

# **Buddhist Education Foundation of Canada**

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## The Shi Wu De Community Care Bursary (Winter Semester 2019)

The Buddhist Education Foundation of Canada would like to encourage and assist students in preparing for a career in Buddhist chaplaincy in Canada through studying in programs offered at Emmanuel College. We are offering a number of bursaries of up to a maximum of \$500 per course for up to two courses to registered students of Emmanuel College of the University of Toronto taking one or more Buddhism courses that are listed in the Buddhist Mindfulness and Mental Health Diploma Program.

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To apply for this bursary for the January 2019 semester, please submit the following to [BuddhistEduFoundation@rogers.com](mailto:BuddhistEduFoundation@rogers.com) before December 31, 2018.

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. For new students, please forward a copy of your offer and acceptance letters.
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 bursary – no more than one page (we may contact this person by phone or e-mail).
6. For applicants who have already received financial support from our Foundation for three semesters, please also submit a one-page write-up on how taking the Buddhist diploma courses has helped you in making a contribution in your community.

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

The exact amount of bursary assistance will be determined on the basis of financial need.

For further information, please contact Ms. Chris Ng by phone at 416-910-4858 or by e-mail at [BuddhistEduFoundation@rogers.com](mailto:BuddhistEduFoundation@rogers.com)