program. To be eligible, students must apply, must have satisfactory academic standing and must demonstrate financial need.

**THE KING'S UNIVERSITY COMPUTING SCIENCE BURSARY**

Five bursaries of \$500 are available to full-time students enrolled in the B.Sc. program in Computing Science. To be eligible, students must apply, must have satisfactory academic standing and must demonstrate financial need.

**THE KING'S UNIVERSITY ENROLMENT BURSARY**

A bursary of \$1,000 is available to a full-time student who is a member of a Reformed church and who has been a resident of Canada for a minimum of two years. Applicants will be considered on the basis of financial need.

**THE KING'S UNIVERSITY ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES BURSARY**

Five bursaries of \$500 are available to full-time students enrolled in the B.A. or B.Sc. program in Environmental Studies. To be eligible, students must have satisfactory academic standing and must demonstrate financial need.

**THE KING'S UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION BURSARY**

A bursary of \$1000 is available to a full-time student who shows Christian commitment, and demonstrates financial need. This bursary is administered by The King's University College Foundation.

**THE KING'S UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION BUSINESS SCHOLARSHIP**

Two scholarships of \$1,000 each are available to full-time returning third- and fourth-year students enrolled in the Bachelor of Commerce program. To be eligible students must apply and must maintain a 3.30 G.P.A. Selection criteria include academic achievement and demonstrated Christian commitment. The scholarships are funded through an endowment administered by The King's University College Foundation.

**KNOPPERS-BOON SCHOLARSHIP**

One scholarship of \$1,500 is available to a returning female student who intends to continue her studies in the area of Christian theology and/or pastoral ministry. To be eligible students must maintain a 3.30 G.P.A. Selection criteria include academic achievement, vocational intent and demonstrated Christian commitment. This scholarship was established in 1992, in honour of Nicholas and Bartha (Boon) Knoppers' 50th wedding anniversary, and Rev. Knoppers' 50th anniversary in the ministry of the Christian Reformed Church.

**KOK FAMILY LEADERSHIP BURSARY**

One bursary of \$1,000 will be awarded to a student enrolled in an undergraduate program who demonstrates outstanding leadership qualities through involvement in church, university and/or community service. The recipient must be a full-time returning student with a minimum GPA of 2.0. Preference will be given to students with demonstrated financial need. Applicants must provide statements of Christian commitment, community service involvement and career & graduation intentions, in addition to completing the financial information section of the Scholarships and Bursaries Application.

**LEDER SCHOOL OF BUSINESS BURSARY**

A number of bursaries valued at \$1000 and \$2000 each are available for full-time students who are enrolled in the Bachelor of Commerce degree program in the Leder School of Business. Students must have a minimum G.P.A. of 2.00 and demonstrate financial need.

**LYNN NANNINGA MEMORIAL BURSARY**

A \$500 bursary is available each year to a full-time student enrolled in the Bachelor of Education (After Degree) program, or secondarily, interested in Education. Preference will be given to students from the Barrhead/Neerlandia, Alberta area. To be eligible, students must maintain a 2.00 GPA or have an average of 65% or better on high school entrance marks, demonstrate financial need, and provide a statement of

Christian commitment. This bursary was established in memory of Lynn Nanninga who was a student at King's from 1995-1998.

#### **MARIANNE KLEIN EDUCATION BURSARY**

Two bursaries of \$1,500 will be awarded each year to full-time incoming or returning students enrolled in the Bachelor of Education – Elementary program. To be eligible, students must apply, have a 2.75 or higher grade point average, and be from outside of Alberta. Preference will be given to students from British Columbia and applicants who desire to serve in Christian education with an interest in special education. Applicants must demonstrate financial need and provide statements of Christian commitment and career intentions.

#### **MEPHIBOSHETH SCHOLARSHIP**

Scholarships totaling \$3,000 per year will be awarded to students who have a physical disability that is likely to continue. Selection criteria include academic achievement, demonstrated Christian commitment and financial need. Preference will be given to students who have an impairment that makes employment during the academic year less likely. This scholarship was established in memory of Peter DeKorte, a New Jersey businessman who, being physically impaired himself, during his lifetime worked tirelessly to improve the quality of life for the physically disadvantaged.

#### **NELLIE DE RUITER BUSINESS BURSARY**

Two bursaries of \$1,500 are available each year to full-time incoming or returning students enrolled in the Bachelor of Commerce program. To be eligible, students must apply, have a 2.75 or higher grade point average, and be from outside of Alberta. The selection committee will give preference to students from British Columbia. Applicants must demonstrate financial need and provide a statement of Christian commitment. This bursary is offered in memory of Nellie de Ruiter who faithfully served various communities through Nelder Accounting Services.

#### **NORTHGATE BUSINESS SCHOLARSHIP**

Two scholarships of \$1,000 each will be awarded each year to full-time students who are enrolled in the Bachelor of Commerce degree program. To be eligible students must apply and have an average of 80% or higher on high school entrance marks, or maintain a 3.30 or higher G.P.A., and demonstrate Christian commitment.

#### **PETER AND NELL CUPIDO MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP**

A scholarship of \$600 is available to a returning student of The King's University whose major/first

concentration is music and who demonstrates Christian commitment. The scholarship will be awarded on the basis of academic excellence to a qualified applicant.

#### **PETER MOS SCHOLARSHIP IN HISTORY**

A scholarship of \$500 is available to a student entering the final year of a degree program in History, or Politics, History and Economics (PHE). To be eligible students must maintain a 3.30 G.P.A. and have potential for further scholarly work.

#### **PETER PLUG MEMORIAL BURSARY**

A bursary of \$1,500 is available to a student experiencing financial need in his/her effort to attend The King's University. First preference will be given to applicants from Regina, Vernon or Telkwa: municipalities served by Rev. Plug. Secondary consideration will be given to any Saskatchewan or British Columbia applicants.

#### **R. ALLAN KILLEN CHRISTIAN SCHOLARSHIP**

An award of \$700 and a second award of \$300 are made annually to the students submitting the best papers giving a Christian analysis and critique of the influence of contemporary, non-Christian thought on any discipline. The award is made at the end of the Winter term each year. Award monies are credited to the student's account at the time of the award. Interested students should contact the Vice President Academic or their advisors regarding details of the competition.

#### **REAL CANADIAN SUPERSTORE SCHOLARSHIP**

One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded to a full-time student in the Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science program with a major in Environmental Studies. To be eligible, new students must have achieved a minimum 80% or better on high school entrance marks or as a returning student must have achieved a minimum G.P.A. of 3.3 or higher in the last school year.

#### **REGISTRY RICK BURSARY**

Two bursaries of \$500 will be available each year to students who are experiencing a personal or family health crisis that puts the students' ongoing university attendance in jeopardy. Applicants must provide a physician's note stating they are experiencing a personal or family health crisis. One bursary will be awarded through the normal financial aid process. The second bursary can be awarded at any time throughout the year to help meet the need created by an unexpected/emergency health situation.

Rick Toews, the Associate Registrar at King's, understood the devastating effects a health crisis can have on students. On March 30, 2015, he arrived at work

expecting another routine day. Instead, less than 14 hours later, Rick was diagnosed with a brain tumor. The tumor would later be identified as a grade IV Glioblastoma Multiforme, a highly aggressive and deadly brain tumor. This bursary is funded through donations from Rick's family, friends, and colleagues.

#### **REHOBOTH SCHOLARSHIP**

A scholarship of \$1,000 is available to a returning student who is planning a career that involves working with and/or caring for persons with developmental disabilities. Students should have prior experience working or volunteering with people with developmental disabilities. To be eligible students must maintain a 3.30 G.P.A. A letter of reference will be required from the student's volunteer or work supervisor or the student's faculty advisor. Selection criteria include academic achievement, demonstrated Christian commitment and financial need. This scholarship has been funded by several anonymous donors who want to "make room" (Rehoboth).

#### **REINDERS ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES SCHOLARSHIP**

A scholarship of \$1,500 is available to a full-time student enrolled in the Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science degree program in Environmental Studies. To be eligible first-year students must have an average of 80% or better on high school entrance marks and returning students must maintain a 3.30 G.P.A. Selection criteria include academic achievement and demonstrated Christian commitment. This scholarship was made possible through a generous gift from Maple Reinders Group Ltd.

#### **RETA HAARSMAN SCHOLARSHIP**

Four scholarships of \$1,000 will be awarded each year to a full-time student enrolled in the Bachelor of Arts degree program with a major/concentration in Theology or Psychology. To be eligible students must have an average of 80% or better on high school entrance marks, or maintain a 3.30 G.P.A. Selection criteria include academic achievement, and demonstrated Christian commitment. This scholarship was established by Reta Haarsma who operated The King's University Bookstore for 25 years from 1979 to 2004.

#### **ROBERT N. THOMPSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP IN POLITICAL SCIENCE**

One scholarship of \$1,000 will be awarded each year to a full-time returning student who is enrolled in the Politics, History and Economics (PHE) degree program, or secondarily, be enrolled in or have taken courses in Political Science. To be eligible students must apply,

demonstrate academic achievement (3.30 or higher G.P.A.), and demonstrate Christian commitment. Robert Thompson (1914-1997) served the people of Canada as leader of the Social Credit Party from 1961-1967, and as Member of Parliament for Red Deer, Alberta from 1962-1972.

#### **ROBERT TEGLER MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP**

Five \$1,000 scholarships are available to students who are Canadian Citizens or Permanent Residents, enrolled full time in a degree program at The King's University in the three- or four-year Bachelor of Arts Music program or the Bachelor of Music Program. For returning students, applications will be considered on the strength of their musical achievements of the preceding year at this institution. New students must apply before March 31 and audition in May in their applied field (and/or submit an audition tape in this field of music before May 1). These scholarships are funded through an endowment established by the Estate of Robert Tegler (Trust). Please contact The King's University Music Department Coordinator at (780) 465-3500 ext. 8084 for more information.

#### **SCHRIEK ENVIRONMENTAL SCHOLARSHIP**

One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded to a returning Environmental Studies student who demonstrates academic excellence and provides a commitment to "environmental stewardship through leadership in environmental affairs" statement.

#### **SIERRA LEONE AND AFRICA BURSARY**

Two \$1,000 bursaries are available for full-time students who are citizens of Sierra Leone, or secondarily, from another African country. Additional criteria include financial need and demonstrated Christian commitment and a statement of career intent (with preference given to Christian service in the student's home country).

#### **SIMONA MAASKANT MEMORIAL BURSARY**

A bursary of \$600 will be awarded to a returning full-time student with a major/first concentration in English who demonstrates financial need. Preference will be given to a mature student and/or to a student with an interest in the visual arts. This bursary is offered in memory of Simona Maaskant, librarian at King's from 1983 to 1998 for her many contributions to the development of the King's library.

#### **SIMONA MAASKANT MEMORIAL SCIENCE SCHOLARSHIP**

A scholarship of \$1,000 will be awarded to an incoming first-year student enrolled in the Bachelor of Science program who is planning a career in the field of

engineering, agriculture or science. To be eligible students must have an average of 80% or higher in high school entrance marks and demonstrate Christian commitment. This scholarship is offered in memory of Simona Maaskant, librarian at King's from 1983 to 1998 for her many contributions to the development of the King's library.

#### **SOUTHERN ALBERTA BURSARY**

Six bursaries are available to full-time students who have enrolled in a degree program at The King's University. Students must have lived in the Greater Lethbridge area for at least 12 consecutive months immediately before coming to King's. For the purposes of this award, the Greater Lethbridge area is defined as the Northern Boundary of High River, Eastern boundary of Medicine Hat, Southern boundary of Cardston and Western boundary as Pincher Creek. Students must also demonstrate Christian commitment and demonstrate financial need.

#### **STRUIK BUSINESS SCHOLARSHIP**

One scholarship of \$1,000 is available each year to a full-time student enrolled in the Bachelor of Commerce program. Selection criteria will be based on demonstrating satisfactory academic performance and Christian commitment. Recipients will be residents of the greater Edmonton area, or in the absence of a qualified applicant from the greater Edmonton area, consideration will be given to applicants who are Alberta residents. These scholarships are funded through an endowment administered by The King's University College Foundation.

#### **SUNSTAR SCHOLARSHIP**

Two scholarships of \$1,000 will be awarded each year to full-time returning students who are enrolled in the Environmental Studies degree program, or secondarily, the 4-year Bachelor of Science degree program with a major in Biology. Preference will be given to students from Alberta. To be eligible students must apply and maintain a 3.30 or higher G.P.A. and demonstrate Christian commitment to environmental stewardship of God's creation. This scholarship is funded through an endowment administered by The King's University Foundation.

#### **THOMAS & JANET GREIDANUS PRE-MEDICAL SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP**

A scholarship of \$2,000 will be awarded each year to a full-time returning student intent on pursuing a career in medicine. Preference will be given to a student entering their fourth year of study. To be eligible, a student will have demonstrated Christian commitment, including the

qualities of servant leadership and compassion. Applicants will need to supply a reference letter written by a faculty member of The King's University that supports the student's future goal to practice medicine. This scholarship was established by Thomas and Janet Greidanus in gratitude for the excellent teaching their children received at The King's University and its contribution towards helping them achieve their desired career goals: four went on from King's to medical school and one to dental school.

#### **VANDERSLUYS EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP**

A \$500 scholarship is available each year to a full-time student enrolled in the Bachelor of Education (After Degree) program. To be eligible students must maintain a minimum 3.00 G.P.A. Selection criteria include academic achievement, demonstrated Christian commitment and financial need. This scholarship has been established in memory of Fennigjen vander Sluys who was a life-long supporter of Christian education.

#### **VOORTMAN COOKIES BURSARY**

A number of bursaries are available to full-time students who attend King's and can demonstrate financial need and Christian commitment.

#### **WEBB & BETTY TOLMAN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

One scholarship of \$1,000 will be awarded each year to a full-time returning student enrolled in a degree program. To be eligible students must maintain a 3.0 or higher G.P.A. and demonstrate Christian commitment. Preference will be given to a student from the province of British Columbia with community involvement and/or volunteer experience.

#### **WILLIAM AND HILDA ZUIDHOF MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

Two awards of \$500 each will be awarded to a full-time returning third- or fourth-year student intending on further study at a Reformed theological seminary or The King's University Bachelor of Education (After Degree) program. To be eligible students must apply and must maintain a 3.30 G.P.A. A letter of reference will be required from the student's faculty advisor. Selection criteria include academic achievement and demonstrated Christian commitment.

#### **WILLIAM SINNEMA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

One scholarship of \$3,000 will be awarded to an incoming student each year who is pursuing studies in the natural sciences. Preference will be given to students who have a vocational interest in computer science or mathematics. Selection criteria include academic achievement and demonstrated Christian commitment.

## **PROVINCE OF ALBERTA AWARDS PROGRAM**

The awards listed below are for Alberta Residents only; please read the eligibility and residency requirements carefully before applying.

For information on these awards, please contact the Alberta Scholarships and Bursaries office:

Telephone (in Edmonton): 780-427-8640

Email: [scholarships@gov.ab.ca](mailto:scholarships@gov.ab.ca)

Web: [studentaid.alberta.ca/scholarships](http://studentaid.alberta.ca/scholarships)

### **ALEXANDER RUTHERFORD SCHOLARSHIP**

Alberta high school students planning to attend The King's University may be eligible to receive a Government of Alberta scholarship of up to \$2,500 from the Alexander Rutherford Scholarship for High School Achievement. Students can apply online at [studentaid.alberta.ca](http://studentaid.alberta.ca) after registering for classes.

### **JASON LANG SCHOLARSHIP**

Alberta Student Aid offers \$1000 to students who achieved exceptional academic standing in their second, third or fourth year of a 2-4 year post-secondary program. Candidates are selected on the basis of academic standing and upon recommendation of The King's University. Nominees will receive an application from the Registration and Student Finance Office at King's. The Alberta Scholarships Program will notify recipients.

*NOTE: Students may not receive the Jason Lang scholarship and the Louise McKinney for the same period of study.*

### **JIMMIE CONDON ATHLETIC SCHOLARSHIPS**

These scholarships, valued at \$1800, recognize student athletes who combine involvement in selected intercollegiate athletics programs and post-secondary studies. Student athletes participating on King's women's and men's basketball, soccer, volleyball and badminton teams are eligible for these awards. The scholarships are restricted to students enrolled in full-time study who have maintained a minimum GPA of 2.00 in their previous term of study (excluding spring and summer courses), maintain a practice and training program acceptable to the coach and who have maintained residence in Alberta for twelve months prior to the enrollment date of their study program or who

have been in full-time attendance at an educational institution in Alberta for the preceding year. Candidates will be nominated by the respective team coach at King's following team tryouts each Fall.

### **LAURENCE DECORE AWARDS FOR STUDENT LEADERSHIP**

These awards, valued at \$500, are sponsored by the Alberta College and Technical Institute Student Executive Council (ACTISEC) in honour of Laurence Decore, former Edmonton mayor and leader of the Alberta Liberal party to recognize post-secondary students who have demonstrated outstanding dedication and leadership to their fellow students and to their community. Applicants must be Alberta residents who are currently enrolled in a minimum of three full courses at a designated Alberta post-secondary institution and will be selected on the basis of involvement in either student government or student societies, clubs or organizations. In addition, candidates may be involved in student organizations at the provincial or national level or in non-profit community organizations. Recipients are selected by a selection committee established at participating educational institutions. Awards are disbursed in April.

### **LOUISE MCKINNEY POST-SECONDARY SCHOLARSHIPS**

These Alberta scholarships recognize exceptional academic achievement and are valued at \$2,500 at the undergraduate level. The scholarships are restricted to Alberta residents. Eligible students are those enrolled in the second or subsequent year of a full-time program or in the final year of their program and who plan to continue in a professional program. Students planning on attending an institution other than King's must inform the Manager of Student Finance and Scholarship by August 15 of each year to be considered for the Louise McKinney Scholarship. Candidates are selected on the basis of academic standing and upon recommendation of The King's University. Those who have been nominated by the Registration and Student Finance Office at King's will be sent an application in the summer and will be notified as soon as the final selection has been made by the Alberta Scholarship Program.

## EXTERNAL AWARDS

For a listing of external awards please visit: [kingsu.ca/financial-aid](http://kingsu.ca/financial-aid).

### AU SABLE INSTITUTE OF ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES

As part King's Sustaining Partner agreement with the Au Sable Institute of Environmental Studies, King's students may be eligible for financial aid for courses taken at Au Sable.

### AU SABLE SCHOLARSHIP IN ENVIRONMENTAL BIOLOGY

An admission scholarship of \$300 goes to all King's University students that attend courses at the Au Sable Institute (administered by King's). Students attending Au Sable are expected to have an exceptional interest in environmental studies and stewardship, as well as a commitment to learning in a mutually supportive Christian community. Recipients must share their experiences in appropriate venues at King's.

### AU SABLE FELLOWSHIPS AND BURSARIES

Several merit-based scholarships of \$1400 (G.P.A. of 3.0) are available to King's students displaying interests, abilities, and leadership potential in environmental stewardship (administered by Au Sable). Students must enrol in 2 courses. Furthermore, they must submit an essay to King's Au Sable representative that describes their commitment to creation care and reflects on the biblical principles of service and community in daily life. Recipients must share their experiences in appropriate venues. King's expect recipients to seek TA or student leadership positions in the following year to facilitate peer mentoring and share their abilities with the King's community, or student leadership positions in the following year to facilitate peer mentoring, thereby sharing their abilities with the King's community.

Several bursaries of \$500 or \$1000 will be awarded to students attending 1, or 2 courses, respectively, that are not eligible for the above fellowship. Application procedures and expectations of returning students are the same as for the above fellowship.

## GOVERNMENT STUDENT FUNDING

### *Student Loans for Full-Time Students*

**If you are a Canadian citizen, a permanent resident of Canada, or a protected person, you may apply for a government student loan.** Students who need financial assistance are advised to apply online to their province of residence (you are a resident of the province or territory where you have most recently lived for at least 12 consecutive months without being a full-time student at a

post-secondary institution during those 12 months). Students should apply for government student loans at least 6-8 weeks prior to the first day of classes. Students can start applying for loans online each June for the upcoming year.

**You are automatically considered for non-repayable grants** when you apply for a full-time government loan. For more information on grant types and eligibility, please visit the government of Canada site: [www.canlearn.ca](http://www.canlearn.ca).

Loans are distributed in two parts; 50% of funding in the Fall term (typically in federal loan funds) and the remaining 50% in the Winter term (typically in provincial loan funds). To be eligible for full time government loans, students must register for and complete at least 9 credits in each term. **When studying full time, government loans are interest-free.** One term only loans are available; apply two months prior to your class start date to ensure that funding is available on time. *Please Note: King's is considered a public institution for student loan purposes.*

Full-time students apply for loans online.

Students who are permanent residents of Alberta apply through Alberta Student Aid: [studentaid.alberta.ca](http://studentaid.alberta.ca)

Students from other provinces/territories can apply through their local loan office. All other provinces/territory links can be found on: [canlearn.ca](http://canlearn.ca)

### **Part-Time Student Loans**

Students taking fewer than 9 credits per semester can apply for Part-Time Funding through their home province, the last province where they lived for 12 consecutive months without being a full-time student. Part-Time Funding consists of Canada loans and grants, as well as some provincial grants.

Alberta residents can apply for Part-Time Funding at [www.studentaid.alberta.ca](http://www.studentaid.alberta.ca). All other students should follow their home province's application process.

### **KING'S ON-CAMPUS EMPLOYMENT**

On-campus jobs are available to students in full-time attendance at King's. Students must have a G.P.A. of at least 2.00 to be employed on-campus. A total of approximately \$490,000 is paid to student employees each year.

Applications for campus employment are online: <http://www.kingsu.ca/financial-aid> and are due by April 30 (*deadline subject to change*).

A number of jobs are usually available in the following departments: Athletics, Facilities, Conference Services, Campus Bookstore, Development, Admissions, Food

Services, Information Technology Services, Library, Reception, and Student Life. The application form will specify the experience and/or ability required for each type of job and will provide expanded job descriptions.

## GOVERNMENT LOANS FOR U.S. STUDENTS

### **Federal Student Aid: Direct Loan Program**

Students who are U.S. Citizens (or U.S. Nationals) may apply for Title IV funding under the U.S. Department of Education's government Direct Loan program. Our designated institutional code is: 026119

### **The Direct Loan Program offers these types of loans for full time undergraduate students:**

- *Subsidized*: for students with demonstrated financial need, as determined by federal regulations. No interest is charged while a student is in school full time, during the grace period, and during deferment periods.
- *Unsubsidized*: no financial need required; interest is charged during all periods, including while in school and within the grace period.
- *PLUS*: unsubsidized loans for the parents of dependent students. Interest is charged during all periods.
- *PELL* Grants are NOT available in foreign institutions

### **Cost of Attendance:**

U.S. loans are approved and issued by the school using this calculation:

- Cost of attendance (COA) - Expected Family Contribution (EFC) - Other financial assistance = Eligible loan amount (Loan amounts cannot exceed the total cost of attendance)

### **To apply, students must:**

- Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) on: <http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/>
- Sign a Master Promissory Note (MPN) by going to: <https://studentloans.gov>
- If you are a first time borrower, complete mandatory Entrance Counselling: <https://studentloans.gov>
- Notify King's of your submitted FAFSA at least two months prior to school commencing.

Once your application has been fully reviewed you will be sent a letter (PDF) via email to the email address listed on your FAFSA. It will indicate your eligibility and loan amount(s), if applicable.

**Know your Loan Limits!** *Before* you think of applying for funding, know how much you can borrow! Most first

year students are not eligible for more than USD\$5,500 for the entire school year! See <https://studentloans.gov> for more information

### **IMPORTANT!**

- Distance and online learning courses are **not** eligible for Federal Student Aid (even one course will disqualify you)
- Part-time students are **not** eligible for Direct Loans - all students must take a 60% course load (e.g. Minimum of 9 credits per term/semester)
- Federal Pell Grants and Federal Work-Study are **not** available outside of the U.S.
- Direct Loan funding is not available for students in a non-degree program (ie. diploma, certificate)

**Funds cannot be released to first-time loan borrowers until they've attended at least 30 days of school.** Average costs for one (8 month) school year total CAD\$19,000 to \$25,000 dollars. Your loans may not cover all of your educational costs, so please review your expenses carefully against your available loan limits by visiting: <https://studentloans.gov>

### **Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) & Course Load Requirements**

There are academic performance expectations when you are studying with approved U.S. Federal funding; students are expected to complete and pass at least 60% of a full course load (minimum 9 credits per term) or will have subsequent loans put on probation or denied.

### **Open a Canadian bank account**

The Direct Loan Program sends funds via wire transfer from the US treasury to The King's University. We will credit your tuition account for the term (after verifying eligibility) and all loan money will be applied to your fees. If, after payment, your fees are paid in full, students will receive a refund cheque in Canadian dollars. If you deposit this into a US bank account, your money will most likely be held for 2-4 weeks but if you have a Canadian dollar account, you avoid this holding period. Note: There is no bank on the King's campus, but there is an ATM.

### **Visa Requirements**

All international students must show Canadian immigration that they have enough funding to pay for their educational & living expenses. Our office can provide proof of funding letters—upon request—if we have received your loan information. Please allow 2-4 weeks for processing.

**Leaving King's**

Please inform the Student Finance and Scholarships Manager if you intend to cease studies to give you information about loan repayment.

**Exit Counselling**

Once you have completed full-time study (whether by completing or ceasing study), you must take mandatory

Exit Counselling so that you are aware of repayment options. You may do this online at: <https://studentloans.gov>

For more information about obtaining a Federal Student Loan, please contact the Manager of Student Finance and Scholarships:

In Edmonton: (4780) 465-3500 x8117

Toll-free: 1-800-661-8582 x8117