Tourism Scholarship 2023

The Greater Moncton Hotel Association (GMHA,) incorporated in 2009, thrives to grow, educate and employ local residents in the hospitality and tourism sector. This year, GMHA has decided to develop a scholarship program to assist students that wish to pursue an education and career in hospitality and tourism. GMHA recognizes the importance of education and training of our future industry leaders and has therefore created this scholarship program to assist deserving students with their post-secondary education.

AWARD

The Greater Moncton Hotel Association Hospitality and Tourism Scholarship enables students to pursue a secondary education leading to excellence within the tourism Industry. This year GMHA will award five scholarships, valued at \$2000.00 each, to offset post-secondary education expenses and encourage further education in hospitality and tourism.

CONDITIONS AND FIELD OF STUDY

To qualify, applicants must be:

- a high school graduate on or before June 2023, or hold a GED certificate
- currently enrolled in a recognized post-secondary undergraduate program related to the Hospitality and/or Tourism Industry
- currently enrolled in a recognized post-secondary undergraduate program or institution located in the Province of New Brunswick

Proof of acceptance into an approved Hospitality and/or Tourism program in New Brunswick will be required.

DEADLINE

Applications must be received by GMHA Scholarship Selection Committee post-dated no later than June 2, 2023 @4:00pm.

To Apply

Interested candidates are welcome to fill out/upload through the online application at: https://destinationmonctondieppe.ca/gmha-tourism-scholarship This will include a brief (300-500 word) essay, entitled "Why I want to pursue a career in the tourism industry," indicating your academic and career interests, including your plans for achieving them, and why you have chosen to pursue Tourism as a career.

With this application form, please provide:

- 1. Portfolio, including a resume
- 2. Two letters of reference
- 3. Proof of high school/GED completion

The final selection of the candidates may include a personal interview. Candidates are welcome to reapply, the following year, if not previously awarded the scholarship.

<u>Portfolio</u>

A collection that includes, but is not limited to, copies of schoolwork, report cards, letters of reference, and participation and/or completion certificates. The collection is bound and presented as a means to enhance the committee's understanding of your strengths, skills, and achievements.

**NOTE – Scholarship winners will be determined in June and payment will be released after the first semester the following January.

Submit by June 2, 2023