



Cambridge & North Dumfries
Community Foundation



OPEN TO ALL GRADUATE STUDENTS!

AGES FOUNDATION RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP & BURSARIES

The **rare Charitable Research Reserve** has partnered with **Cambridge & North Dumfries Community Foundation, Ages Foundation Fund** to financially assist students in pursuit of higher education as they tackle important environmental issues. The Research Fellowship & Bursaries program will allow students to study in a relatively undisturbed, yet highly accessible site in Waterloo Region. Applications that utilize multiple knowledge systems and diverse methodologies will be prioritized. The monetary awards will help ensure successful candidates have the necessary resources to conduct and report on their research at **rare**.

We support diverse, inclusive and equitable practices and approaches to environmental issues as we work toward meaningful reconciliation with Indigenous Peoples (self-identified and status First Nations, Métis & Inuit) of Turtle Island. We encourage applications from Indigenous students utilizing Indigenous and/or Western knowledge systems and methodologies.

Four recipients will be selected and awarded amounts of: \$4,000, \$2,000, and two \$1,000 awards.

NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS

Eligibility:

- Must be enrolled as a graduate student in a Canadian or International institution.
- Must conduct research on a **rare Charitable Research Reserve** property or in conjunction with **rare** between May 2020 and April 2021.
- Research is environment focused and takes a landscape-scale approach.

APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED UNTIL APRIL 1ST, 2020



The **rare Charitable Research Reserve** is an urban land trust and environmental institute in Waterloo Region/Wellington, with its first four locations protecting almost 1,000 acres of highly sensitive lands. The goal of **rare** is to protect this environmentally sensitive landscape intact, in perpetuity, and to promote the use of the property for research and education. We are open to working collaboratively with researchers to undertake manipulative studies on the land.

Accommodations and lab space are available onsite.

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For more information on submission details, visit raresites.org/research/scholarship/

For questions or to book a tour of the reserve, please contact

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