**GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP COMPETITION (2025 edition)**

The objectives of PROTEO's graduate scholarships are as follows:

* To support promising candidates to undertake, or to pursue graduate studies within PROTEO;
* To improve students’ CVs and increase their competitiveness in scholarship programs from major agencies;
* To help regular members establish and/or enhance collaborations through co-directed graduate students.

**Eligibility conditions**

* Scholarships are offered to graduate students under the **official codirection of regular members**, working on projects related to scientific themes of PROTEO.
* A student cannot receive a PROTEO scholarship more than once, for the same study cycle (M.Sc. vs. Ph.D.). Therefore, a student who has received a PROTEO scholarship for a master's degree may receive a scholarship for a doctorate.
* A student is not eligible to PROTEO scholarships if she/he already receives a scholarship of an annually amount of $15 000 for M.Sc. and $20 000 for Ph.D, excluding contributions from PIs, tuition fees or admission scholarships.
* The research supervisor must commit to supplementing this bursary so that the candidate has a minimum of $20,000/year\* for master's candidates and a minimum of $25,000/year\* for doctoral candidates. *\*In alignment with FRQNT scholarship amounts.*

**Evaluation**

* Applications are evaluated according to following criteria :
	+ **Quality and potential impact of the research project and the role of the co-direction**  (clarity of the scientific objectives, originality of the project, contributions to the advancement of knowledge in the field, collaboration with other members of PROTEO, links with potential users, importance of codirection).
	+ **Social implication, leadership and/or communication skills** (organisation of conferences and meetings, volunteering, mentoring, experience as a supervisor, project management, committee chairmanship, general presentation of the application).
	+ **Excellence of academic record** (cumulative average, progression of studies, duration of studies, prizes, and distinctions).
	+ **Research skills and relevant research experience** (research interests, experience and achievements, scientific publications, and presentations).
* The evaluation committee, according to members’ evaluations, ranks applications in order of priority and awards the scholarships according to the order.
* The applications of master and Ph.D. students will be evaluated separately.
* Members of the evaluation committee that are in conflict do not vote.

Please write your application in **Arial font, size 11**.

**Submission:** **January 19, 2025 at 5:00 pm** to the following e-mail address: proteo@uqam.ca

**Announcement of results: end of February**

**CANDIDATE**

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| **Last name :** | **First name :** |
| **Email :** |
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| **Application for scholarship :** [ ]  **Masters** [ ]  **Doctorate**  |
| Program start date (month/year): |
| University/School: |
| Faculty/Department : |

**RESEARCH SUPERVISOR**

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| **Last name :** | **First name:** |
| **Email :** |

**CO-SUPERVISOR**

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| **Last name :** | **First name:** |
| **Email :** |

**PROJECT PRESENTATION**

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| Project title : |
| 5 key words describing the project: |

**RESEARCH PROJECT (1 page)**

(Problem, objective(s), methodology, impact, and contributions).

**ROLES OF CO-DIRECTION (1/2 page).** Demonstrate the importance of the co-direction in the project.

**SOCIAL IMPLICATIONS AND OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS (1/2 page)**

**CANDIDATE'S DECLARATION**

By the present, I, Click here to type, declare that all the information provided in this form is accurate and complete.

**SUPERVISOR'S DECLARATION**

By the present, I, Click here to type, declare that i have read the eligibility conditions.

#### Required documents (combined in a single PDF file)

* Completed graduate scholarship application form;
* Applicant's curriculum vitae (research experience, social involvement, publications, scientific presentations, scholarships and awards, and other relevant information);
* Copy of transcripts for entire academic career up to date of application; bachelor's, master's, doctorate (if applicable).

**An e-mail confirming the reception of the documents will be sent to the e-mail address used by the person making the request.**