



# Atlantic Credit Unions Special 2012 International Year of Co-operatives Commemorative Bursary

2012 was designated the International Year of Co-operatives by the United Nations. In honour of this, Atlantic credit unions are pleased to sponsor eight (8) special one-time \$1000 bursaries for Atlantic post-secondary students. Two (2) bursaries will be awarded per province.

## Bursary Eligibility

- Open to students pursuing post-secondary education at an accredited university or college in Canada.
- Students must have lived in Atlantic Canada for at least one (1) year as of the application deadline.
- Two (2) bursaries will be awarded to students in each of the Atlantic Provinces: New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia, and Newfoundland and Labrador.
- Student must demonstrate involvement in co-operative or credit union activities.
- Student must demonstrate community involvement and leadership.
- Student must demonstrate academic aptitude and commitment.
- Student must demonstrate financial need.

## Submitting Applications

### By Mail:

Atlantic Credit Unions IYC Bursary  
c/o Atlantic Central  
PO Box 9200  
6074 Lady Hammond Road,  
Halifax, NS B3K 5N3  
Fax: (902) 484-6771

### By Email:

Copies of the application can be sent via email to [communications@atlanticcentral.ca](mailto:communications@atlanticcentral.ca). Your submission from your email address will be considered to constitute an official signature.

Before mailing please ensure your application is accompanied by:

- \_\_\_ A copy of your post-secondary institution acceptance letter or other proof of enrolment
- \_\_\_ A transcript of your 2012 (or 2011) marks
- \_\_\_ A portfolio, if applicable

**Deadline for receipt of applications is 1:00 pm, August 1, 2012**

**Awards will be announced September 15, 2012**







**BUDGET**

**What is your proposed budget for the coming academic year:**

<b>Source of Funds</b>	_____	<b>Use of Funds</b>	_____
Personal Saving	_____	Tuition fees	_____
Employment Savings	_____	Books & supplies	_____
Family Contributions	_____	Room & Board	_____
Other bursaries or scholarships	_____	Transportation	_____
Other funds (specify) (excluding student loans)	_____	Clothing	_____
	_____	Other expenses	_____
Total income/funds	\$ _____	Total Expenses	\$ _____

**Will you be living:**     at home     in residence     in an apartment     boarding

**Please list any other bursaries or scholarships you have been awarded for the 2012-2013 school year:**

_____	_____
Name of scholarship/bursary	Amount
_____	_____
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_____	_____
Name of scholarship/bursary	Amount
	_____
	TOTAL Amount

**Where did you hear about the Atlantic Credit Unions Special 2012 International Year of Co-operatives Bursary?**

- \_\_\_\_\_ **Website** (indicate which website \_\_\_\_\_)
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Credit Union** (indicate which Credit Union \_\_\_\_\_)
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Newspaper Ad** (indicate which paper \_\_\_\_\_)
- \_\_\_\_\_ **School / Teacher / Guidance Counsellor**
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Other** (indicate how \_\_\_\_\_)

**REFERENCES**

*Please list the names of three individuals who know you well and whom the Bursary Trustees may contact about your cooperative and community involvement and work ethic. You may include teachers, clergy, employers, Credit Union managers or other professionals. You may NOT include family members.*

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1. **Name** Address

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Occupation Telephone#

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2. **Name** Address

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Occupation Telephone #

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3. **Name** Address

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Occupation Telephone #

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Applicant's Signature

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Date

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**Only complete application forms will be considered for the bursary award. Additional forms can be downloaded from [AtlanticCreditUnions.ca](http://AtlanticCreditUnions.ca)**

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