



# Athabasca University General Faculties Council

## Student Awards Committee

Approved minutes for Meeting 28 of the Student Awards Committee held on asynchronously on September 10, 2018.

Present: Richard MacLeod (Chair), Rose Schroeder, Teresa Rose, Shandip Saha, Frederique Pivot, Natasha Donahue, Meaghan Sullivan

Governance Staff: Eileen Hendy (Recording Secretary)

### 1. ACTION ITEMS

**1.1 Action** Approve the description and criteria for the Alberta Blue Cross Health and Wellness Graduate Award.

**Motion 28-01** That the Student Awards Committee approves the description and criteria for the Alberta Blue Cross Health and Wellness Graduate Award, effective September 15, 2018, as follows;

**Name of Award:** Alberta Blue Cross Health and Wellness Graduate Award

**Donor:** Alberta Blue Cross

**Proposed Schedule:** November 15th

**Amount:** \$1500

The Alberta Blue Cross Health and Wellness Graduate Award was established to support the study of health promotion, community involvement and careers in health and wellness amongst AU graduate students enrolled in the Master of Counselling, Master of Health Studies or Master of Nursing program.

**Application Criteria:**

- Active Program Student in MC, MHS or MN
- Has successfully completed at least 6 AU graduate courses applicable to their program of study
- Resident of Alberta
- Has not been a previous recipient of the Alberta Blue Cross Health and Wellness Graduate Award

**Selection Criteria:**

- Evaluation of essay submission (maximum 500 words), which must be focused on public health, community health, health promotion, chronic disease management, mental wellness or physical well-being.
- Essay should explain how their course work and/or thesis research supports health and wellness or how their graduate studies are assisting them in their employment in the field of health and wellness.

**Pivot**

**Carried**

**1.2 Action** Approve changes to the eligible programs of study and selection criteria for the Chartered Professionals in Human Resources Scholarship.

**Motion 28-02** That the Student Awards Committee approves changes to the eligible programs of study and selection criteria for the Chartered Professionals in Human Resources Scholarship, effective August 31, 2018, as follows;



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### Eligible Programs of Study:

#### From:

- Bachelor of Management HRM
- Bachelor of Human Resources and Labour Relations
- University Certificate in Human Resources and Labour Relations

#### To:

- Bachelor of Management HRM
- Bachelor of Human Resources and Labour Relations

### AND

### Selection Criteria:

**From:** Preference will be given to those actively pursuing a career in Human Resources who are contributing to community and/or student affairs and to individuals who are CPHR of AB members.

**To:** Preference will be given to those actively pursuing a career in Human Resources and who are contributing to community and/or student affairs.

The award description and criteria will read as follows:

**Name of Award:** Chartered Professionals in Human Resources Scholarship

**Donor:** Chartered Professionals in Human Resources, Alberta

**Proposed Schedule:** October 15<sup>th</sup> Annually

**Amount:** \$1500

Awarded annually to a student enrolled in one of the Athabasca University (AU) undergraduate programs that focus on human resources.

### Conditions of Eligibility

- Current AU student in one of the applicable HR related programs listed below;
  - Bachelor of Management-Human Resources Management (BMAN HRM)
  - Bachelor of Human Resources and Labour Relations (BHRLR),
- AU GPA of 3.00 or higher
- Completed at least 9 AU credits towards current program
- An Alberta resident

### Selection Criteria

Preference will be given to those actively pursuing a career in Human Resources and who are contributing to community and/or student affairs.

**Pivot**

**Carried**