

Becton Dickinson (BD) Young Leaders Scholarship (Journey to Greatness Award)

BD is a global medical technology company that is *advancing the world of health* by improving medical discovery, diagnostics and the delivery of care. With core values of:

- ✓ Do what is right;
- ✓ Take personal responsibility;
- ✓ Anticipate and address the challenges of patients and customers globally;
- ✓ Innovate and improve continuously;
- ✓ Respect, collaborate with, challenge and care about each other.

BD believes that the future will be built through enthusiastic individuals who are excited to take on new challenges, committed to their personal learning and want to contribute to the overall success of their organization.

As part of their commitment to enhancing the quality of laboratory services in Canada and around the world, BD is proud to sponsor the “Young Leaders Scholarship” that recognizes rising stars who have the potential to be future leaders in the field of medical laboratory science.

The scholarship is **one \$2,000 scholarship** awarded annually to a certified CSMLS member (employed in Canada as a medical laboratory professional). The recipient will be new to the field, but will already be showing promise by making a positive impact within their organization. The award will be used for continuing education and/or sponsorship of learning events such as conferences, tuition, courses, etc.

The deadline for submission is May 1st.
Please note you will be contacted regarding your status via email

Award Guidelines

- Certified membership with CSMLS in good standing (current)
- Have been employed in an Medical Laboratory Technologist or Medical Laboratory Assistant related profession for 2-5 years
- Demonstrated commitment to continuous learning for personal and professional development
- Provide evidence of leadership ability (professional advancement, leadership in the workplace, volunteer achievements, awards, etc.)
- Canadian citizenship or permanent resident status
- A member may only be awarded one grant, scholarship or award per year with the exception of the BD Quality Assurance Project Award (if available)

Other Information

- Incomplete applications will not be accepted
- Winners must submit a final report (1-2 pages) to CSMLS and provide permission to publicly display it on the CSMLS website and other CSMLS media outlets as required. May also be requested to create a poster for LABCON.

Scholarship applications will be reviewed by the CSMLS Grants, Scholarships & Awards Committee. Each submission will be awarded points according to the following formula, to a maximum score of 100.

- Written Expression of Interest (25 points)
- Personal & Professional Accomplishments (25 points)
- Leadership & Volunteer Service (25 points)
- Professional development activities (25 points)

Submission Deadline

All submissions are due May 1

Questions: Should you have any questions regarding the application or submission process, please contact awards@csmls.org



Canadian Society for Medical Laboratory Science
Société canadienne de science de laboratoire médical

Becton Dickinson (BD) Young Leaders Scholarship Application Form

Part I: Applicant Contact Information

CSMLS ID# _____ **Social Insurance #** _____
(Please print) (Needed for financial prize*)

Name: _____
Family Name First Name Middle Initial(optional)

Address _____

City Province Postal Code

Daytime Telephone () _____ Evening Telephone () _____

E-mail Address _____

Part II: Professional Information

Employer: _____

Department: _____

Job Title: _____

Address: _____

Work Telephone: () _____

Work E-mail: _____

Part III: Please attach a description of each the following:

1. Your expression of interest (200 words or less).
Written description of how your personal and professional skills and accomplishments match the criteria for this scholarship and how you would use the funding.
2. Current resume or document showing professional activities that demonstrate your impact on your organization, leadership potential and/or commitment to continuous learning. This can include (but not limited to) voluntary activities, awards, committee/project experience, research, professional publication, leadership or educator role at work, education, and personal or professional development.

Part IV: Employer Endorsement

As the employer/supervisor of _____, I support this application. I feel he/she demonstrates the qualities identified as criteria for this scholarship.

Signature of Employer/Supervisor

Date _____
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Title _____ Name of Organization _____

Employer is welcome to provide other documentation if applicable to support application.

Applicant's Declaration

I am a Canadian citizen or a permanent resident and certify that the information given in this application is true to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____

Mailing Instructions

Stop and double-check!

- Signed application
- Expression of Interest (200 words or less)
- Resume/document showing activities to support application
- Employer Endorsement

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS:

May 1st

Mail to:

Grants, Scholarships & Awards Committee
33 Wellington Street North
Hamilton, Ontario L8R 1M7

Or Email to:

awards@csmls.org

*A BD Young Leaders Scholarship may be taxable. A T4A Income Tax Slip will be issued in the year an award is paid. Please refer to Canada Revenue Agency Publication P105 – Students and Income Tax (www.cra.gc.ca). Any tax implication is the responsibility of the recipient.