



Federação de Empresários e Profissionais Luso-Canadianos

**Federation of Portuguese Canadian Business & Professionals Scholarship Application**  
**Eligibility Criteria**

In order to qualify for the FPCBP scholarship, all applications must meet the eligibility requirements outlined in these guidelines. Provided that they are eligible, all applicants will go through a competitive review process. Please ensure that you have reviewed the Scholarship's eligibility criteria before applying. For additional information about the FPCBP Scholarship, please contact the Federation at [scholarship@fpcbp.com](mailto:scholarship@fpcbp.com).

**ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:**

- Applicant is a Canadian citizen or Permanent Resident
- Enrolled in one of the following four programs: students in Grade 12 - High School, College, University Undergraduate program or University Graduate program.
- Applicants must meet the Portuguese descendant requirements: applicant was born in Portugal, Azores, Madeira OR is a descendant of Portuguese parents, grandparents or great grandparents. (Definition of immediate family members consists of one's parents, siblings, spouse, and children.)
- Applicant has not been a past recipient of an FPCBP scholarship award in the same program category of study.
- Acknowledge that all information provided herein is true and should this information be found to be incorrect or misleading it will result in the applicant's disqualification from the Scholarship process and Award.
- Ensure all documents are electronically submitted before the deadline. Incomplete applications will be disqualified.
- Attend the Annual FPCBP Gala wherein the applicant will assume travel and accommodation expenses.
- Applicant's whose immediate family members are currently serving on the FPCBP board, cannot apply. Failure to disclose this information will result in disqualification. (Definition of immediate family members consists of one's parents, siblings, spouse, and children.)
- Applicant's whose immediate family members are on the FPCBP Scholarship Selection Committee cannot apply. Failure to disclose this information will result in disqualification. (Definition of immediate family members consists of one's parents, siblings, spouse, and children.)



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- In the case of the University Graduate program the applicant is eligible for an award if a past award was made while the applicant was enrolled in a different degree program (i.e. MA, PhD, LLB, M.D.) to a maximum of two awards, where one scholarship award is awarded per degree.
- Award recipients are invited to attend the 2026 Portugal Day Parade in June in Toronto and volunteer on a committee for the calendar year the award was won or volunteer at a Luso affiliated club, charity, non-for profit or other organization.
- Ensure that ALL Supporting Documents are correct and valid (including headshot photo dimensions) and are submitted with the completed form. Incomplete Applications will NOT be processed.