



3M National Student Fellowships
 Prix d'excellence national
 3M pour les étudiants

Announcing the 2013 3M National Student Fellows



Anita Acai
 4th year
 (of 5 yr program)
 Biochemistry (Co-op),
 Honours,
 University of Guelph



**Ameena
 Bajer-Koulack**
 3rd year
 Environmental Science,
 University of Manitoba



Victoria Cowan
 3rd year
 English, Honours,
 University of
 Saskatchewan



Emerson Csorba
 3rd year
 Political Science,
 University of Alberta



Stephanie Doherty
 2nd year
 Environmental
 Engineering,
 University of Northern
 British Columbia



Rosa Lee
 4th year
 (of 5 yr program)
 Honours Arts and
 Science, Specializing
 in Psychology,
 Neuroscience, and
 Behaviour,
 McMaster University



Gaurav Sharma
 3rd year
 Bachelors of Science,
 Majoring in
 Neuroscience,
 and Minorng in
 Interdisciplinary
 Life Sciences,
 McGill University



Brianna Smrke
 3rd year
 Arts and Science,
 McMaster University



Tristan Smyth
 3rd year
 English Honours,
 Mount Royal University



Naythrah Thevathasan
 3rd year
 Bio-Medical
 Sciences, Honours,
 University of Guelph

The 3M National Student Fellowship Award was introduced in 2012 to honour undergraduate students in Canada who have demonstrated qualities of outstanding leadership and who embrace a vision where the quality of their educational experience can be enhanced in academia and beyond. Each candidate provided us with their definition of leadership in the context of his or her educational experience. We also asked applicants to explain why they aspired to leadership roles and to share a challenge in post-secondary education along with a proposed solution.

The award is open to undergraduates enrolled full-time in a college or university in Canada, and neither in the first nor the final year of their program.

This partnership between 3M Canada and STLHE is an exciting opportunity for students across Canada to distinguish themselves as part of a unique learning community.

Each of the ten winners receives a \$5,000 award, registration at the STLHE conference, this year hosted by Cape Breton University and host partner Canadian Coast Guard College, participation in a day-long retreat held in Sydney, Nova Scotia as

well as accommodation and funds towards travel to the conference. They are invited to take part in a collaborative project related to post-secondary education.

STLHE and 3M Canada will honour the Fellows formally at an awards ceremony on June 21st. Additionally, the 2013 3M National Student Fellows will lead a Plenary at the conference that day.

This year's cohort of 3M National Student Fellows continues the legacy that began in 2012 - a legacy that we know will assist many future years of undergraduate students across Canada.

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