

Schulich Graduate & Postdoctoral Awards

Norman E. Nixon Marie Rämö Nixon Award

Awarded to a full-time graduate student in a Masters or PhD program at Western who is working with a Robarts Research Institute Scientist. This award was established by a generous donation from Mrs. Marie Nixon.

Value: 1 at \$2600

Criteria:

Candidates will be selected based on academic achievement and research merit. Candidates must be working with a **Robarts Research Institute Scientist**.

Eligibility:

Candidates must have at least one year remaining for the completion of their degree to be eligible to apply. (Doctoral candidates are eligible for funding for up to a maximum of twelve terms unless they are a transfer student or direct entry student, who can receive funding up to fifteen consecutive full-time terms).

Deadline:

First Monday in May, each year.

Application Procedure:

Robarts Research Institute Group Directors and Scientists may nominate candidates. Nominated trainees provide information online: [Online Awards Application](#)

Send all transcripts to [Janelle: Jpritch7@uwo.ca](mailto:Janelle.Jpritch7@uwo.ca). All documents must be attached and saved using your last name and name of document ie: SMITH_TRANSCRIPT_NIXON

Referees are encouraged to send in their letters of reference to jpritch7@uwo.ca. Trainees must have 2 reference letters sent in to complete their application.

Adjudication Procedure:

A committee will consist of up to three graduate program Chairs. The committee will be chaired by the Associate Dean, Research (Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies). This committee will select the recipient(s).