

# THE 23RD ANNUAL

ATHENA SCHOLARSHIP FUND WINDSOR

APPLICATION FORM 2022

#### **SUBMISSION DEADLINE**

Friday, April 29, 2022 at 4PM EST

Applications must be delivered or post-marked to the Chamber office no later than Friday, April 29, 2022.

# Windsor-Essex Regional Chamber of Commerce

2565 Ouellette Place, Suite 101 Windsor, ON N8X 1L9 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

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#### Questions? Please contact:

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## MISSION STATEMENT

The ATHENA Scholarship Fund Windsor identifies and provides scholarships to post- secondary students who excel academically, get involved in their community and serve as outstanding leaders, while also assisting girls and women to achieve a better quality of life and reach their full potential as community leaders.

### **ARE YOU...**

- A student of any gender 18 to 30 years of age as of January 1, 2022?
- Interested in increasing leadership opportunities for women, enhancing the quality of life in your community, mentoring, team building and pursuing diversity?
- Presently enrolled as a full-time student (attending primarily during the day) in a postsecondary institution such as the University of Windsor, University of Windsor Faculty of Law, or St. Clair College of Applied Arts and Technology and have spent a significant and substantial period of time (at least 16 months as of April 29, 2022) in Windsor/Essex

### THEN YOU SHOULD APPLY FOR THE ATHENA SCHOLARSHIP FUND WINDSOR

"A total of four \$5,000 scholarships will be awarded to worthy scholars."

Selected as follows: one from St. Clair College, one from the University of Windsor, one from the University of Windsor Faculty of Law and one from any college or university attended by a student who has spent a significant period of time in Windsor/Essex County. Recipients must attend the annual ATHENA Scholarship Luncheon event.





















ANNE WINTERBOTTOM

MATTHEW STOYKA

### **AWARD CRITERIA**

ATHENA is about leadership. All ATHENA Scholarship Recipients should be interested in:

- O Increasing leadership opportunities for women
- O Enhancing the quality of life in their community
- O Mentoring
- Team building
- Pursuing diversity

## **APPLICATION DOCUMENTATION CHECKLIST:**

	Application information form						
	Academic transcripts (unofficial transcripts are acceptable)						
	Personal profile						
	Résumé						
	Academic: referee form <b>and</b> letter						
	Character: referee form <u>and</u> letter						
	Community participation: referee form <b>and</b> letter						
Finalists may be interviewed.							

# SPECIFIC CRITERIA

This scholarship award is open to qualified individuals who represent the values of ATHENA International.

#### **Applicants should:**

- 1. Demonstrate a community spirit that benefits people.
- 2. Demonstrate a potential for leadership.
- 3. Demonstrate academic and professional excellence.
- **4.** Demonstrate values that support the achievement of excellence.
- **5.** Be 18 to 30 years of age as of January 1, 2022.
- **6.** Be a full time student (attending primarily during the day).
- 7. Submit academic transcripts (unofficial transcript accepted).
- 8. Submit three Referee Forms with letters of reference 1 page in length addressed to "Whom It May Concern" preferably from three different sources in confidence (family members excluded). See Referee Forms for instructions on letters of reference. a) Academic b) Character c) Community Participation.
- **9.** Provide a personal profile (no more than 2 pages typed in Times New Roman 12-point font single spaced). Indicate why you should be considered for the ATHENA Scholarship.
- 10. Provide a résumé of no more than 8 pages.

# **SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

PERSONAL INFORMATION					
Name:		Birth Date:			
Permanent Home Addre	ess:				
Mailing Address (Valid U	Jntil):				
Primary Email:		Cell Phone:			
EDUCATION INFORM	1ATION				
Elementary Schools					
1		FROM:	TO:		
2		FROM:	TO:		
3		FROM:	TO:		
Secondary Schools					
1		FROM:	TO:		
2		FROM:	TO:		
3		FROM:	TO:		

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### **EDUCATION INFORMATION** (Continued)

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College or University	+ Majors						
1		FROM:	TO:				
2		FROM:	то:				
3		FROM:	то:				
Volunteer Experience							
1	SUPERVISOR:		PHONE:				
2	SUPERVISOR:		PHONE:				
3	SUPERVISOR:		PHONE:				
References (Provided	in your ATHENA Scholar	ship Applica	ation Form)				
1	REFEREE:		PHONE:				
2	REFEREE:		PHONE:				
3	REFEREE:		PHONE:				
Application Signature			Date				

is applying for an ATHENA Scholarship.

### REFEREE FORM: ACADEMIC

Name of Applicant

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How long have you known the applicant and in what capacity do you know the applicant?

	ATHENA is about leadership. Please indicate with an <b>X</b> your rating of the applicant in terms of the attributes below. <b>NA</b> =not applicable or not known by you. Remarks are helpful. Please attach your Letter of Reference.						
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Demonstrates potential for leadership							
Enhances the quality of life in their community							
Mentors others							
Demonstrates leadership and team building							
Demonstrates multicultural outlook							

To The Referee: After completing, please place this Referee Form in an envelope with your Letter of Reference 1 page in length. To ensure confidentiality, please seal and sign on the flap of the envelope. This envelope must be returned to the applicant, signed and sealed for submission with his/her application package.

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

Title/Position: Institution/Corp:

Full Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact #: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Balances social and scholastic activities

Name: \_\_

# REFEREE FORM: CHARACTER

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### REFEREE FORM: COMMUNITY

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