AWARD NOTICE

CAROLYNNE BOIVIN BURSARY

Value: $500

# of Bursaries available: One

Field of Study: Graduate Students

Qualifications: Open to students who:

(1) are conducting research in the area of family violence;

(2) has demonstrated financial need.

Submit Applications to:
RESOLVE
108 Isbister Building
University of Manitoba

DEADLINE: October 1
THE CAROLYNNE BOIVIN BURSARY

Colleagues and board members of the RESOLVE Research Network wish to acknowledge Carolynne’s contribution to the development of our network as she completes her term as President of the Prairieaction Foundation. Carolynne worked tirelessly as President and founding member of the Prairieaction Foundation, established in 1997 to raise $5 million to endow our research network and support other initiatives to reduce and relieve violence and abuse. This bursary is in recognition and appreciation of her dedication and hard work.

Conditions of The Bursary

The Carolynne Boivin endowed fund will be used to assist any graduate student enrolled at the University of Manitoba conducting research in the area of family violence affiliated with the RESOLVE Research Network. A contribution to this fund will serve to support graduate students conducting family violence research at the University of Manitoba in perpetuity. Seventy per cent of the earned interest from the endowed fund will be awarded annually to eligible students. The remainder (30%) of the interest each year will be returned to enhance the capital of the fund and to protect against inflation.

Any graduate student registered at the University of Manitoba, in any faculty or school, either part-time or full-time, is eligible and encouraged to apply. Students apply for the bursary to the Financial Aid and Awards office by October 1 of each year. The awards are made in late fall during the academic session. Applications will be reviewed by a selection committee named by the Director of RESOLVE. Selection is made according to the terms of the bursary and based on the financial need of the student.

Carolynne Boivin

Carolynne was born in London, Ontario and grew up in Guelph, Ontario. She has resided in Montreal, Toronto, Sarnia and Calgary. She received her B.A. from Western University and spent her early career as a primary school teacher.

Carolynne enriches each community she lives in, applying her remarkable organizational skills and her passion for social issues to a number of agencies. In Toronto, she was President of Planned Parenthood and, during her leadership, “The House” was established to provide accessible medical care and birth control services to young people, particularly underprivileged and street kids. Carolynne was the first Executive Director for “New Directions,” a social service launched in Toronto to provide support to widowed, separated and divorced women. Carolynne also chaired P.O.I.N.T., a United Way funded agency in North Toronto, whose role was to identify gaps in the social services provided in the community. During her tenure, projects to assist seniors to lead fuller lives were undertaken. Carolynne also was active in the United Way, particularly in their Agency Assessment Activity.

In Calgary, Carolynne has been on the Board of the Calgary YWCA where she chairs the Social Issues and Nominating Sub-Committees. Her primary passion of late has been the Prairieaction Foundation, seeking to raise $5M to fund research and intervention programs to prevent family violence. She is the President and Founding Member.

Carolynne and Dan have four children, Jane, Julie, Michel and Chris. Jane is taking a Masters Degree in International Development at the University of Amsterdam. Julie is a Financial Analyst in Calgary. Chris is a fourth year literary studies major at the University of Toronto and Michel is an Internal Medicine Specialist doing research at the University of Albuquerque.
AWARD APPLICATION

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This bursary will be offered to a student who:

1) is registered full-time or part-time in any year of a graduate program at The University of Manitoba;
2) is conducting research in the area of family violence;
3) has demonstrated financial need.

Applicants should submit this form as well as the following documents:

1) A transcript of their grades.
2) A one page (maximum) description of their proposed research.
3) A statement of their need for the available resources (maximum of 250 words).

Description of proposed research and statement of need should be single spaced, 12 pt font.

Name: ___________________________________ Student # ____________
Address: __________________________________________________________________________
Phone Number: _________________________ Email Address: _____________________________
Faculty _______________________ Department _________________________
Field of Study ____________________________________________________________

PLEASE SUBMIT APPLICATIONS ON OR BEFORE

October 1
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