

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS & STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

Annual Meeting & Symposium 2015

CARDIAC HEALTH FOUNDATION OF CANADA GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS

In conjunction with the Canadian Cardiovascular Congress, running October 24-25, 2015 at the Toronto Convention Centre.

Name of Awards:	Cardiac Health Foundation Of Canada Graduate Scholarships
Awarding Body:	Canadian Association of Cardiovascular Prevention and Rehabilitation (CACPR)
Funding Body:	Cardiac Health Foundation Of Canada
Purpose:	To recognize the research of graduate students in the area of cardiovascular prevention and rehabilitation and to reflect CACPR's support of educational endeavors in this area.
Level of Award:	There will be a maximum of <u>four (4) \$3,000 awards</u> presented annually. At least one award will be to a Doctoral student and one to a Master's student. Award cheques will be made payable to and mailed directly to the student's institution.
Published:	Successful abstracts will be published and online in the Journal of Cardiopulmonary Rehabilitation and CACPR's CV Edge
Eligibility criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student must be a member of the CACPR; • Only eligible to win the award <u>once</u> during graduate studies • Must submit a scientific abstract and it must be accepted for presentation at the CACR Annual Symposium • Award winners must register for and attend the CACR Annual Symposium and present their abstract in order to claim their award • Winners of the Cardiac Health Foundation Of Canada 'Terry Kavanagh Award' are not eligible
Review criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strength of research methodology • Feasibility of successfully completing the study • Importance and relevance to the field of cardiovascular prevention and rehabilitation • Strength of the letter of support • Applicant's potential for continuing to make a valuable contribution to the field of cardiovascular prevention and rehabilitation
A letter of notification will be sent in June 2015.	
The award will be presented at the CACPR Annual General Meeting in Toronto.	

Three Part Application Process:

1. Submit a scientific abstract in English online as per CACR Abstract format guidelines (<http://cacr.ca/awards/CACRAbstractsubmission.cfm>);
2. Including a letter outlining the student's current research in the area of cardiac rehabilitation and future directions in this field. The letter should be a maximum of two pages in length and must specifically address the rating criteria related to methodology, feasibility, importance and relevance; plus,
3. One letter of reference from a current supervisor.

Criteria and Online Application:

www.cacpr.ca/awards/CACRAwards.cfm

Deadline for submissions: May 1, 2015

Contact admin@cacpr.ca if you do not receive email confirmation of your submission within 72 hours.