

## Scotia Scholars<sup>OM</sup> Awards (Master's) 2018 - 2019 Recipients

The Scotia Scholars<sup>OM</sup> Award is intended to provide financial support to high caliber trainees engaged in health research related academic study at Nova Scotia universities. The goal of the Scotia Scholars Award is to support the development of the next generation of highly qualified health researchers and leaders in the Nova Scotia health research enterprise, as well as encourage continued interest in health research careers.

Funds were allocated to Acadia University, Cape Breton University, Dalhousie University, Mount Saint Vincent University, Saint Mary's University and St. Francis Xavier University for Undergraduate, Master's and/or Doctoral level awards. The number and levels of awards issued are determined annually by each university. Applicants are evaluated by their institution based on their past academic, leadership, and research achievements.

### Funding

The value and duration of the 2018-19 Scotia Scholars<sup>OM</sup> Award (Master's) is up to \$10,000/ year for 1 or 2 years.

**Funded Recipients: 28**

**Total NSHRF Funding: \$346,833**

Recipient	Funding Amount	Term
<b>Catrina MacPhee</b> Psychology Acadia University  Supervisor: Anne Sophie Champod	\$20,000	2 years
<b>Chelsea Hudson</b> Psychology Acadia University  Supervisor: Diane Holmberg	\$20,000	2 years
<b>Rachel Frank</b> Psychology Acadia University  Supervisor: Lisa Price	\$10,000	1 year
<b>Ambreen Siddiqui</b> Chemistry Acadia University  Supervisor: Amitabh Jha	\$10,000	1 year
<b>Sabateeshan Mathavarajah</b> Pathology Dalhousie University  Supervisor: Graham Delleire	\$12,500	2 years

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<b>Recipient</b>	<b>Funding Amount</b>	<b>Term</b>
<b>Landon Getz</b> Microbiology and Immunology Dalhousie University  Supervisor: Nikhil Thomas	\$3,333	1 year
<b>Carter VanDerstine</b> Pathology Dalhousie University  Supervisor: Karen Bedard	\$10,000	1 year
<b>Alexandra Brown</b> Biochemistry and Molecular Biology Dalhousie University  Supervisor: David Langelaan	\$20,000	2 years
<b>Matthew Mallay</b> School of Biomedical Engineering Dalhousie University  Supervisor: Jeremy Brown	\$12,500	2 years
<b>Asal Yans</b> Medical Neuroscience Dalhousie University  Supervisor: Victor Rafuse	\$10,000	1 year
<b>Breanna Hargreaves</b> Microbiology and Immunology Dalhousie University  Supervisor: Jeanette Boudreau and Beata Derfalvi	\$10,000	1 year
<b>Meagan McKenna</b> Pharmacology Dalhousie University  Supervisor: Jason MacDougall	\$10,000	1 year
<b>Leah Carrier</b> School of Nursing Dalhousie University  Supervisor: Marsha Campbell-Yeo	\$20,000	2 years
<b>Samiah Alam</b> Community Health and Epidemiology Dalhousie University  Supervisor: Leah Cahill	\$20,000	2 years
<b>Emma Vanderlee</b> School of Nursing Dalhousie University  Supervisor: Megan Aston	\$20,000	2 years

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<b>Scott Holman</b> Pharmacology Dalhousie University  Supervisor: George Robertson	\$12,500	2 years
<b>Emily Rosta</b> Community Health and Epidemiology Dalhousie University  Supervisor: Leah Cahill and Yukiko Asada	\$12,500	2 years
<b>Elizabeth Myles</b> Psychology and Neuroscience Dalhousie University  Supervisor: Tara Perrot	Honourary	
<b>Noelle Ozog</b> School of Nursing Dalhousie University  Supervisor: Audrey Steenbeek	\$10,000	1 year
<b>Ksenia Kholina</b> Applied Human Nutrition Mount Saint Vincent University  Supervisor: Kyly Whitfield	\$20,000	2 years
<b>Kelly O'Neil</b> Gerontology Mount Saint Vincent University  Supervisor: Katie Aubrecht	\$10,000	1 year
<b>Erik Vandenboer</b> Applied Human Nutrition Mount Saint Vincent University  Supervisor: Bohdan Luhovyy	\$12,500	2 years
<b>Jelisa Gallant</b> Applied Human Nutrition Mount Saint Vincent University  Supervisor: Kyly Whitfield	\$20,000	2 years
<b>Rachael Jones-Chick</b> Psychology Saint Mary's University  Supervisor: Edward Kelloway	\$10,000	1 year
<b>Alicia McVarnock</b> Psychology Saint Mary's University  Supervisor: Leanna Closson	\$2,500	1 year

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<b>Lazaro M. Castanedo</b> Physics and Chemistry Saint Mary's University  Supervisor: Cherif Matta	\$10,000	1 year
<b>Sarah Moss</b> Psychology Saint Mary's University  Supervisor: Skye Stephens	\$8,500	1 year
<b>Maxwell Poole</b> CN Centre for Occupational Health and Safety Saint Mary's University  Supervisor: Ethan Pancer	\$10,000	1 year

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