

CANADIAN SCHOLARSHIP RESOURCES AVAILABLE FOR STUDY AT THE HEBREW UNIVERSITY OF JERUSALEM

CANADA WIDE

1. *Canadian Friends of the Hebrew University*

Israel Asper National Scholarship Fund

Open to Canadian citizens and landed immigrants of Canada.

Based on financial need.

Awards range from \$1,000.00 - \$8,000.00

Scholarship application form is included with application package, or can be downloaded from www.cfhu.org Click onto Academic Information and then scholarships, or available upon request.

All applicants must provide full family tax returns for the taxation year prior to application year.

Deadline for applications: The first Friday in May.

The Joe Ain Memorial Scholarship

Available to any Canadian student who has participated in the March of the Living.

Interested applicants should submit a separate written request for consideration attached to their scholarship application to the Canadian Friends of the Hebrew University. Your March of the Living experience and its personal impact should be described in one page.

2. *The Morris M. Pulver Scholarship Fund*

Apply in writing to: UJA Federation of Greater Toronto
The Morris M. Pulver Scholarship Fund
4600 Bathurst Street – 5th Floor
Toronto, ON M2R 3V2

Available for programs of at least one year

Based on financial need.

Tax returns are required.

Applications available: Call Saleena Shareef at 416-635-2883 ext. 244 or email sshareef@ujafed.org

Deadline: May 1

Ontario residents studying at University of Toronto or York University are directed to apply to the appropriate awards office at that University as described in the section pertaining to Ontario scholarships.

3. *B'nai Brith*

No formal fund.

Students may apply through home lodge and/or Hillel offices at your local University.

4. *National Council of Jewish Women*

Irene Samuel Scholarship

Available to students studying teacher training and/or Judaic studies.

Must teach in a Jewish school in Canada for 2 years upon completion of studies.

Applications available from: National Council of Jewish Women of Canada

118 – 1588 Main Street

Winnipeg, MB R2V 1Y3

204 – 339 – 9700

www.ncjwc.org

5. *Canadian Zionist Federation*

Hebrew Culture of Canada – Dr. Leon Aryeh Kronitz Memorial Scholarship Program

The Hebrew Culture of Canada Dr. Leon Aryeh Kronitz Memorial Scholarship Program was created to assist the training in Israel of young Canadian Jews who will provide service to the Canadian Jewish Community.

This scholarship program is directed towards recent high school graduates, university students, or graduate students pursuing teacher training or general studies in Israel.

Candidates must be Canadian citizens, recommended by three individuals, one of whom must be the student's high school principal, be accepted to study in Israel for at least one year by a post-secondary program recognized by the Israel Ministry of Education, and be able to demonstrate financial need (to be attested by the student's principal).

Apply to: Israel Studies Assistance Program Committee
C/O Hebrew Culture of Canada
1 Carre Cummings Square
Room 206
Montreal, Quebec H3W 1M6 czfnational@fedcjamtl.org

6. *Synagogue Funds*

Many synagogues have funds for higher Jewish education offered to members of the congregation.

7. *Hebrew University of Jerusalem*

Lady Davis Fellowship Trust Fund

Awards for study, research or teaching on doctoral, post-doctoral or professional levels.
Based on excellence in studies.

Grant covers cost of travel, tuition fees, and living expenses.

Application due November 30 for the following academic year.

Applications available from: Lady Davis Fellowship Trust
The Hebrew University, Givat Ram Campus
P.O. Box 1255
Jerusalem, Israel 91904

Golda Meir Fellowship Fund

Awards for study, research or teaching on graduate and post-Doctoral levels at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem.

Covers travel costs, tuition fees (where applicable) and reasonable living expenses

Applications due November 30 for the following academic year.

Applications available from: University Funds
The Hebrew University of Jerusalem
P.O. Box 1255
Jerusalem, Israel 91904

J. David Blazouske Memorial Doctoral Fellowship Fund

Available to qualified citizens of Canada, the United Kingdom, or the United States who

are pursuing Doctoral studies in business, economics or a related field at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem.

This endowment fund is designed to attract doctoral students of outstanding academic achievement from the above countries to the Hebrew University to pursue doctoral studies in the above fields.

For an application, contact:

Mr. Joel Alpert
Academic Secretary
The Hebrew University of Jerusalem
Mt. Scopus, Sherman Building
Jerusalem, Israel 91905

Undergraduate Merit Scholarship

A limited number of merit awards are being offered to highly qualified candidates from universities throughout the world.

Each scholarship is worth U.S. \$10,000. To be considered, candidates must have completed at least three semester of university study, have a minimum GPA of 3.8 or equivalent and must be admitted to the One Year Program at the Rothberg International School. Students with exceptional academic qualifications, admitted for a single semester, will also be considered for an award of U.S. \$5,000.

For more information about this scholarship email undergrad@mssc.huji.ac.il and for an application form, click on http://overseas.huji.ac.il/scholar_merit_under.pdf

Please submit the application to: **Rothberg International School**
The Hebrew University of Jerusalem
Division of Undergraduate Studies
Boyar Building Room 426
Mount Scopus, Jerusalem 91905

Graduate Merit Scholarship

A limited number of Merit Fellowships for Graduate Students are being offered to outstanding candidates from around the world who wish to study at the Rothberg International School. Each fellowship is worth US \$15,000. Candidates must have completed their undergraduate degree and have a minimum grade-point average (GPA) of 3.8 or its equivalent. Any candidate to one of the School's M.A. programs or the Graduate

Year Program may apply. Priority will be given to candidates for the M.A. programs, who will be eligible for a two-year fellowship of US \$15,000 each year, conditional upon maintenance of academic performance.

For further information, please contact the Rothberg International School Division of Graduate studies at graduate@mscc.huji.ac.il

8. *Meyer Gasner Memorial Scholarship*

Available to graduates of Jewish high schools.

Students must be in Jewish teacher training program:

For applications: UJA Federation of Greater Toronto
4600 Bathurst Street – 5th Floor
Toronto, ON M2R 3V2
416 – 635 – 2883 ext. 116 for Miriam Daniels
email: mdaniels@ujafed.org

9. *The Dennis Waldman Foundation for Jewish Education*

The Waldman Scholarship

Offered to students graduating from high school and continuing in Jewish Studies at university.

Based on academic achievement and extra-curricular activities and community service.

For applications: SF Group
4950 Yonge Street
Suite 400
Toronto, ON M2N 6K1
Attention: Mr. Jason Crystal (416) 250 - 1212

10. *Memorial Foundation for Jewish Culture*

Offered for independent scholarly, literary or artistic projects.

Assistance is based upon one's living expenses from \$1,000 - \$4,000 U.S.

Apply to: Memorial Foundation for Jewish Culture
15 East 26th Street
New York, New York 10010

Phone: (212) 679 – 4074

11. *Canadian Government Student Loans*

Based on financial need.

Repayable after graduation from university.

For application: Canada Student Loans Program

Secretary of State

P.O. Box 2090, Postal Station “O”

Ottawa, ON K1P 6C6

Or from your university’s financial aid office.

12. *MASA Scholarship*

Masa, the project for long term programs in Israel, a joint initiative of The Jewish Agency for Israel and the Government of Israel, will be providing personal scholarships (depending on your country of origin and your financial situation) for any of the over 100 programs that enable you to get the full experience of Israel.

[Click here to download the application in PDF.](#)

13. *The Jeff Seidel Jewish Student Centre Scholarship*

Jeff Seidel’s Jewish Student Centre offers student scholarships of \$400 - \$600 towards air fare to Israel for a minimum stay of 3 weeks to study at one of their Jewish learning programs.

This scholarship can also be used for a ticket for students who will be studying at any of the overseas programs who are interested in learning for 3 weeks before the semester begins.

You can find more information and apply at www.scholarshpstoisrael.com

BRITISH COLUMBIA

1. *The Mona Leith Scholarship Endowment for Students from British Columbia or*

Western Canada

Open to British Columbia students for full year studies at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem.

Based on need and community service.

Only if no suitable applicant from British Columbia is available will students from other western provinces be considered.

Interested students should submit a separate written request for consideration attached to their scholarship application submitted to the Canadian Friends of the Hebrew University.

2. *Scholarship for Israel Experience from the Israel Affairs Department at the Jewish Federation of Greater Vancouver.*

Open to Jewish residents of British Columbia between the ages of 14-26

Priority will be given to applicants making their first trip to Israel.

For more information, visit www.jfgv.com, click on Israel and download the scholarship application.

3. *The Freda Thau Memorial Scholarship for Undergraduate Students*

Open to British Columbia students for undergraduate studies based on merit and need at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem.

Interested students should submit a separate written request for consideration attached to their scholarship application submitted to the Canadian Friends of the Hebrew University.

ALBERTA

1. *The Alberta Scholarship Programs*

Information and applications available through:

Alberta Scholarship Programs

Box 2800

Stn. Main

Edmonton, Alberta T5J 4R4

www.alis.gov.ab.ca/scholarships

2. *University of Calgary*

International Information Centre

Pick up application from the office.

3. *Sir James Lougheed Award of Distinction*

Offered to graduate students who qualify as Alberta residents to study in a graduate program outside of the province of Alberta.

Based on academic excellence.

Deadline: February 1

Award for M.A. level - \$10,000.00

Award for Ph.D. level - \$15,000.00

Apply to: Director of Alberta Scholarship Programs

Students Finance Board

Box 2800, Stn. Main

Edmonton, Alberta T5J 4P9

4. *The Dr. Martha R. Cohen Endowment for Perpetual Student Aid*

Open to Canadian citizens or landed immigrants with preference for applicants from Alberta for full year studies at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem.

Based on financial need.

Interested students should submit a separate written request for consideration attached to their scholarship application submitted to the Canadian Friends of the Hebrew University.

SASKATCHEWAN

The Jerold and Lorraine Birstein Endowment for Perpetual Student Aid for Canadian Students.

Open to students from Saskatchewan (preferably Regina) for full year studies at The Hebrew University.

Only if no suitable applicant from Saskatchewan is available will students from other provinces be considered.

Interested students should submit a separate written request for consideration attached to their scholarship application submitted to the Canadian Friends of the Hebrew University.

The Ray Hnatyshyn Scholarship

Open to students from Saskatchewan.

Please contact Louise Lamontagne at (306) 249 – 3714 or call the Canadian Friends of the Hebrew University office in Toronto at: 1-888-HEBREWU or 416-485—1222 for more information about this scholarship.

MANITOBA

1. *The Israel Asper Travelling Scholarship Fund*

Offered by the Winnipeg Chapter of the Canadian Friends of the Hebrew University.

Applications available at:

Winnipeg Chapter of the Canadian Friends of the Hebrew University

880 – 167 Lombard Avenue

Winnipeg, MB R3B 0V3

Tel: (204)942 – 3085 email: bgurvey@cfhu.org

Deadline for Application: April 15

2. *The Jewish Foundation of Manitoba*

For students engaged in community based social studies in any accredited program in Israel.

Based on financial need, academic achievement, and community involvement.

Apply to: The Jewish Foundation of Manitoba

C400 – 123 Doncaster Road

Winnipeg, MB R3N 2B2

(204) 477 – 7520

3. *The Mr. and Mrs. Max Shore Travelling Scholarship*

The financial assistance is for University of Manitoba students. It covers travelling expenses up to \$2,000.00

Only one student per year may receive a scholarship from this source.

To apply, contact Professor Moshe Nahir, Head of Judaic Studies at the University of Manitoba.

(204) 474 – 9623

Application to be received by April 30

4. *University of Winnipeg*

Scholarships available to students studying social sciences, history or politics.
Opportunities for study in Israel are available as a six week or a one year program.
An application form is available from the Awards office at the University of Winnipeg.
Must have completed 30 credits and be returning to complete their degree and must have a minimum average of 3.0 or better on all courses completed.

Contact: Judy Dyck
(204)786 – 9459

5. *University of Manitoba*

The Berdie and Irvin Cohen Scholarship
Contact the scholarship and finance department.

6. *Hillel and UJC Fellows*

For students at Rothberg International School interested in the Ukraine Program.
www.hillel.org

ONTARIO

Thanks to the Matching Funds initiative of the Ontario Government, Ontario residents studying at the following Ontario universities will be eligible for financial assistance through the Canadian Friends of the Hebrew University Scholarship Endowment at these Universities:

McMaster University

Contact: Elizabeth Seymour: Manager of Scholarships and Bursaries,
Tel: (905)525 – 9140 ext. 24528. Website: sfas@mcmaster.ca – go to Bursaries.

Queen's University

Contact: Jeanna Faul at the Student Awards Office, Victoria School Building
Tel: (613)533-2216
Fax: (613)533-6049 email: awards@Post.QueensU.CA
Web: <http://www.queensu.ca//registrar/awards/index/html>

Application should be made to the Associate University Registrar by March 31

University of Guelph

Contact: Awards Office, University Centre 3rd Floor, Bonnie Palmer
Tel: (613)562 – 5734 ext. 52868

University of Ottawa

Contact: Financial Aid & Awards Service, 85 University Avenue, Room 123
Tel: (613)562-5734 Fax: (613)562 – 5155 email: awards@uottawa.ca

University of Toronto

Contact: Miranda Cheng: International Student Exchange Office, Room 202, 214 College Street.
Tel: (416)946 – 3091 email: miranda.cheng@utoronto.ca

University of Waterloo

Contact: Susan King: Jewish Studies Program Tel: (519)888 – 4567 ext: 2967
Email: s2king@uwaterloo.ca

University of Western Ontario

Contact Rachel Harder, Exchange Coordinator, Tel: 519-661-2111, ext. 85196.

York University

Contact: Merle Lightman, Department of Jewish Studies Tel: (416)736 - 5823
Email: michaelb@yorku.ca Fax: (416)736 – 5344

Or

Marty Lockshin: lockshin@yorku.ca

Or

Amber Burkett, York International, 201B York Lanes Tel: (416)736 – 2100 ext. 77623
Email: exchange@yorku.ca Web: <http://international.yorku.ca> (then enter country profiles – Israel).

Please Note: Students applying for the Canadian Friends of the Hebrew University/York University or the Canadian Friends of the Hebrew University/University of Toronto Scholarships are also applying for Pulver Fund/UJA Federation of Greater Toronto Scholarships.

Additional Scholarship Opportunities for Ontario Students:

Associated Hebrew Day School

Available to applicants who have attended at least 2 years at Associated Hebrew Day School and have graduated from a Jewish day high school.

Apply to: Scholarship Committee
 Associated Hebrew Schools of Toronto
 252 Finch Avenue West
 Toronto, ON M2R 1M9

For an application, please call 1-416-494-7666 extension 261
Application deadline is March 31.

Canadian Friends of the Hebrew University Scholarships for Ontario Students
Interested applicants should submit a separate written request for consideration attached to their scholarship application to the Canadian Friends of the Hebrew University for the two scholarships listed below.

Bialik Hebrew Day School

The Marina Goldfarb Yabrov Scholarship open to Bialik graduates studying in Israel.

For further information, please call Sonia Shron at 416-793-3346.

The Israel Becker Memorial Scholarship

Available to a CHAT graduate applying to the One Year Program.
Involvement in extracurricular activities will be taken into consideration as well as financial need.

The Nicole Lev Memorial Scholarship

Available to a female student attending a university outside of Toronto who has taken at least one course in Jewish Studies. Preference will be given to Windsor, Ontario residents.

The Peter Bronfman Memorial Scholarship by GOODMAN AND CARR

Primary consideration given to students studying political science, international relations law, history or a related discipline.

UJA/Vaad Ha'ir Scholarship for Students Studying in Israel

For Ottawa students only.

Contact Person: Marty Davis
 21 Nadolny Sachs Private
 Ottawa, ON K2A 1R9

Phone: 798 – 4696 ext. 258

Email: mdavis@jccottawa.com

Beth Tzedec Men's Club Scholarship Fund

Offered to congregates of Beth Tzedec Synagogue and members of the Metropolitan Toronto Jewish Community and the Regional Municipality of York.

Awarded to pursue studies in University.

Apply to: Beth Tzedec Men's Club Scholarship Funds

Beth Tzedec Synagogue

1700 Bathurst Street

Toronto, ON M5P 3K3

For further information email lklingman@beth-tzedec.org

Stephen Cooper Award

Must be between the ages 20-30 and exhibit leadership qualities and commitment to the community, to further their education and advancement in a wide range of artistic, literary and social fields of study or work. This award shall be presented annually in the spring.

Deadline for applications is in February – confirm the date with the synagogue

Apply to the Beth Tzedec address listed above.

Kingston Chapter of Canadian Friends of the Hebrew University

For one student studying at Queen's University, or for students at any Canadian University whose families reside in Kingston or for any Kingston high school graduate planning to attend the Hebrew University.

Apply to: Canadian Friends of the Hebrew University

3080 Yonge Street

Suite 5024

Toronto, ON M4N 3N1

University of Toronto

The Coburn Award

\$20,000 to cover travel expenses, tuition and accommodation for one year at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem.

Open in the first place to students registered at Victoria College and then to students at any other college of the University of Toronto.

Students will be selected on the basis of academic excellence and their ability to benefit from study abroad. Students should have at least a Bt average (GPA 3.30).

For further information, please go to the following website: <http://www.vicu.utoronto.ca/registrar/scholarship/coburn.htm>

York University Scholarships

Offered through the Centre for Jewish Studies.

Contact phone number is 416 – 736 – 5823. For further information on scholarships available at York University visit their website at www.yorku.ca/cjs

Leonard Wolinsky Scholarship

Two scholarships awarded to York students for one year's full-time study in Jewish Studies at the Hebrew University. Value of the award is \$2,500.00.

For one of the scholarships, you must be an Ontario resident and show financial need.

Abraham Isaac Silver Scholarship

For full time study in Jewish Studies at the Hebrew University. Value of the award is \$500.00.

The Gertrude and Jack Friedman Memorial Award

Given annually to assist a York University student in Jewish Studies, preferably a graduate to pursue a program of study and/or research at an Israeli university. In the event that in any year no suitable candidate applies or no applicant is selected, the award may be given to a student for outstanding accomplishment in the field of Jewish Studies or Jewish Teacher Education. The value of the award is approximately \$900.00.

Max and Lena Sharp Foundation of the Shaarei Shomayim Congregation

Students must have completed 6 OAC's and plan to attend an institution of higher learning in Israel.

Awarded for one year only.

Value of scholarship varies from \$250 - \$750.

For application:

Allocation Committee

Max and Lena Sharp Foundation of Shaarei Shomayim Congregation

470 Glencairn Avenue

Toronto, ON M5N 1V8

(416) 789- 3213

Sarah Lithwick Green Endowment Fund

Preference given to a male graduate student in Jewish studies from Ottawa or Toronto. Interested applicants should submit a separate request in writing with their scholarship application submitted to the Canadian Friends of the Hebrew University.

Quebec

Jewish Community Foundation of Allied Jewish Community Services

Bernice and Gordon Brown Scholarship

To download an application form go to: www.jcfmtl.org/brown_application.pdf

To receive an application form call Marlene Brand at 345 – 2645 ext.3261

Send your completed application to:

Brown Scholarship

Jewish Community Foundation of Montreal

1 Cummings Square

Montreal, Quebec H3W 1M6

Deadline: Confirm date with the Jewish Community Foundation of Montreal.

Kronitz Scholarship Fund

Apply to the Canadian Zionist Federation.

Contact Person:

Mrs. Singer

514 – 739 - 7300

extension 3100

czfnational@fedcjamtl.org

Jewish Cultural Association of Montreal

A flexible fund to assist Quebec undergraduate and post-graduate students to attend University programs in Israel.

Special emphasis on teachers and students pursuing courses for community service.

Apply to: Federation CJA Israel Experience Grants Program

Contact: Roselyn: 514 – 345 – 2610 or email at roselynb@bjec.org

Federation CJA Israel Experience Grants Program

Open to students with a permanent address in Montreal.

Students must be between 14 and 24 years old.

Grants are based on need with a maximum of CDN \$3,500.00 for one year only.

Apply to: Federation CJA

Israel Experience Grants Program

5151 Cote St. Catherine Road

Montreal, Quebec H3W 1M6

Contact: Roselyn at 514-345-2610 or email at roselynb@bjec.org

The Phyllis and Bernard McGill Scholarship Fund

Open to all students attending McGill University.

Interested applicants should submit a separate request in writing with their scholarship application submitted to the Canadian Friends of the Hebrew University.

