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## The Shi Wu De Community Care Scholarships 2016

The Buddhist Education Foundation of Canada is offering a number of scholarships of \$500 per course to registered students of Emmanuel College of the University of Toronto taking one or more Buddhism courses that are listed in both the Master of Pastoral Studies Program (Buddhism stream) and the Buddhist Mindfulness and Mental Health Diploma Program:

http://www.emmanuel.utoronto.ca/Prospective/Academic Programs.htm

To apply for this scholarship for the January 2016 semester, please submit the following to BuddhistEduFoundation@rogers.com by December 21, 2015.

1. Your name, address, email address and phone number; and your academic and professional background.

2. Proof of course registration showing the title(s) of the course(s) you have registered in for which you are applying for this award.

3. Your Buddhist background, your plans to contribute to Buddhist community care in your own community and the community at large, and your future vision of how Buddhist spiritual care can make a difference in people's lives, and what kind of role you may play in this future. – no more than two pages.

4. Your financial circumstances – no more than one page.

5. A letter from a community leader (with contact information) recommending you for this scholarship – no more than one page (we may contact this person by phone or email).

The applications will be reviewed by the Buddhist Community Care Committee of ordained and lay community leaders from the Theravada, Mahayana and Vajrayana traditions.

Successful applicants will be contacted by email by January 6, 2016. \$250 will be awarded with proof of payment for the courses, and \$250 will be awarded with proof of successful course completion.

For further information, please contact Ms. Chris Ng by phone at 416-910-4858 or by email at <u>BuddhistEduFoundation@rogers.com</u>.