

UBC International Scholars Program awards Nomination for Gleneagle Secondary School

UBC's International Scholars have the potential to make a difference in the world.

They are high academic achievers who have demonstrated exceptional extracurricular activities, show a desire to create global change, and they are dedicated to giving back to their schools and communities.

Four prestigious need-and-merit-based awards are available through UBC's International Scholars Program. UBC offers approximately 50 scholarships each year across all four awards. You won't select which award you wish to receive when you submit your application – the UBC team will automatically consider you for the awards that you are eligible for.

Karen McKellin International Leader of Tomorrow Award

This award recognizes international undergraduate students who demonstrate superior academic achievement, exceptional leadership skills, involvement in student affairs and community service, andrecognized achievement in other key areas.

Donald A. Wehrung International Student Award

This award recognizes outstanding international undergraduate students from impoverished or war-tornareas who have achieved academic excellence under challenging circumstances, and who would be unable to attend university without significant financial assistance.

International Impact Award

This award is offered to exceptional students who have expressed commitment to and solutions for socialjustice issues, climate change, equity and inclusion, societal health and wellness, and freedom of expression.

Vantage One Excellence Award*

This award is offered by UBC Vantage College for academically outstanding international students whodo not yet meet the English Language Admission Standard for direct admission to UBC . The awards range in value up to the full cost of a student's academic program and living expenses.

Eligibility for the Program

- You must be an international student who will be studying in Canada on a Canadian study permit.
- You must be applying for your first undergraduate degree.
- You must demonstrate superior academic achievement (achieve all As or equivalent standard).
- You must demonstrate a level of financial need** that would otherwise prevent you from pursuing a UBC degree. (UBC automatically considers all international students for the merit-based *International Major Entrance Scholarships* and *Outstanding International Student Awards* scholarships.
- You must *meet UBC's admission requirements*, including general and degree-specific requirements and the *English Language Admission Standard*.

*You will be considered for the Vantage One Excellence Award if:

- All previous eligibility criteria apply, except you must not yet meet UBC's English Language Admission Standard for direct admission to UBC.
- You must meet the UBC Vantage College admission requirements, including the English requirements for Vantage College.
- You must be coming directly from high school
- You must be beginning your undergraduate studies at UBC in the UBC Vantage OneProgram.

**Please note: If you apply for the International Scholars Program, you will <u>not</u> be considered for merit-based awards, including <u>International Major Entrance Scholarships</u> and <u>Outstanding International Student Awards</u>.

Nomination and Application Processes

- Gleneagle Scholarship committee will select:
 - <u>Three</u> (3) international graduating students for nomination for UBC Vancouver;
 and
 - One (1) international graduating student for nomination for UBC Okanagan.
- Valued up to the full cost of a student's academic program and living expenses. The value of each award is dependent on the recipient's financial need.
- Scholarship is tenable only at the University of British Columbia
- You must be nominated by your school and apply to undergraduate studies at the University of British Columbia 2023.
- Once you've been nominated <u>and</u> have applied to the University of British Columbia, you will need to submit your award application by **December 1st, 2022.**
- You must meet UBC's English Language Admission Standard for direct-entry, or the English Language requirement for UBC Vantage College if you have applied to a *Vantage One program* and are hoping to be considered for the *Vantage One Excellent Award*.

Submission of Documentation for Nomination

- 1. A cover letter, which indicates the way that you meet the criteria:
 - a high achiever in both academic and creative pursuits,
 - a recognized leader at Gleneagle who had made an impact on the school <u>and</u> the community, and
 - who demonstrates *potential to contribute to the global community*.
- 2. Financial Need form
- 3. A Transcript.

Completed application to Ms. Chau in-person and/or by email by **Monday, October 17, 2022 @4PM**