





# CN SCHOLARSHIPS FOR WOMEN – 2009 EDITION

## WHAT IS CN?

CN is a leader in Employment Equity initiatives, providing rail-based freight transportation and related services to shippers throughout North America.

## WHAT IS THE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM FOR WOMEN?

The Scholarship Program for Women is a special initiative of CN to promote employment equity in Canada.

The Scholarship Program for Women is intended to encourage women to seek careers in Trades, Technology and Operations where participation to date by women in these fields has been limited.

There are fifty scholarships of \$600 awarded annually to selected community colleges, institutes of technology and Cégeps listed in this pamphlet.

The scholarships are awarded regardless of whatever other financial assistance applicants may have obtained, and may be used by recipients to ease financial constraints while studying.

The designated programs of study prepare you for work in such fields as carpentry, welding, heavy-duty diesel mechanics, engineering technology, electronics technology, precision machining and heavy equipment operation.

## ELIGIBILITY:

If you have been accepted for the fall semester into a program of study in trades, technology or operations at one of the educational institutions listed in this brochure, whether you are continuing your education or reentering the school system as a mature student, you may qualify for one of the scholarships for women.

You must demonstrate your desire for a career in trades, technology or operations by providing a brief description of your career interests and a letter of recommendation.

## WHEN SHOULD YOU APPLY?

Application must be submitted to your educational institution no later than **October 15**.

Payments will be issued by CN to the educational institution that will remit money to the recipient.

## EVALUATION OF APPLICATIONS:

Each applicant will be evaluated on the basis of her demonstrated interest in a non-traditional career. The schools will make selections independently. The school or college to which they applied will notify successful applicants no later than October 31.

CN is responsible only for selecting the institutions and programs of study, and for providing the scholarship funds.

# PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS / COLLEGES

## **PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND**

- *HOLLAND COLLEGE, CHARLOTTETOWN*

## **NEWFOUNDLAND**

- *COLLEGE OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC, ST. JOHN'S*

## **NOVA SCOTIA**

- *NOVA SCOTIA COMMUNITY COLLEGE, HALIFAX*

## **NEW-BRUNSWICK**

- *NEW BRUNSWICK COMMUNITY COLLEGE (CERTAIN CAMPUS)*

## **QUÉBEC**

- *CÉGEP ANDRÉ-LAURENDEAU, LASALLE*
- *CÉGEP DE DRUMMONDVILLE, DRUMMONDVILLE*
- *CÉGEP DE LA GASPÉSIE ET DES ÎLES, GASPÉ*
- *CÉGEP DE THETFORD, THETFORD MINES*
- *CÉGEP DE JONQUIÈRE, JONQUIÈRE*
- *CÉGEP DE LIMOILOU, LIMOILOU*
- *CÉGEP DE CHICOUTIMI, CHICOUTIMI*
- *CÉGEP ST-JEAN-SUR-RICHELIEU, ST-JEAN-SUR-RICHELIEU*
- *CÉGEP DE TROIS-RIVIÈRES, TROIS-RIVIÈRES*
- *COLLÈGE GÉRALD-GODIN, SAINTE-GENEVIÈVE*
- *DAWSON COLLEGE, MONTRÉAL*
- *CÉGEP LÉVIS-LAUZON, LÉVIS*
- *ÉCOLE DES MÉTIERS DE L'AUTOMOBILE, MONTRÉAL*

## **ALBERTA**

- *SOUTHERN ALBERTA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, CALGARY*
- *LAKELAND COLLEGE, VERMILION*
- *LETHBRIDGE COMMUNITY COLLEGE, LETHBRIDGE*
- *RED DEER COLLEGE, RED DEER*
- *NORTHERN ALBERTA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, EDMONTON*

## **ONTARIO**

- *ALGONQUIN COLLEGE, OTTAWA*
- *CAMBRIAN COLLEGE, SUDBURY*
- *CANADORE COLLEGE, NORTH BAY*
- *CENTENNIAL COLLEGE, SCARBOROUGH*
- *CONFEDERATION COLLEGE, THUNDER BAY*
- *FANSHAW COLLEGE, LONDON*
- *GEORGE BROWN COLLEGE, TORONTO*
- *MOHAWK COLLEGE, HAMILTON*
- *SAULT COLLEGE, SAULT ST. MARIE*
- *SENECA COLLEGE, WILLOWDALE*
- *SIR SANFORD FLEMING COLLEGE, PETERBOROUGH*
- *ST. CLAIR COLLEGE, WINDSOR*
- *NORTHERN COLLEGE, TIMMINS*

## **MANITOBA**

- *ASSINIBOINE COMMUNITY COLLEGE, BRANDON*
- *UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF THE NORTH, THE PAS*

## **BRITISH COLUMBIA**

- *NORTHWEST COMMUNITY COLLEGE, TERRACE*
- *CAMOSUN COLLEGE FOUNDATION, VICTORIA*
- *THOMPSON RIVERS UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION, KAMLOOPS*
- *KWANTLEN UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, SURREY*
- *COLLEGE OF NEW CALEDONIA, PRINCE GEORGE*

## **SASKATCHEWAN**

- *SIAST CAMPUS (KELSEY, PALLISER, WOODLAND, WASCANA), SASKATOON*

## **NORTHWEST TERRITORY**

- *AURORA COLLEGE, FORT SMITH*

# ELIGIBLE PROGRAMS OF STUDY

Check with the participating school/college of your choice to determine which of the following programs they offer. Not all programs are offered at each school/college.

## CONSTRUCTION, MECHANICS AND METAL TRADES PROGRAMS

- *AUTO BODY TECHNICIAN*
- *AUTOMOTIVE MANUFACTURING*
- *AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOGY/MECHANIC*
- *BOILERMAKER*
- *CARPENTRY / MILLWORK*
- *CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN*
- *CONSTRUCTION TRADES*
- *CRANE & HOISTING EQUIPMENT OPERATOR*
- *ENTRY LEVEL TRADES-GENERAL*
- *HEAVY EQUIPMENT OPERATOR*
- *MACHINE SHOP*
- *MANUFACTURING ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN/TECHNOLOGY*
- *MECHANICAL ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY*
- *MECHANICAL ENGINEERING DESIGN/NUMERICAL CONTROL*
- *MECHANICAL TECHNOLOGY (DIESEL ENGINE-HEAVY DUTY GENERAL)*
- *METALLURGICAL ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN/TECHNOLOGY*
- *MOTIVE POWER TECHNOLOGY (HEAVY EQUIPMENT-SMALL POWER EQUIPMENT SUPPORT)*
- *RAILWAY TRAFFIC CONTROL*
- *TRAIN CONDUCTOR*
- *TRUCK/BUS DRIVER*
- *WELDING*

## TECHNICAL PROGRAMS

- *AUTOMATION AND ROBOTICS*
- *CIVIL ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN/TECHNOLOGY*
- *COMPUTER ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN/TECHNOLOGY*
- *COMPUTERIZED AUTOMATION AND CONTROL*
- *ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN/TECHNOLOGY*
- *ELECTRONICS ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN/TECHNOLOGY*
- *HEATING, AIR CONDITIONING & REFRIGERATION TECHNOLOGY*
- *INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN*
- *INDUSTRIAL WOODWORKING*
- *INSTRUMENTATION ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN/TECHNOLOGY*
- *MECH. ENG. TECHNICIAN/TECHNOLOGY-TOOL & MACHINE DESIGN*
- *METAL MACHINING & MANUFACTURING TECHNOLOGY*
- *SAFETY ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY*
- *WELDING ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN*
- *CHEMICAL ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN*
- *ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNOLOGY*
- *MINING ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN/TECHNOLOGY*
- *PLASTICS AND MOULD PRODUCT DESIGN*
- *PRINT PRODUCTION*
- *TRANSPORTATION LOGISTIC*



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**STEP 1: WHO ARE YOU?**

Family Name	First Name
Home Address	
Postal Code	Telephone Number
Address during school year (if different from above)	

**STEP 2: TELL US ABOUT YOURSELF:**

Write a one-page essay describing your interest in a career to which your chosen program of study will lead

**STEP 3: HAVE SOMEONE YOU KNOW TELL US ABOUT YOU:**

Include with your application a letter of recommendation written by one of your educators, employers or someone who knows you well.

**STEP 4: IN WHICH EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION ARE YOU ENROLLED?**

Name of Educational Institution: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**STEP 5: RELEASE OF INFORMATION:**

I hereby authorize \_\_\_\_\_ (name of school) to release my personal information (name, home and business address, phone number, academic achievements) to CN and authorize CN to retain and use my personal information to call/contact me should potential employment opportunities arise at CN.

Name of Student: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:** It is understood that my refusal to release my personal information to CN will in no way compromise my eligibility for a scholarship.

**STEP 6: WHAT IS YOUR PROGRAM OF STUDY?**

Name of your program: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Return to:**

**Educational Institution to which you have been accepted.**

**Make sure that you have included:**

- **A letter of reference from your educator, employer or someone who knows you well**
- **Essay describing your career goals**