

## **MLPAO MLA/T and MLT Early Career Bursary**

One MLPAO bursary of \$1500 is awarded to a recent graduate of an MLA/T or MLT program in Ontario.

### **Eligibility**

An applicant must meet the following criteria in order to be eligible:

- **be a certified MLA/T or registered MLT member of the MLPAO**
- graduated from an MLA/T or MLT program in Ontario *within the last 16 months*
- be a Canadian citizen, permanent resident, or landed immigrant

### **Selection Criteria**

The following criteria are considered in determining a recipient:

- The applicant can demonstrate a personal commitment to the profession through leadership or significant participation in educational or community activities.
- The applicant must demonstrate strong academic and practical aptitude in their program with at least a 75% overall average upon graduation.
- The applicant submits a completed application form along with all the required documents by the application deadline.

### **Application Requirements**

1. Completed MLPAO Early Career Bursary Application
2. An academic transcript issued from the school that shows final course marks with upper level of standing in the class and under no condition be less than 75%.
3. Copy of MLPAO certification for MLA/T graduates or copy of CSMLS certificate for MLT graduates
4. An original letter (500 – 600 words) from the applicant to the MLPAO Bursaries Selection Committee describing:
  - a. their personal commitment to the profession through leadership or significant participation in educational or community activities;
  - b. how they would benefit from the bursary including a description of how the bursary will help to jumpstart their career and,
  - c. any special circumstances to be considered by the Selection Committee.

**Deadline for application submission is February 28.**  
**Any incomplete and/or late applications will be disqualified.**

See next page for Application Form

**MLPAO MLA/T and MLT Early Career Bursary  
Application Form**

MLPAO Membership  
Number:

1. PERSONAL DATA

Applicant:

*Surname*

*Given Name*

*Initial*

Address:

*Number & Street*

*Apt/Unit*

*City/Town*

*Province*

*Postal Code*

Telephone:

*Cell*

Email:

2. SCHOOL DATA

Name of School and Campus:

Name of Program of Study:

When did you complete your program  
of study?

Year

Month

I am a Canadian citizen, permanent resident, or landed  
immigrant.

YES

NO

I declare that the information provided in this application is true and accurate.

3. DOCUMENTS TO BE INCLUDED WITH APPLICATION:

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  - their personal commitment to the profession through leadership or significant participation in educational or community activities;
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  - any special circumstances to be considered by the Selection Committee.

4. PLEASE EMAIL APPLICATION AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS TO:

**[mlpao@mlpao.org](mailto:mlpao@mlpao.org)**

5. DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION:

Application forms must be received by: **February 28**