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MASTERCARD FOUNDATION SCHOLARS PROGRAM: ELIGIBILITY PACKAGE 2010/2021

SECTION 1: CHECKLIST

- Profile Form (Sections 2-5)
- Personal Statements (Section 6)
 - Please tell us your story. What is of importance to you and reflects who you are?(200-300 words)
 - Describe a recent, meaningful involvement in your community, including what your role is/has been in the activity/ies. (200-300 words)
 - Why are you interested in studying at UBC, and how do you envision your chosen program of study at UBC helping you to reach your long-term career and personal goals? What drives you to achieve your goals? (200 – 300 words)
 - Persistence is crucial to the completion of this program. Please describe a situation where you had to overcome a significant obstacle/ challenge(s) to reach a goal. How did you react to this challenge, and what did you learn from the situation? (200 - 300 words)
 - What else should we know about your financial condition in order to consider you for this scholarship?(200-300 words)
- Resume/CV (Section 7)
- Reference Letters on official letterhead (Section 8)
 - Reference 1
 - Reference 2
- Transcripts (Section 9)
- Declaration; handwritten, typed or electronic signature (Section 10)

Upon completion of your Eligibility Package, please submit a scanned copy of your package as one pdf. Document with this checklist to mcfsp.admissions@ubc.ca. For any further questions about this program or the form, please contact: Program Assistant, Mastercard Foundation Scholars Program at mcfsp.admissions@ubc.ca.

By signing this checklist, I confirm that my application package is complete and all the necessary documents above are enclosed in one PDF.

Signature of Applicant

Date



SECTION 2: APPLICANT'S PERSONAL INFORMATION

Please provide your full legal name.



Family / Last Name First / Given Name Middle Names (if any)

Date of Birth (mm/dd/yy) Citizenship

Gender: Male Female Genderqueer/Non-Binary Prefer not to say

Are you a citizen of Canada/permanent resident of Canada? Yes No

Mailing Address (For correspondence): Street address

City Province/State

Postal/Zip Code Country

Daytime Telephone (Include Country Code + City Code):

Evening Telephone (Include Country Code + City Code):

Permanent Address (if different from above): Street Address

City Province/State

Postal/Zip Code Country

Email:

Can you access the Internet? If so, where and how often?

SECTION 3: PROGRAM OF STUDY AT UBC

First Choice:

Faculty Master's Degree

Second Choice (optional):

Faculty Master's Degree

Are you applying to any other Mastercard Foundation Scholars Program Universities? Yes No

If yes, please state university name(s) here:



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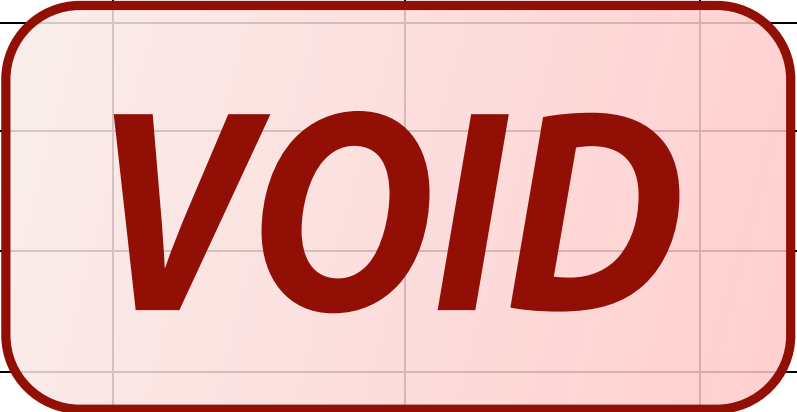
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SECTION 4: Applicant Education & Financial Background:

Please note that all monetary information should be provided in equivalency to Canadian dollars. To convert currencies visit <https://www1.oanda.com/currency/converter/>.

4.1 Education and sources of funding

- a. List all schools/universities attended/attending, school location (city/country), which grades/form completed in order of most recent:

Name of School/College/University	City / Country	Grade/Form/Year completed	Who paid school fees	Cost of Program per Year
				

b. Did you ever stop attending or drop out of school or university because of finances?

Yes No If yes, please explain:

c. If you are still attending university, please complete the following section.

i. What is the amount of your current university fees per year, inclusive of all top-up fees and levies and boarding fees, in Canadian dollars?

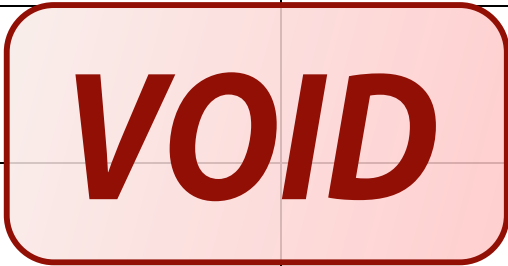
ii. Are you on any bursary/scholarship? Yes No

iii. If yes, what is the amount of the bursary/scholarship in Canadian dollars?

4.2 Employment Information & Earnings

a. If you are employed or have been employed before, please list all forms of employment since degree completion, how long you have worked for that employer, and how much you earned per year in that position, in order of most recent.

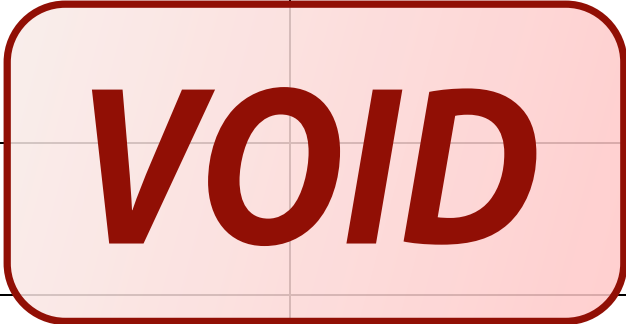
Title of your position	Name of company or organization	Dates of employment	Earnings per year (Canadian dollars)



4.3 Family Financial Background and Information:

a. Family Education and Employment Background

	Level of Education (None, Primary, Senior Secondary, Technical College or University)	Occupation (be specific, even if self-employed)	Current Employer/Workplace
Mother			
Father			
Spouse (if applicable)			
Legal Guardian & relationship to you (if applicable)			



b. Please complete the table on the next page with information about each of your direct siblings for the current school/college/university year. Attach an additional page if needed.

How many siblings do you have: _____
 What is the size of your household (including yourself): _____

*If you have more than four siblings, please include them on an extra form and attach to your application.

Sibling 1: _____

Age: _____ Gender: Male Female

Are they currently enrolled in school/college/university?
 Yes No

School/college/university name, city, country: _____

Current grade/form/level: _____

Annual school fees (2019/2020): \$ _____

Amount of Family contribution: \$ _____

Amount of personal contribution towards their education: _____

Amount of scholarship (if any): \$ _____

Who provides the scholarship (if any)? _____

Term start and end dates for school/college/university (mm/yy to mm/yy)": _____

Sibling 2: _____

Age: _____ Gender: Male Female

Are they currently enrolled in school/college/university?
 Yes No

School/college/university name, city, country: _____

Current grade/form/level: _____

Annual school fees (2019/2020): \$ _____

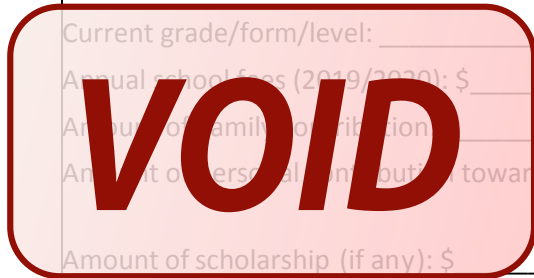
Amount of family contribution: \$ _____

Amount of personal contribution towards their education: _____

Amount of scholarship (if any): \$ _____

Who provides the scholarship (if any)? _____

Term start and end dates for school/college/university (mm/yy to mm/yy)": _____



Sibling 3: _____

Age: _____ Gender: Male Female

Are they currently enrolled in school/college/university? Yes No

School/college/university name, city, country: _____

Current grade/form/level: _____

Annual school fees (2019/2020): \$ _____

Amount of Family contribution: \$ _____

Amount of personal contribution towards their education: _____

Amount of scholarship (if any): \$ _____

Who provides the scholarship (if any)? _____

Term start and end dates for school/college/university (mm/yy to mm/yy)" _____

Sibling 4: _____

Age: _____ Gender: Male Female

Are they currently enrolled in school/college/university? Yes No

School/college/university name, city, country: _____

Current grade/form/level: _____

Annual school fees (2019/2020): \$ _____

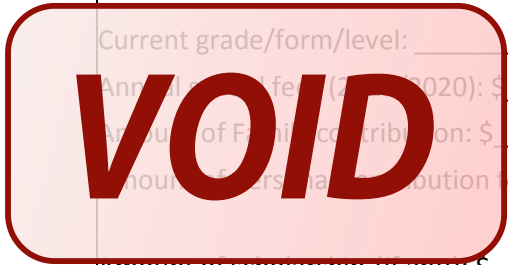
Amount of Family contribution: \$ _____

Amount of personal contribution towards their education: _____

Amount of scholarship (if any): \$ _____

Who provides the scholarship (if any)? _____

Term start and end dates for school/college/university (mm/yy to mm/yy)" _____





c. Do you have any dependents or people you support? This may include parents, children, spouse/partners, and other dependents. If yes, please specify the kind of support you provide.

*If you have more than four dependents, please include them on an extra form and attach to your application.

Dependent 1: _____

Age: _____ Gender: Male Female

Are they currently enrolled in school/college/university? Yes No

School/college/university name, city, country: _____

Current grade/form/level: _____

Annual school fees (2019/2020): \$ _____

Amount of Family contribution: \$ _____

Amount of personal contribution towards their education: _____

Amount of scholarship (if any): \$ _____

Who provides the scholarship (if any)? _____

Term start and end dates for school/college/university (mm/yy to mm/yy): _____

List any other kind of (financial) support you provide: _____

Dependent 2: _____

Age: _____ Gender: Male Female

Are they currently enrolled in school/college/university? Yes No

School/college/university name, city, country: _____

Current grade/form/level: _____

Annual school fees (2019/2020): \$ _____

Amount of Family contribution: \$ _____

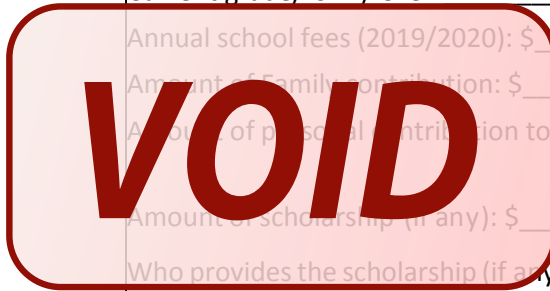
Amount of personal contribution towards their education: _____

Amount of scholarship (if any): \$ _____

Who provides the scholarship (if any)? _____

Term start and end dates for school/college/university (mm/yy to mm/yy): _____

List any other kind of (financial) support you provide: _____





Dependent 3: _____

Age: _____ Gender: Male Female

Are they currently enrolled in school/college/university? Yes No

School/college/university name, city, country: _____

Current grade/form/level: _____

Annual school fees (2019/2020): \$ _____

Amount of Family contribution: \$ _____

Amount of personal contribution towards their education: _____

Amount of scholarship (if any): \$ _____

Who provides the scholarship (if any)? _____

Term start and end dates for school/college/university (mm/yy to mm/yy): _____

List any other kind of (financial) support you provide: _____

Dependent 4: _____

Age: _____ Gender: Male Female

Are they currently enrolled in school/college/university? Yes No

School/college/university name, city, country: _____

Current grade/form/level: _____

Annual school fees (2019/2020): \$ _____

Amount of Family contribution: \$ _____

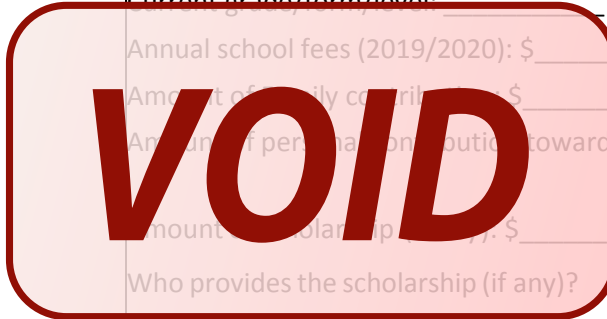
Amount of personal contribution towards their education: _____

Amount of scholarship (if any): \$ _____

Who provides the scholarship (if any)? _____

Term start and end dates for school/college/university (mm/yy to mm/yy): _____

List any other kind of (financial) support you provide: _____





iv. SOURCES OF FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Indicate below the amount of support you expect to receive for a Master’s degree program toward your educational costs from all sources.

Since the MCF scholarship is a full and comprehensive scholarship, accepted Scholars are provided with full financial assistance for tuition, study permit expenses, housing, food, books and other expenses for the expected duration of your graduate degree. Section 4.4 is meant for you to list current funding that you have available at your disposal, therefore, please do not list the Mastercard Scholarship as a source of funds. Include any available savings you could dedicate to your schooling, contribution from family members, government scholarships, etc. i.e. how much funding do you currently have to contribute towards your UBC degree?

SOURCES OF SUPPORT	SUPPORT FOR Degree (CAD)
Personal savings and earning	\$
Spousal/Family savings or earnings	\$
Family income from investments	\$
Sponsorship, loan or grant from government or agency	\$
Other (specify)	\$
Total sources of support	\$



- Do you, your spouse or your parents own a house?

Yes No

If you or your parents/spouse own a plot of land, what is its acreage? _____

- Do you live in your parent’s home?

Yes No

- Do you or your parents/spouse own a car? Yes No

- If yes, list the year, make (e.g., Honda, Toyota) and model (e.g., Civic, Prado) and year of each car.

Year:	Vehicle Make:	Vehicle Model:
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SECTION 5: TRAVEL INFORMATION

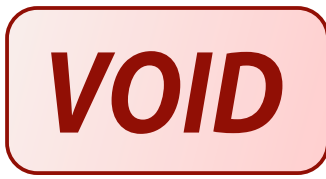
a. Do you have a current/valid passport? Yes No

b. Have you ever traveled outside your home country? Yes No

If yes, please indicate when this was, where you traveled as well as the length and purpose of the trip and who paid for the trip.

Destination	When	Duration	Purpose	Who paid for the trip

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SECTION 6: PERSONAL STATEMENTS

The purpose of this section is to give the Awards Selection Committee a rounded picture of who you are as an individual and as a student. Questions in this section may be similar to questions in the online Application for Admission to UBC. You may use the same or similar answers or stories in both submissions, but you are encouraged to make use of the extra word count allowed here. Please answer questions on separate pages.

A commitment to returning to Africa and giving back by contributing to the transformation of the African continent are part of the vision of The Mastercard Foundation Scholars Program. The personal statements you are asked to give below will help the Awards Selection Committee learn more about you and your vision.

- Please tell us your story. What is of importance to you and reflects who you are?(200-300 words **max.**)
- Describe a recent, meaningful involvement in your community, including what your role is/has been in the activity/ies. (200-300 words **max.**)
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- What else should we know about your financial condition in order to consider you for this scholarship?(200-300 words **max.**)

SECTION 7: RESUME/CV

Please attach a copy of your CV/resume. This should outline your education and experience in your field.

SECTION 8: TWO OFFICIAL REFERENCE LETTERS

Please provide two reference letters on official letterhead that will attest and speak extensively to your community service, volunteering abilities, and leadership potential. If your referees would like to send their letters directly to us for privacy reasons, please note that these should be sent to us via email by **December 13th, 2019**. Any letters sent after this date will deem your package as “incomplete”, and hence, will not be considered for the scholarship.

SECTION 9: TRANSCRIPTS

Please attach a legible copy of your transcripts. These can be unofficial copies.



SECTION 10: DECLARATIONS

I, _____ hereby declare that I am not able to pursue post-secondary studies at UBC or in my home country without receiving significant financial assistance. I further certify that the statements given by me in this form are complete and accurate. Documentation is included to support the financial claims

Signature of Applicant

Date

By signing this application, I certify that all of the information is true to the best of my knowledge. Further, I understand that this information and university records and employment/professional information may be reported to The Mastercard Foundation Scholars Program and its partner institutions, and be used for evaluation and other program purposes. I understand that the information may be stored both in Canada and the United States. I also understand that UBC and The Mastercard Foundation Scholars Program will keep all of my information in strict confidence and will not release it in any way that would permit individual identification. I authorize release and use of this information, as described above, to The Mastercard Foundation Scholars Program.

Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

If I am a recipient of an award, I understand that by signing this declaration, I permit The University of British Columbia to: release to an award donor, University faculty and administrative staff my name, address, email address, telephone number, year and program of study; and release to the international awards selection committee members the information provided in this nomination form; prepare a brief biographical profile to be used for award presentation ceremonies, publications and the internet; and prepare lists of award winners to be published or included in graduation ceremonies.