

iders Teresa Jacinto Scholarship

The iders Teresa Jacinto Academic Scholarship was established in September 2012 by the principals of iders, Bradley Brown and David Fletcher, to acknowledge the significant contribution that the Manitoba Filipino community has made to iders success and growth.

Teresa Jacinto was iders' first Filipino employee hired in August, 2001 when iders expanded its operations to include electronics manufacturing. When the scholarship was established, over 30 individuals from the Filipino community numbered amongst our exceptionally talented staff of nearly one hundred.

The Teresa Jacinto Scholarship will be directed towards Manitoba Filipino youth who have been accepted by an accredited university for undergraduate, graduate, or post-graduate studies.

Each year, two \$1500 scholarships will be awarded. Primary selection criteria will be based on academic performance (grades), need, and field of study. As iders is a technical organization, priority will be placed on applicants pursuing technical studies, but all applicants pursuing any university studies will be welcome and considered.

The scholarship is open to all Manitoba Filipino youth who meet the criteria, including friends and relatives of iders staff members. Previous scholarship winners are welcome to re-apply, but priority will be given to first-time applicants.

Selection Process

Selection will be made by a committee comprised of iders principals and Filipino staff members and members from the community outside of iders.

The award decisions will be final – there will be no avenues for challenge or review. If a winning candidate fails to meet or maintain criteria (i.e. they lose university acceptance or drop their studies), the scholarship will be awarded to an alternate candidate selected by the committee.

All applicants will be notified of their results. As well, there will be announcements of winning candidates in various community journals, magazines, and heritage organizations.

In conjunction with our scholarship program promotion, iders Incorporated reserves the right to use the name, recent photo and personal essay of successful candidates without any claim for broadcasting, printing, royalty, or other rights.

For more information, please contact: scholarship@iders.ca

GENERAL INFORMATION

Provided by:	iders Incorporated
Number available:	2
Amount:	\$1500.00
Deadline for application:	October 31, 2016
Type of award:	Scholarship
Renewable:	Yes
Donor:	iders Incorporated

CRITERIA AND CONDITIONS

Region of study:	Manitoba
Financial Need Based:	Yes
Heritage:	Filipino
Citizenship:	Canadian

APPLICATION PROCESS

Applicant must submit the following items:

1. Completed application form, including the personal essay
2. Two (2) character references in the form of a letter of recommendation
3. A copy of your most recent transcript with cumulative grade point average

Send completed applications and all accompanying documents via **mail to:**

iders Incorporated
c/o Teresa Jacinto Scholarship Program
27047 Oakwood Rd.
Oakbank, Manitoba
R0E 1J2

Hand-delivered applications are acceptable.

Deadline for the application is **October 31, 2016**. Applications received after this date or incomplete applications will not be considered.

Scholarship recipients will be notified by: **November 15, 2016**.

Funds will be awarded **November 28, 2016** (pending proof of post-secondary school acceptance)

Special Provision: Scholarship funds will be issued directly to the recipient's campus and may not be used to pay back student loans of any kind.

Each Scholarship applicant is only eligible for ONE iders Scholarship

PERSONAL INFORMATION	
Last Name:	First Name:
Email address:	
Mailing address:	
Daytime Phone Number:	
Cell Phone Number:	
Date of Birth:	
I certify that I am a Canadian Citizen or a permanent resident of Canada.	
Signed:	

EDUCATION	
Current or most recent school I am enrolled in:	
School address:	
School I will be attending:	
During Summer or Fall/Winter:	
Level of study:	
Field(s) of study:	
Year of study:	
Course load: (Full-time or Part-time)	
What is your major/degree:	Cumulative GPA:
<i>Proof of acceptance or current student enrolment from the above school is required prior to distribution of funds.</i>	

FINANCIAL INFORMATION	
List other financial assistance that you will receive per semester or quarter:	
1. Personal:	Amount:
2. Other Scholarships: Details:	Amount:
3. Student Loan(s): Details:	Amount:
4. Other Financial Resources: Details:	Amount:

ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES		
List your academic honours, awards, and memberships:		
Name	Date	Description

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES		
List your community service activities, hobbies, and extracurricular activities:		
Name	Date	Description

PERSONAL ESSAY

In 500 words or less:

If you are a new applicant, please answer the following: “How has your education contributed to who you are today?”

If you have previously been awarded our scholarship, please answer the following: “What knowledge/experience do you feel you have gained since being awarded the iders Teresa Jacinto Scholarship and how do you feel this has affected your current education and career path choices?”

I hereby affirm that all of the above stated information provided by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I also consent that, if I am awarded an iders Teresa Jacinto Scholarship, that a photo of me may be used to promote the scholarship program.

I understand that, if chosen as a scholarship recipient, according to iders Teresa Jacinto Scholarship policy I must provide evidence of enrolment/registration to an accredited, post-secondary institution in Manitoba before my scholarship funds can be awarded.

Signature:

Date: