



Josie Gould Memorial Scholarship 2023 Application

Who Can Apply

- Scholarships will be open to UNW members (in good standing as of June 30, 2023); current, retired and deceased members' spouses, and relatives whose permanent place of residence is Canada, and who have been accepted for full time post-secondary study.
- The definition of a relative is: a spouse, parent, child (including a step-child or foster child) or grandchild.
- No applicant will be awarded a scholarship in two (2) consecutive years.

How to Apply

APPLICATION FORM

- Fill out the attached application form. Any missing information may disqualify you from the competition.

ESSAY

- With the application, you must submit a double spaced, typed, three (3) page essay in Word or PDF format. No handwritten essays will be accepted.
- Please put a cover page on your essay, with your name, essay title, and date. Do not put your name on any other pages of the essay.
- The following is the topic for your essay:
Why is it important for unions to fight for Indigenous issues? What does Reconciliation look like in the workplace, and what are the positive impacts on all workers and community members? How could employer hiring policies in the NWT be improved to address inequities and move forward together?
- In combination with your research, the committee will be looking for creativity such as personal experiences, discussions and/or interviews with others. If outside sources are used, then a list of resources and personal interviews, written and web based, must be included or the essay will not be accepted. Citations must be included in the body of the essay and the corresponding references included in the lists of resources. The list of resources should be on a separate page and does not count towards the three (3) page limit.

PHOTO

- Please attach to your application a head and shoulders photograph of yourself. The only purpose for this photograph is for use on our website or in advertising, of successful candidates only.

SUBMISSION and DEADLINE

Completed applications (along with essay and photo) must be submitted no later than 5:00 pm, Friday, June 30, 2023. Mailed applications must be postmarked by June 30, 2023.

It is preferred that applications be submitted by email: dfa@unw.ca AND hq@unw.ca

If email is not possible, applications can be mailed to the address below, or faxed to 867-920-4448.

UNW Scholarship Program, Suite 400 - 4910 53 Street Yellowknife, NT X1A 1V2

Any applications received late will not be considered; applicants can re-apply the next year. Confirmation of applications received by UNW will be emailed to the applicant. Please retain confirmation.



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All sections must be completed. If you do not know your UNW ID# or Local#, please contact UNW Headquarters or your Local steward/president.

(please print or type)

Personal Information	
Applicant's Name	
Address	
Telephone	
Email	
Where did you learn about the scholarship?	

Membership Information – complete section A or B			
Section A - If you are a UNW member applying:			
UNW #	Local #		
Section B - If you are a relative of a UNW member applying:			
Name of relative			
Relationship to relative			
UNW # of relative	Local # of relative		
Telephone (work)	(home)		
Relative employed at	email		

School Information		
What university / college will you be attending?		
School	Community	Province/Territory
What degree or diploma are you working towards?		
Proof of acceptance included with application? YES NO (explanation below)		
Are you a first-year or returning student?	First Year	Returning

PLEASE NOTE: The essays of successful applicants may be posted to our website or used in other promotional material.