

Barrie I Strafford Doctoral Scholarship for Interdisciplinary Studies on Aging

The Brenda Strafford Centre on Aging's mission is to enhance the health of older adults and better inform public policy with regard to aging-related issues through coordinated research, teaching and learning and community outreach efforts. This scholarship was established in honour of Dr Barrie Strafford and his commitment to improving the lives of older adults.

DONOR:	Brenda Strafford Centre on Aging
FIELD OF STUDY:	Interdisciplinary research on older adults and the aging population
VALUE:	\$30,000
NUMBER:	One
DURATION:	Two years
ELIGIBILITY:	Open to students registered full-time in a doctoral program in the Faculty of Graduate Studies.

In addition to the research proposal, students must submit a brief statement (500 words or less) describing (i) how their research is shaped by an interdisciplinary perspective (i.e., methodology, composition of supervisory committee, community partnerships, etc.); and (ii) ways that their project may contribute to improving the lives of older adults and/or optimizing conditions that support aging well at a population level.

Students are expected to apply for all provincial, national and external awards they are eligible for. Students who win other awards will have the Strafford Scholarship adjusted for a combined value of \$40,000 during the tenure of both awards.

Recipients will receive a \$2,500 research allowance per annum. The research allowance is reserved to cover costs associated with special equipment, conferences and/or travel in direct connection with the research. In order to receive the allowance, students must submit a letter to gsaward@ucalgary.ca outlining the proposed use of funds. This statement must be signed by the supervisor approving the use. No receipts are required.

CITIZENSHIP:	Unrestricted
WHERE TENABLE:	University of Calgary, Faculty of Graduate Studies

- NOMINATION PROCESS:** Special Awards
- APPLY:** Students should consult the Graduate Award Competition Guidelines and Application at <http://grad.ucalgary.ca/awards/opportunities/gac>
- DEADLINE:** February 1 to the candidate's graduate program office, unless the program has an earlier deadline

FINAL Terms of Reference 1.5
Approved by Dean: June 27, 2017
Pre-approved by AOC: June 20, 2017

Fund Type: Annual
First Award: 2018
Competition: Special Award
Current as of: June 25, 2018