

2026-2027 University Recruitment Program



ADMISSIBILITY CRITERIA

2026-2027 University Recruitment Bursary Program

\$10,000 bursaries distributed over a five-year period

OBJECTIVE:

TO ENCOURAGE THE BEST STUDENT-ATHLETES ELIGIBLE TO ATTEND UNIVERSITY AND BEST COMBINE THEIR SPORT AND THEIR STUDIES IN A QUEBEC INSTITUTION

Who:

STUDENT-ATHLETES WHO ARE ENTERING THEIR FIRST YEAR OF UNIVERSITY ELIGIBILITY WHO WISH TO ENROLL IN A QUEBEC UNIVERSITY TEAM, PART OF THE QUEBEC AND/OR CANADIAN UNIVERSITY NETWORK.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

- BE OFFICIALLY ENROLLED AS A FULL-TIME STUDENT IN SEPTEMBER 2026 OR JANUARY 2027, IN A QUEBEC UNIVERSITY BELONGING TO THE QUEBEC UNIVERSITY SPORTS NETWORK (RSEQ), WHICH IS PART OF THE QUEBEC AND/OR CANADIAN UNIVERSITY NETWORK;
- BE BORN IN QUEBEC OR HAVE BEEN A QUEBEC RESIDENT FOR THE LAST TWO (2) YEARS;
- BE A PART OF A UNIVERSITY TEAM WHICH IS PART OF THE QUEBEC AND/OR CANADIAN UNIVERSITY NETWORK;
- BE 21 YEARS OF AGE OR YOUNGER ON SEPTEMBER 1ST, 2026;
- IN THE EVENT THAT A STUDENT-ATHLETE WITHDRAWS FROM HIS/HER UNIVERSITY TEAM, HE/SHE IS DISQUALIFIED AND WILL AUTOMATICALLY FORFEIT THE BURSARY WITHOUT EXCEPTION.

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SELECTION CRITERIA:

- NATIONAL AND PROVINCIAL TEAM SELECTIONS
- INDIVIDUAL HONOURS AND RECORDS AT REGIONAL, QUÉBEC AND CANADIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS
- INDIVIDUAL HONOURS IN RESPECTIVE LEAGUES
- EVALUATION AND RANKING OF EACH ATHLETE WILL BE COMPLETED BY THEIR RESPECTIVE SPORT FEDERATION

THE RECIPIENTS WILL BE CHOSEN BY THE FOUNDATION'S SELECTION COMMITTEE. THE BURSARIES WILL NOT NECESSARILY BE DISTRIBUTED EVENLY BY SPORT, ONLY THE BEST CANDIDATES WILL BE SELECTED.

APPLY NOW

The deadline to submit an application is March 1st, 2026

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