

BOURSIERS
**McCall
MacBain**
SCHOLARS

Leading with Purpose

The McCall MacBain Scholarships at McGill bring together a diverse group of scholars who aspire to lead with purpose – individuals who have demonstrated leadership potential and an inner drive to make a positive impact in other people's lives.

McCall MacBain Scholars pursue a funded master's or professional degree at McGill University, while connecting with mentors and participating in a leadership program.



DEVELOP YOUR LEADERSHIP SKILLS

- Bi-weekly leadership seminars
- Peer-led leadership labs
- Case studies with guest speakers

CONNECT WITH MENTORS AND ADVISORS

- Experienced mentor
- Professional coaching
- Advisors for specific conversations
- Faculty advisors

BUILD COMMUNITY

- Annual retreat
- Principal's Lecture
- McCall MacBain House



Scholarships & Awards

The McCall MacBain Scholarship covers:

- Tuition and fees for an eligible master's or professional degree at McGill
- A living stipend of \$2,000 per month during academic terms
- A one-time relocation grant for moving to Montréal
- Summer funding options

Canadian Citizens, Permanent Residents, and Refugees

20 McCall MacBain Scholarships (full funding)

30 Finalist Awards of \$10,000

30 Regional Awards of \$5,000

International Applicants

10 McCall MacBain Scholarships (full funding)

25 Finalist Awards of \$20,000

15 Regional Awards of \$10,000





> Eligibility

You must meet ONE of the following criteria:

- You are a current student on track to earn your first bachelor's degree
- You earned your first bachelor's degree in the last five years
- You earned your first bachelor's degree more than five years ago, and are 30 years or younger in the calendar year that you apply

You will also need to meet the minimum requirements for McGill master's program admission, as well as requirements for your program(s) of choice.

Learn more about McGill admissions:
mcgill.ca/gradapplicants/how-apply

> Application Process

The McCall MacBain Scholarship application is separate from and earlier than McGill graduate admissions. After applying for the scholarship, applicants should apply directly to McGill programs.

More than 250 semi-finalists will be invited to regional interviews, either in-person (for Canadians) or online. Afterwards, up to 85 finalists will be invited to Montréal for final interviews. Thirty McCall MacBain Scholars (20 Canadians, 10 international students) will be selected each year.

TIMELINE



> Selection Criteria

When selecting McCall MacBain Scholars, our committees look for evidence of:

- Exceptional character
- Community engagement
- Leadership potential
- Entrepreneurial spirit
- Academic strength
- Intellectual curiosity

"This scholarship opens so many doors, allowing me to further my studies and work towards creating meaningful change with Indigenous education. I'm thrilled to be a part of a cohort that allows me to learn with and from the other scholars while having the opportunity to develop and share my passion."

— EMILEE BEWS, 2022 SCHOLAR



Discover Montréal, Québec

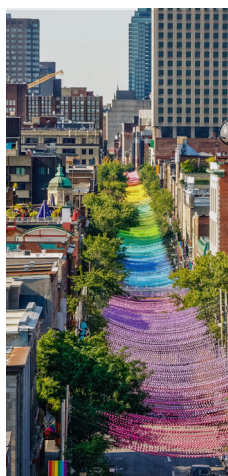
Montréal is one of the top student destinations in the world. It is the second-largest city in Canada, with direct flights to 130+ cities worldwide, and welcomes students from across Canada and around the world.

Our city is vibrant, diverse, and multicultural, with over 100 languages spoken. While you don't need to know French to study at McGill, you'll often hear English and French used interchangeably when exploring Montréal's diverse, colourful neighbourhoods.

Montréal is known as Tiohtià:ke in Kanien'kéha, and Mooniyang in Anishinaabemowin. It is the traditional territory of the Kanien'keha:ka (Mohawk).

Affordable and Dynamic

Rated as one of North America's most affordable cities, Montréal allows students to enjoy a high quality of life while accessing job opportunities in different economic sectors.



McGill University

With over 150 eligible master's and professional programs to choose from, McGill is the place for you to broaden your horizons, deepen your perspective, and become an expert in your chosen field.

McGill is one of Canada's top three best universities and 30th in the world according to the QS World University Rankings. Founded in 1821, it has a bold history of research and an international student body.

- Over 1,600 tenured faculty members
- Cutting-edge facilities, housed in more than 50 research institutes and centres across two campuses
- Interactive learning experiences and professional development opportunities for graduate students

Learn more about McGill:
mcgill.ca/gradapplicants



SCHOLARS

With most scholars pursuing multi-year degrees, up to 75 scholars are on campus at any given time.

Meet two students in our 2023 cohort:

Agnès Totschnig

MSc, Mathematics and Statistics
Montréal, Québec

Agnès completed her bachelor's degree in mathematics and computer science at McGill. During her studies, she led a team to organize the university's largest annual hackathon and started a similar event in Nigeria. Agnès co-founded the diversity in the math club and participated in the equity, outreach, and student well-being committee.



Mohit Kumar

MA, Educational Leadership
Firozabad, India

Mohit graduated from Ashoka University, studying history, international relations, and Persian. Since 2019, he has been working to improve literacy in his community through Sarathi: The Guide. His project has expanded to mobilize 45 volunteers to support 850 students in 10 villages. Mohit also worked as a residence assistant mentor, held several other jobs, and volunteered as a peer tutor.



Funded in perpetuity, the **McCall MacBain Scholarships** are the result of a \$200-million gift by John and Marcy McCall MacBain and their Foundation in 2019. At the time, it was the largest single donation in Canadian history.



We want to meet you!

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