

GRADUATE STUDIES AWARDS

Thinking of pursuing Graduate Studies at Concordia? Lighten your load by qualifying for academic awards!

All awards are based on academic excellence. Some also factor in financial need.

To qualify, you need:

- A cumulative Grade Point Average of 3.7/4.3 (average of A- in all university studies)
- To be enrolled in a Master's (first two years) or OR PhD program (first four years)

INTERNAL AWARDS

Concordia University and its donors fund a variety of prestigious entrance and other graduate awards. There are three main annual competitions: New students are automatically considered for many awards as part of the admissions process. No separate application is required. Current students must apply.

	1. Entrance Awards	2. Open Competition Awards	3. Partial Tuition Scholarship
Range:	\$10,000-\$60,000	\$2,500 to \$17,500	\$1,000-\$3,000
Total available:	108	112	100
Eligibility:	New students only	ALL graduate students	ALL International students
Application:	Part of admissions	NEW students: Part of admissions CURRENT: See graduatestudies.concordia.ca/currentstudents/funding/	NEW students: Part of admissions CURRENT: See graduatestudies.concordia.ca/currentstudents/funding/
Deadline:	Approx. February 1 See: graduatestudies.concordia.ca	February 1 See: graduatestudies.concordia.ca	April 1
Awards include:	<p>Unrestricted Citizenship:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Concordia University Graduate Fellowships A. Bacher V. J. Elgart Graduate Scholarships Concordia Merit Scholarship Frederick Lowy Scholars Fellowships Helen Linder Doctoral Fellowships <p>Restricted Citizenship: (Canadian Citizens/Permanent Residents):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> J.W. McConnell Graduate Memorial Fellowships <p>International Students:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Concordia Full Tuition Recruitment Award (full tuition waiver) Concordia University International Tuition Fee Remission (tuition reduced to Québec rate) 	<p>Unrestricted Citizenship:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> David J. Azrieli Graduate Fellowship Dominic d'Alessandro Fellowship (annual rotation by faculty) John W. O'Brien Concordia 25th Anniversary S. G. French Graduate Fellowship Merit Scholarships Power Corporation of Canada Graduate Fellowships <p>Restricted Citizenship: (Québec Residents)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hydro-Québec Scholarships 	

EXTERNAL AWARDS

Take matters into your hands. Apply to secure substantial funding through government and industry sources.

Application: See: graduatestudies.concordia.ca

Deadline: Varies

	Standard Competition	Prestigious Awards (limited)
Range:	\$17,500 to \$105,000	Up to \$180,000
Total available:	Varies	Limited; extremely prestigious
Eligibility:	New and Current students	New and Current students
Awards include:	Restricted Citizenship: (Canadian/ Permanent Residents) FRQSC SSHRC FRQNT NSERC FQRS CIHR	Unrestricted Citizenship: Tri-Council Vanier Canada Graduate Scholarship Trudeau Foundation Scholarships
		International Students: PBEEE FRQSC (limited) FRQNT (limited)

OTHER SOURCES OF FUNDING

	Concordia Accelerator Awards	Special Entrance Awards
	Earn extra cash while you write your doctoral thesis PLUS a bonus for early graduation! Finish your Master's early and get paid too with a graduation BONUS!!	Starting your first semester with a new designated external award? Top-up with an entrance BONUS!
Range	\$1,000-\$6,000 (includes bonus)	\$6,000-\$10,000
Total available:	Varies	Varies
Eligibility:	PhD thesis or Master's students	NEW students simultaneously starting a graduate program and receiving a new external award from a Federal or Québec provincial granting agency
Application	See: graduatestudies.concordia.ca	See: graduatestudies.concordia.ca
Deadline:	Varies	Varies
	Funding for Conference Presentations	Faculty-based Awards and Other Funding
	Participate in exhibits or conferences and save on costs!	Tap into funding designed specifically for you and available only through your program/department.
Range	\$250 to \$750	Varies
Total available:	Varies	Varies
Eligibility:	ALL graduate students	ALL graduate students
Deadline:	October 1, March 1, June 1	Varies
Application	See: graduatestudies.concordia.ca	Consult your Graduate Program Director
Awards include:	n/a	Various department-specific awards Teaching/Research Assistantships
	On-Campus Employment	Financial Aid
	On-campus part-time jobs are a great way to supplement award funding.	Another option for Canadians/Permanent Residents or US citizens are government loans & bursaries.
Details:	See: faao.concordia.ca/main/workstudy	See: faao.concordia.ca/main

Questions? Email awardsgs@gradstudies.concordia.ca

**This summary is for illustrative purposes only and is subject to change without notice. Some restrictions apply. See the School of Graduate Studies website (graduatestudies.concordia.ca/prospectivestudents/funding/awardsforexcellence) for specific award details and eligibility criteria. Award values indicated reflect maximum totals available. New students must submit admissions applications by award deadline date for automatic consideration. Only qualifying candidates and those awarded are notified.*



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