

## **IZAAK WALTON KILLAM PREDOCTORAL SCHOLARSHIP**

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**Killam Predoctoral Scholarships** are tenable only for the period that you are engaged in full-time graduate degree preparation on the university campus. Activities away from campus directly related to fulfilling the requirements for your graduate degree (e.g. fieldwork), are subject to advance approval by the Dean, Faculty of Graduate Studies. If for any reason (graduation, withdrawal from program, employment) your full-time graduate study on campus ceases, or you fail to maintain an appropriate academic standing (normally no grade less than A-), payment of your scholarship will cease immediately.

Killam Scholarships are renewable (please refer to the renewal criteria found on the website at: [http://killamtrusts.dal.ca/Files/predoctoral/Killam\\_Predoctoral\\_Scholarships.pdf](http://killamtrusts.dal.ca/Files/predoctoral/Killam_Predoctoral_Scholarships.pdf)). Renewal of Killam Predoctoral Scholarships is subject to satisfactory progress based on the Scholars' progress reports. Annual Progress Reports will be reviewed by the Associate Dean, Faculty of Graduate Studies. The annual progress report form is available on the FGS website at <http://dal.ca/grad/currentstudents/forms/#progress>.

In order to be eligible for either a new or a renewed Killam Scholarship, a scholar must apply for external awards for which s/he is eligible (e.g. SSHRC, NSERC, CIHR, NSHRF, Foreign Government Awards, etc.). However, Killam scholars may not receive funds from two awards. Any student who wins another award, must accept that award and will be named an Honourary Killam Scholar. If the other award carries a smaller monetary value than the Killam the student will receive the difference in value up to the level of the Killam Scholarship, if applicable. If you receive another award, please contact your department and also inform the Faculty of Graduate Studies so that the impact on your Killam Scholarship can be determined and adjusted if necessary.

The award is divided equally by three—one-third for each term of the academic year. After tuition and fees are deducted the term amount will be paid in four monthly installments. You will be notified in advance if changes are made to the way in which your scholarship is to be paid. The differential fee charged to non-Canadian students will be covered by Killam funds and is in addition to the amount indicated on your award letter. Payments are made on the 27th of each month. You must arrange for direct bank deposit through Personnel Services. Killam scholars may perform Teaching Assistant instructing or demonstration duties. They will be given additional remuneration by the employing department for these services.

Scholars are asked to acknowledge their Killam awards in any publication or paper resulting from their degree program.

New Killam scholars living outside of NS will be assisted with the cost of travel to begin their program of graduate studies, but will not be provided an allowance for departure. Reimbursement, not exceeding the lowest cost airfare available by the most direct route, will be made upon completion of a travel expense claim and submission with appropriate, original receipts (including **ALL** boarding passes) no later than the end of their first term at Dalhousie. Unfortunately, the Faculty of Graduate Studies is not able to provide an allowance for the transportation of family members or personal effects.

Any questions regarding this scholarship should be directed to the Killam Administrator, Faculty of Graduate Studies.