

Dr. Bonnie Burstow Scholarship for Research in Violence Against Indigenous Women in Memory of Helen Betty Osborne

2024/2025 Application Form

To be awarded to an outstanding OISE graduate student whose thesis focuses on the violence itself (or the history underpinning it). Approaches to addressing the aftermath of violence can also be considered if, and only if, they are vested exclusively in Indigenous approaches, that are validated by Indigenous scholars/community members, with neither Western nor mixed approaches qualifying.

For the purposes of this scholarship, violence against Indigenous women, girls, trans, and Two-Spirit people is defined broadly. It includes not only what is conventionally seen as violence, such as murdered and missing, battery, and rape, it also includes such international violence as imprisonment, psychiatrization, and interference by child welfare.

Any current OISE thesis student whose thesis centrally involves research in this area can apply, irrespective of program or department. Preference will be given to Indigenous women and trans students. Candidates must be registered in 2024/2025 to be eligible. The value of this scholarship is based on the annual income (approximately \$2400).

Please submit your completed application electronically by <u>December 1,</u> <u>2024</u>, to oise.financialaid@utoronto.ca

| Surname | Given Name |
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| U of T Email Address | U of T Student Number |
| OISE Department | Degree and Program Sought |

Please attach the following documents to your application form:

- 1. Statement of Intent (up to 4 pages)
- 2. A letter of support from thesis supervisor

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