



ISLAND EQUIPMENT OWNERS ASSOCIATION 2021 IEQA FOUNDER'S BURSARY

January 26, 2021

To: All Members of the Island Equipment Owners Association and their Employees

We are pleased to distribute applications for the 2021 IEQA Founder's Bursary. This bursary will be awarded to employees, or dependents of employees or principals of an IEQA member company who are enrolled in a post secondary educational program or trades training program. Affiliate companies are not eligible for the bursary.

The Bursary Committee will accept applications from eligible individuals until May 31, 2021 and will award the bursary to the applicant(s) they feel are the most deserving. It is the committee's intent to award **at least one trades-based bursary and one academic-based bursary**, provided that suitable applications are received in both fields. The total value of the bursaries to be awarded this year is up to \$5,500.

In 2017 we added the \$570 value bursary to be awarded to a female applicant in honor of Laura Brewer, our retired association manager and her community spirit. This was generously donated by an anonymous member company and will be the fifth year it is awarded, provided suitable applications are received.

Please help the IEQA spread the word about this bursary by posting this announcement in your office and/or including a copy of the attached information sheet with your employee's paycheques. We know that there are many deserving students in your network that could use some financial assistance to achieve their goals. Last year the committee awarded a total sum of \$5,570 to 5 well deserving students.

Since 1999 the IEQA has awarded over \$114,830 to students within our membership, THANK YOU to our member companies and their generosity!

Applications are available at ieoa.ca or by request at the email below. Completed applications should be submitted before May 31, 2021 to:

MAIL: Bursary Committee
Island Equipment Owners Association
17 Cadillac Ave, Unit 25
Victoria, BC V8Z 1T3

FAX: 250-384-0141

WEBSITE: ieoa.ca

EMAIL: info@ieoa.ca

If you have any questions please contact the IEQA Office at 250-382-4362.



**ISLAND EQUIPMENT OWNERS ASSOCIATION
2021 IEAO FOUNDER'S BURSARY
APPLICATION CRITERIA**

Donor:	Island Equipment Owners Association
Value:	Up to \$5,500
Tenure:	Any recognized college, university, or trade school
Criteria:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. An employee or dependant of an employee or principal of an IEOA member company, <u>not an affiliate company</u> 2. Scholastic achievement and/or trades training/experience 3. Financial need 4. Community involvement – for example coaching youth groups, volunteer work 5. Written presentation outlining your educational focus, goals and dreams. This doesn't need to be formal. A letter is fine we just want some idea of who you are, what you'd like your future to look like and how we can help.
Deadline:	May 31, 2021
Procedure:	Applicants are to submit a completed application form along with the above noted written presentation.
Selection:	The IEAO Bursary Committee will review written submissions. Approximately 3 – 12 applicants will be shortlisted for interviews. The Bursary Committee will discuss the results of the interviews and select candidates to receive bursary funds based on criteria. The successful candidates will be notified immediately after the selections are made.
Applications And Submissions:	<p>Bursary Committee Island Equipment Owners Association 17 Cadillac Ave, Unit 25 Victoria, BC V8Z 1T3 Phone: 250-382-4362 Fax: 250-384-0141 Email: info@ieoa.ca</p>



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APPLICATION FORM**

Please complete the application form below and attach your written presentation as outlined in the bursary application criteria.

The IEQA Bursary Committee will evaluate applications and shortlist applicants based on the following criteria:

- Scholastic achievement and/or trades achievement/experience
- Financial need
- Community involvement – for example coaching youth groups, volunteer work
- Written presentation outlining your educational focus, goals and dreams

Shortlisted applicants will be invited to meet with the Bursary Committee for an interview.

APPLICANT INFORMATION:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Home phone: _____ Cell phone: _____

Email: _____ SIN number: _____

IEQA MEMBER INFORMATION:

Member Company: _____

Name of employee: _____

Relationship to applicant: _____

PAST EDUCATION:

Last school attended and year completed: _____

FUTURE EDUCATION:

Post Secondary Institution: _____

Year and Program entering: _____