



## **2008–2009 SCHOLARSHIP — ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA**

The objective of the Lea Roback Foundation is to promote education as a means of fulfilment and emancipation for all, and to offer financial assistance to women who wish to pursue their education. Every year, the Foundation awards scholarships of a maximum of \$3,000.

The eligibility criteria for a scholarship reflect the spirit and continuity of Lea Roback's ideals as a union activist and a feminist. Women who apply for a scholarship must :

- pursue studies at any level from literacy up to the completion of an undergraduate degree;
- require financial assistance;
- be socially committed;
- pursue studies to better their condition in life and that of their milieu;
- live in Québec and be a Canadian citizen, permanent resident (immigrant) or Convention refugee;
- have no university degree acknowledged in Québec.

Applications, along with the requested documents, must be sent, and postmarked no later than May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2008 ; the requested documents and information include :

1. a detailed resumé;
2. letters of reference from two persons active in women's groups, community organizations, unions, cooperatives, kindergardens, etc., or educational establishments, who can testify to the candidate's personal qualities, social commitment and studies to be pursued;
3. a letter in which the candidate explains why she wants to pursue the chosen programme (maximum 2 pages);
4. your most recent T451 Notice of Assessment from Canada Revenue Agency.

The scholarship granted must be used during the 2008-2009 academic year.

The Lea Roback Foundation will inform every candidate by June 30 of the decision made concerning her application. The scholarship will be awarded as soon as the recipient's admission to a recognized establishment is confirmed.



**FORMER STUDIES :**

Diplomas completed	Educational establishment	Year
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Other studies	Educational establishment	Year
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**PROGRAMME CONSIDERED :** .....

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**Level:** .....

**Full time** [ ]      **Part time** [ ]      **Date session begins** .....

**Number of sessions** . . . . . **Number of hours per session** .....

**NAME OF EDUCATIONAL ESTABLISHMENT :** .....

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**ADDRESS :** .....

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**AMOUNT REQUESTED :** \$.....

# YOUR FINANCIAL SITUATION

## ANNUAL INCOME

2007-2008 (current year)

Annual income from all sources (earnings, social assistance, workers' compensation or other benefits, scholarships, and other income) after tax: .....

\$

2008-2009 (projection for your year of studies)

Annual income from all sources (earnings, social assistance, workers' compensation or other benefits, scholarships, and other income) after tax: .....

\$

Are you eligible for the government's loans and bursaries program? .....

## STUDIES EXPENSES

Costs related to your studies (fees, books, etc.): .....

\$

Please detail these costs on another sheet

OTHER INFORMATION REGARDING YOUR FINANCIAL SITUATION: .....

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How did you learn about our scholarship program? .....

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Welfare recipients can receive a scholarship from the Lea Roback Foundation without incurring any penalty.

The files of candidates who are not chosen for a scholarship will be destroyed.

Application and requested documents must be sent (and postmarked) no later than May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2008, to:  
THE LEA ROBACK FOUNDATION, BOX 48509, OUTREMONT (QUÉBEC) H2V 4T3  
For any additional information, please contact us by telephone 514-606-1103; fax 514-274-2363;  
or e-mail: [info@fondationlearoback.org](mailto:info@fondationlearoback.org)

Application forms are available on the Lea Roback Foundation web site: [www.fondationlearoback.org](http://www.fondationlearoback.org)