



BCHNS STUDENT BURSARY FUND AWARD APPLICATION FORM

PURPOSE

Members of the BC History of Nursing Society who are pursuing undergraduate or graduate studies may apply for financial assistance to undertake a project or study that contributes to the rich heritage of nursing history. Students from any academic discipline are eligible to apply.

GUIDELINES

Bursaries may be awarded twice yearly. The project or study can be:

- An understudied aspect of BC nursing history
- Preparation of a nursing biography
- Collection and documentation of oral histories of nurses
- Preparation of historical nursing materials for display and educational purposes
- Other historical projects or studies involving BC nursing history.

SELECTION PROCESS

Application forms can be submitted for consideration by the **March 1 or November 1 deadlines**. Applicants must be members of the BC History of Nursing Society and agree to share their project with the BCHNS in some form. If the project was completed while enrolled in the program and resulted in a paper or publication, it may be included in the application.

Students may sign up for new membership at any time or as part of this application.

The Awards Committee recommends the award amount, which is discussed with the BCHNS Board based on merit and the available funds.

SUBMISSION PROCESS

Please combine the following information into a single PDF file and email it to the Chair of the Bursary Committee, Margaret Scaia, at mrscaia@uvic.ca

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name:

Resident address:

E-mail address:

Contact telephone number:

Education: (specify graduate or undergraduate program, academic institution, and discipline):

Additional academic or professional credentials:

Area of nursing history interest:



ADDITIONAL INFORMATION TO INCLUDE IN YOUR APPLICATION

- A one-page proposal outlining your project or study.
- Specific details about your study, including:
 - The period covered.
 - Your study's geographic, social, political and/or economic context.
 - The nurses you will be studying
 - The contribution that your project will make to the history of nursing
 - The methods you will use to study this aspect of nursing history
 - How you will share your project with the BCHNS
- An academic letter of support

SIGNATURE (e-signature acceptable):

DATE:

Save your completed application as a PDF document and send it to mrscaia@uvic.ca

You may also print and mail this form to:

B.C. HISTORY OF NURSING SOCIETY Bursary Application
P.O. Box 72082, RPO Sasamat Vancouver, B.C. V6R 4P2

