



Midwifery Education Program Awards at a Glance

| Program Timing | Award | Amount* | Application Deadline** | Key Information |
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| Open to all MEP students | The Hamilton Midwives Bursary for Indigenous Students | \$1,325 | Oct 25 | - Applicant must self-identify as Indigenous (including First Nations [status or non-status], Metis, or Inuit. |
| Open to all MEP students | The Judith Rachel Harris Foundation Equity and Inclusion Action Award | \$2,000 | Oct 25 | - Applicant demonstrates activity and/or advocacy in promoting equity and inclusion in the Midwifery Education Program and/or the Ontario midwifery community. - Preference is given to Indigenous, Black, Racialized Persons of Colour and LGBTQ+ students, or students who live with disabilities. |
| Enrolled in a clinical course | The Judith Rachel Harris Foundation Northern Travel Award | \$3,000 | Oct 25 | - Criteria includes travel to a northern Canadian community for clinical placement. - Preference is given to Indigenous students traveling to Indigenous communities. - Provide the placement location and dates. |
| Open to students who have completed MWF120 Normal Childbearing or any subsequent clinical course | The Judith Rachel Harris Foundation Perinatal Loss Award | \$2,000 | Oct 25 | - Criteria to have demonstrated an understanding of the role of the midwife in pregnancy loss and difficult transitions related to childbirth. |
| Open to all MEP students | The Judith Rachel Harris Foundation Conference Travel Award | \$2,000 | Oct 25 | - Applicant must have travel expenses and conference fees related to the attendance of a midwifery related professional conference. - Include receipts for conference fees and travel expenses. |
| Open to MEP students who have completed MWF120 Normal Childbearing but not MWF320 Complex Care I | The Judith Rachel Harris Foundation Normal Childbearing Excellence Award | \$2,500 | Oct 25 | - Applicant must demonstrate academic and clinical excellence in MWF120. |

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| Open to all MEP students | The Judith Rachel Harris Foundation Single Parent/Sole Caregiver Award | \$2,500 | Oct 25 | - Open to applicants who are a single parent or sole caregiver. |
| Open to all MEP students | Toronto Birth Centre Innovation Award | \$1,000 | Oct 25 | - Applicant must demonstrate innovative thought for the care of childbearing people and/or their newborns. |
| Open to all MEP students | The Murray & Eleanor Enkin Midwifery First Generation Award | \$1,500 | Oct 25 | - Applicant must be the first generation of their family to attend university. |
| Any time after completion of MWF120 Normal Childbearing | The Emma Sykes Chandler Memorial Award | \$1,000 | Oct 25 | - Criteria to have demonstrated exemplary skill, compassion & caring to clients during a challenging situation in a clinical course. |
| Any time after completion of MWF120 Normal Childbearing | The Judith (Jude) Pustil Memorial Award | \$700 | Oct 25 | - Open to applicants who have relocated for a midwifery, interprofessional, or community placement. |
| Open to MEP students who have completed MWF320 Complex Care I | The Judith Rachel Harris Foundation Complex Care I Excellence Award | \$2,000 | Oct 25 | - Applicant must demonstrate academic and clinical excellence in MWF320. |
| Open to MEP students who have completed MWF305 Interprofessional Midwifery Care | The Judith Rachel Harris Foundation Interprofessional Midwifery Care Academic Excellence Award | \$2,000 | Feb 7 | - Applicant must demonstrate academic and clinical excellence in MWF305. |
| Open to MEP students who have completed MWF420 Complex Care II | The Judith Rachel Harris Foundation Complex Care II Excellence Award | \$2,000 | Feb 7 | - Applicant must demonstrate academic and clinical excellence in MWF420. |
| Open to students who are currently enrolled in MWF121 Fundamentals in Midwifery Care I or any subsequent clinical course | The Judith Rachel Harris Foundation Program Completion Award | \$2,500 | Feb 7 | - Applicants who face challenges in completing the program in the regularly scheduled terms for academic, clinical, or personal reasons are eligible. |
| Open students currently enrolled in MWF121 Fundamentals in Midwifery Care I or have completed MWF120 Normal | The Judith Rachel Harris Foundation Parent-Infant Award | \$2,000 | Feb 7 | - Applicant demonstrates an understanding of factors that are significant to the development of the parent-infant relationship, strengthening parenting, and/or nurturing new families. |



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| Childbearing or any subsequent clinical course | | | | |
| Open to all MEP students | The Judith Rachel Harris Foundation Publication/ Presentation Award | \$2,500 | Feb 7 | - Applicant must demonstrate excellence in the form of a paper submitted for publication, or an oral or poster presentation at a professional conference. |
| Open to MEP students who have completed MWF420 Complex Care II | The Murray and Eleanor Enkin Clinical Excellence Award | \$2,000 | Feb 7 | - Applicant must demonstrate clinical excellence in MWF420. |
| Open to all MEP students | The Murray and Eleanor Enkin Equity and Inclusion Leadership Award | \$2,000 | Feb 7 | - Applicant must demonstrate leadership in promoting equity and inclusion in the MEP or in the Ontario midwifery community. Preference is given to Indigenous, Black, Racialized Persons of Colour and LGBTQ+ students, and students who live with disabilities. |
| Open to MEP students who have completed pre-clinical courses | The Murray and Eleanor Enkin Academic Achievement Award | \$2,000 | Feb 7 | - Awarded to the applicant with the highest CGPA in pre-clinical courses. - This award is not open to post-baccalaureate students. |
| Open to all MEP students | The Murray and Eleanor Enkin Award for Social Justice | \$2,000 | Feb 7 | - Criteria to have demonstrated commitment to the community/MEP through contributions that promote social justice and human dignity. |
| Open to all MEP students | The Murray and Eleanor Enkin Single Parent/Sole Caregiver Award | \$2,000 | Feb 7 | - Open to applicants who are a single parent or sole caregiver. |
| Open to MEP students who have completed MWF344 Advanced Clinical Skills I, MWF220 Interprofessional Placements I and MWF305 Interprofessional Midwifery Care | TMU Midwifery Third Year Award | \$2,500 | Feb 7 | - Applicants must have a CGPA of 3.50 or greater. - This award is not open to post-baccalaureate students. |
| Open to MEP students who have completed MWF320 Complex Care I | TMU Midwifery Fourth Year Award | \$2,500 | Feb 7 | - Applicants must have a CGPA of 3.50 or greater. Applicants must provide CGPA as of the end of the term in which MWF320 was completed. |

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| | | | | - Applicant must demonstrate academic and clinical excellence in MWF320. |
| Open to MEP students who are in their first year of studies | Equity in Midwifery Award | \$5,000 | Feb 7 | - Applicant must self-identify as an Indigenous person in Canada (including First Nations [status or non-status], Metis or Inuit), Black (including those that identify as Afro-Caribbean or African-Canadian), Racialized Person of Colour, Asian-Pacific Islander, Latinx. |
| Open to MEP students in their 2nd year placement, MWF121 Fundamentals in Midwifery Care I | The Hamilton Award for BIPOC Students | \$1,000 | Feb 7 | - Applicant must self-identify as an Indigenous person in Canada (including First Nations [status or non-status], Metis or Inuit), Black (including those that identify as Afro-Caribbean or African-Canadian), Racialized Person of Colour, Asian-Pacific Islander, Latinx. |
| Open to MEP students in their 2nd year placement, MWF121 Fundamentals in Midwifery Care I | The Hamilton Midwives Award for Black Students | \$1,000 | Feb 7 | - Applicant must self-identify as Black (including those that identify as Afro-Caribbean or African-Canadian). |
| Open to all MEP students | The Clara F. Chant Memorial Award for Indigenous Students | \$1,000 | Feb 7 | - Applicant must self-identify as Indigenous (including First Nations [status or non-status], Metis or Inuit) |
| Open to all MEP students | The Clara F. Chant Memorial Award for Students with a Disability | \$1,000 | Feb 7 | - Applicant must self-identify as a person with a disability. |
| Open to all MEP students | The Clara F. Chant Memorial Award for Black Students | \$1,000 | Feb 7 | - Applicant must self-identify as Black (including those that identify as Afro-Caribbean or African-Canadian) |
| Open to MEP students who have completed MWF120 Normal Childbearing but not MWF320 Complex Care I | Midwifery Senior Year Advocacy Award | \$1,000 | Feb 7 | - Applicant must demonstrate financial need, be in good academic standing and have a minimum CGPA of 2.33 or higher. |
| Open to MEP students who have completed MWF120 Normal Childbearing but not MWF320 Complex Care I | Midwifery Senior Year Collaboration Award | \$1,000 | Feb 7 | - Applicant must demonstrate financial need, be in good academic standing and have a minimum CGPA of 2.33 or higher. |

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| Open to MEP students who have completed MWF120 Normal Childbearing but not MWF320 Complex Care I | Midwifery Senior Year Professionalism Award | \$1,000 | Feb 7 | - Applicant must demonstrate financial need, be in good academic standing and have a minimum CGPA of 2.33 or higher. |
| Open to MEP students who have completed MWF120 Normal Childbearing but not MWF320 Complex Care I | Midwifery Senior Year Communication Award | \$1,000 | Feb 7 | - Applicant must demonstrate financial need, be in good academic standing and have a minimum CGPA of 2.33 or higher. |
| Open to MEP students who have completed MWF120 Normal Childbearing but not MWF320 Complex Care I | Midwifery Senior Year "Life-Long Learner" and "Creative Leader" | \$1,000 | Feb 7 | - Applicant must demonstrate financial need, be in good academic standing and have a minimum CGPA of 2.33 or higher. |
| Open to MEP students who have completed MWF315 Midwifery Issues | The Murray and Eleanor Enkin Award for Innovative Thinking and Critical Scholarship | \$2,000 | May 30 | - Applicant must have demonstrated innovative thinking and critical scholarship in the MWF315 Midwifery Issues major paper. |
| Open to MEP students who have completed six semester courses | The Judith Rachel Harris Foundation Academic Achievement Award | \$2,500 | May 30 | - Awarded to the applicant with the highest cumulative grade point average. |
| Open to all MEP students | Toronto Birth Centre Midwifery Community Awareness Award | \$1,325 | May 30 | - Applicant must demonstrate a commitment to promote community awareness of midwifery. |
| Open to all MEP students | The Judith Rachel Harris Foundation Birth and Its Meanings Award | \$2,500 | May 30 | - Students often apply after taking MWF108 Aboriginal Childbearing or MWF325 Birth and It's Meanings, but this is not a requirement. A work of art/performance art exploring pregnancy, birth or parenting and its meanings is required. |

*Approximate; subject to change as interest rates fluctuate.

** Deadline dates may be adjusted by the MEP at any time; emails are always sent to all students to confirm award application deadlines.