

Three to
choose from!

Student Scholarship Opportunities



*Shamily Shanmuganathan, 2017 Scholarship winner -
Waterloo University.*

Learning Opportunities for the next generation of Water & Environmental Experts

Water is a dynamic field of study and employment. To have access to safe water, every community needs skilled and dedicated people who work to provide clean water that meets today's strict environmental standards. If you are interested in Environmental Sciences/Studies/ Technology, Mechanics or Instrumentation, OCWA offers you career options in the critical world of water treatment.

Why Work at OCWA?

1. Work for the best. The Ontario Public Service is voted one of the top 100 employers in Canada.

2. Make a Difference. The work you do directly benefits the environment, communities and people in Ontario.

3. Plan your career path. OCWA hires many of its co-op placements as full-time employees.

4. Invest in your future. We invest in training and developing employees to reach their potential.

5. Join a great team. The employees at OCWA have passion and purpose and value the work they do in the communities they serve.



About OCWA

OCWA actively supports Youth Employment and Educational initiatives and mentoring through our various programs. With Ontario colleges and universities, we connect students to Co-ops and Job Placements. OCWA also invites youth 15-24 to learn a water career through our Summer Experience Program while grade 8 students can test out the water workforce during the school year through our OneWater program.

The Ontario Clean Water Agency produces clean, safe water for Ontario homes, businesses and industries. As the largest clean water service provider in Ontario, we operate facilities ranging from small ground-water systems and lagoons to some of the most comprehensive water and wastewater systems in Canada. With our provincial scope, OCWA offers plenty of career opportunities in every region of Ontario.

“Everyday is different... There’s really not a dull moment.”

“OCWA gives me a chance to do everything...from distribution, collection, water, wastewater; OCWA gives me the tools to expand.”

Scholarships

The Ontario Clean Water Agency (OCWA) actively supports educational initiatives and mentoring through various programs and awards. With Ontario colleges and universities, we connect students to co-ops, job placements, and internships. OCWA's Scholarship for Second-year Students in an Environmental Program is a financial award that also provides career building through a co-op work term.

OCWA offers three scholarships for students in the following categories:

a) Environmental Students b) Women c) Indigenous

Award

Second-year tuition up to a value of \$2,500.00 plus one paid co-op work term with OCWA.

Criteria

We are looking for proactive, high achievers with demonstrated interest in an environmental field with emphasis on water and wastewater treatment. Demonstrated interest can include previous experience in an environmental setting and/or a statement of strong interest in the environment and water and wastewater fields.

Eligibility Requirements

- Applicants must be entering the second year of an Environmental Sciences or Environmental Engineering co-op program from an approved Ontario university or college during 2018.
- Academic excellence.
- Demonstrated social responsibility.

How to Apply and the Selection Process

- Follow the directions on the Student Application Form. Be sure to attach ALL required application information.
- Submit your Application Form to your Program Coordinator or school's Financial Aid Office.
- Your university/college will complete the Faculty Recommendation Form and submit to OCWA the application forms with supporting material, recommendation forms, and transcripts by **April 30, 2018**.
- OCWA's review committee will make a decision by the end of May 2018.

From all applications received, OCWA will award one scholarship. Co-op work terms will be arranged for the recipients of the scholarship and an announcement awarding the scholarships will be made at a mutually agreed-upon event.



Jonathan Chester, from Conderation College

Environmental Scholarship for Women

Award

- Tuition payment up to a value of \$2,500
- One Co-op Placement term with the Ontario Clean Water Agency
- One Scholarship is available each year

Criteria

- Applicant must be a Woman
- Candidate is in or applied to any Environmental Co-op program at an Ontario College or University
- Academic excellence

Indigenous Environmental Scholarship

Award

- Tuition payment up to a value of \$2,500
- One Co-op Placement term with the Ontario Clean Water Agency
- One Scholarship is available each year

Criteria

- Applicant must be of Indigenous descent
- Candidate is enrolled in or applied to any Environmental Co-op program at an Ontario College or University
- Academic excellence

How to Apply and the Selection Process

Applications will be submitted directly to the college's Financial Aid Officer/Awards



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