

Ontario Education Chairman's Annual Report – 2021/2022

Current Sponsored Scholarships:

This year has been another successful year of educational sponsorship for the Ontario Chapter. The colleges who award bursaries, in the Society's name, include Canadore College in North Bay, St. Lawrence College in Kingston/ Brockville/ Cornwall, Niagara College in Niagara-on-the-Lake & Welland, Fanshawe College in London/Woodstock, Conestoga College in Kitchener, Seneca College in Toronto, and Durham College in Oshawa, St. Clair College in Windsor / Chatham and Georgian College in Owen Sound / Barrie, and our latest sponsorship, Sheridan College, in Brampton/Oakville. To date, since 1996, over \$350,000.00 is being held as endowment capital, in the name of CHES-Ontario, towards scholarships in (10) Ontario Colleges. The deserving recipients of the CHES-Ontario scholarship awards were presented by CHES members whom were able to attend ceremonies during covid. I would like to thank our members whom helped in those presentations to the deserving recipients.

Canadore College, North Bay	All awards have been presented to the successful applicant(s) by either a CHES member or by the College directly. CHES Ontario receives thank you letters from the respective selected recipient(s) winners expressing their thank you and support especially through this difficult time of COVID-19.
Fanshawe College, London	
Niagara College, Welland/Niagara	
St. Lawrence College, Kingston/Cornwall/Brockville	
Conestoga College, Kitchener	
Seneca College, Toronto	
Durham College, Oshawa	
St. Clair College, Chatham/Windsor	
Georgian College, Barrie/Owen Sound	
Sheridan College, Oakville	

These recipients, as well as the Colleges, have expressed their appreciation to our Society for our sponsorship, in awards like ours, to help them in their career establishment.

Current Education Tuition Applications Pending:

The Ches-Ont. Executive encourages members to take advantage of the generous opportunity for tuition reimbursement, for themselves as well as their family members. Applications are available by applying to the CHES web site or to the Education Chairman (derek.lall@lhsc.on.ca)

Education Events:

COVID -19 Webinars have occurred with panelists across Canada to discuss relevant topics related to COVID-19, Isolation Room Design, Infection Control during New Construction, Managing Virus Threats with Proper Air Filtration and changes in hospital's and Long-Term care Facilities. CHES Ont. had different CHES Executive Chapter members as part of the panels or moderating these sessions.

IFHE Conference

Student participation at the upcoming IFHE conference is expected. Numbers are not clear at this time due to summer holidays. In September, an email blast will be sent to the colleges we provide bursaries to communicate the conference and the offerings available for the students to attend.

Ontario Chapter Rick Anderson Family Bursary:

The eighth year for the Ontario Chapter Family Bursary and the 3rd year of the award being renamed to the Rick Anderson Family Bursary, recipients have been awarded \$1000.00 scholarships, to Regular or Associate Members, whose immediate family member qualified, under the protocol guidelines. The winners are Rashid Hussein, Kailyn Burke, and Kurt Bartlett.

I have attached pictures of the winning recipients as we were not able to present the awards in person.



Kurt Bartlett



Kailyn Burke with her Father, Paul Burke



Rashid Hussein and his father Faris Hussein