



THE IRVING K. BARBER

British Columbia Scholarship Society

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109 BC Students Awarded \$545,000 in Ike Barber Transfer Scholarships

VICTORIA, BC – Students who are transferring between B.C.'s post-secondary institutions will benefit from \$545,000 in scholarships that have been awarded by the Irving K. Barber British Columbia Scholarship Society.

The scholarships are awarded annually to undergraduate students who have completed at least one year at a public post-secondary institution in BC and are transferring to another degree-granting institution to complete their studies. Scholarship funds come from the returns on a \$15-million endowment established by the province in 2006. The fund is named after philanthropist Irving K. Barber, who had a long history of supporting public education and research projects in British Columbia before his death in 2012.

“Post-secondary students can seamlessly transfer between colleges, institutes and universities in B.C.,” said Advanced Education Minister Andrew Wilkinson. “Congratulations to over 100 undergraduates who took advantage of the flexibility of our transfer system and qualified for a scholarship.”

To qualify for a transfer scholarship, students must have strong grades and have demonstrated volunteer service to their school and/or community.

“Students following a given career path often find that their education requirements can't be satisfied by a single institution. Ike Barber recognized the very real need to minimize impediments for youth in their pursuit of higher education.” said Rajiv Gandhi, Chair of the scholarship society. “The endowment bearing Ike's name is a testament to his philanthropy, his vision, and the spotlight he placed on the importance of post-secondary learning and supporting our students.”

The Irving K. Barber BC Scholarship Society offers scholarship and education award programs that support BC students attending public post-secondary institutions. The Society recently announced expanded scholarship and award programs for Aboriginal students and students hoping to complete part of their education overseas. Since 2006, the Society has awarded over \$13 million in scholarships and awards to thousands of BC students.

The Society's programs are administered by the Victoria Foundation.

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Editors Please Note: A list of recipients – including their hometowns and the institutions they have transferred to – is attached.

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2016 Ike Barber Transfer Scholarship Recipients

Hometown	Student Name	Sending Institution	Receiving Institution
Aldergrove	Julie Dutchak	College of New Caledonia	University of Northern British Columbia
Aldergrove	Angelica Duggan	Selkirk College	Royal Roads University
Black Creek	Mikhayla Grace Williams	North Island College	University of Victoria
Burnaby	Wilson Lin	Capilano University	University of British Columbia
Campbell River	Jamie Lund	North Island College	University of Victoria
Castlegar	Emma Rose Lesnik	Selkirk College	University of Victoria
Castlegar	Sawyer K. Thor-Larsen	Selkirk College	Okanagan College
Coquitlam	Philip A. D. Stiller	College of New Caledonia	Simon Fraser University
Courtenay	Rae Dias	North Island College	University of British Columbia
Courtenay	Faith Liddie	North Island College	University of Victoria
Courtenay	Brooke Niebergal	North Island College	University of Victoria
Courtenay	Charlotte White	North Island College	Vancouver Island University
Cranbrook	Bryce Bostock	College of the Rockies	University of Victoria
Cranbrook	Krista Braeuer	College of the Rockies	University of Victoria
Cranbrook	Dallas Cardinal-Clement	College of the Rockies	University of Victoria
Cranbrook	Brittney Schroeter	College of the Rockies	University of Victoria
Cranbrook	Seth Michael Whalen	College of the Rockies	University of British Columbia
Cranbrook	Rachel Elizabeth Wright	College of the Rockies	University of Victoria
Cumberland	Cleo Harper Agar	North Island College	Simon Fraser University
Delta	Zoe Diomis	Langara College	University of Victoria
Duncan	Kelsey Carole Elliott	Camosun College	Thompson Rivers University
Dundas	Matteus K. L. O'Connor	Camosun College	Royal Roads University
Enderby	Duncan Gordon MacGregor	Okanagan College	University of British Columbia
Fernie	Kristen LeBlanc	College of the Rockies	University of Victoria
Fernie	Andrea Joanne Podrasky	College of the Rockies	University of Victoria
Fort St. John	Tyler A. J. McDonald	Northern Lights College	University of Northern British Columbia
Kelowna	Dawson Barnes	Camosun College	University of British Columbia
Kelowna	John Stevens	Camosun College	University of British Columbia
Kelowna	Teresa Oyer	Okanagan College	University of British Columbia
Kelowna	Kelsi Layne Taron	Okanagan College	University of British Columbia
Kelowna	Adia Van Buren	Okanagan College	University of British Columbia
Kelowna	Alisha Wozny	Okanagan College	University of British Columbia
Lake Country	Darren W. G. Paterson	Selkirk College	University of British Columbia
Langley	Jeremy Pol	University of the Fraser Valley	BC Institute of Technology
Maple Ridge	Joshua Willemsen	Douglas College	Simon Fraser University
Nelson	Hannah Colette Bilodeau	Selkirk College	University of Victoria
Nelson	John Glenn Forry	Selkirk College	Royal Roads University

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Nelson	Stephanie Krebs	Selkirk College	University of Victoria
Nelson	Chandrima Lavoie	Selkirk College	University of Victoria
Port Moody	Cara Paley	Douglas College	University of British Columbia
Prince George	Dallas Paul Cote	College of New Caledonia	University of Northern British Columbia
Prince George	Jordan Harris	College of New Caledonia	University of Northern British Columbia
Prince George	Ashling Mary O'Neill	College of New Caledonia	University of Northern British Columbia
Prince George	Ashley Maj Sutherland	College of New Caledonia	University of Northern British Columbia
Prince George	Anna Thalmann	College of New Caledonia	University of Northern British Columbia
Prince Rupert	Leslie-Anne Olsen	Northwest Community College	Royal Roads University
Prince Rupert	Emma Payne	Northwest Community College	Royal Roads University
Qualicum Beach	Christopher Darren Pertch	Camosun College	University of British Columbia
Richmond	Nadine Elizabeth Eyre	Langara College	University of British Columbia
Richmond	Alecia Lannan	Selkirk College	BC Institute of Technology
Sooke	Emily Nicole Kraft	Camosun College	Royal Roads University
Surrey	Michael Friesen	BC Institute of Technology	University of British Columbia
Surrey	Simran Matharu	Douglas College	Simon Fraser University
Surrey	Pardeep Thind	Kwantlen Polytechnic University	University of British Columbia
Surrey	Nan Nan Zhai	Kwantlen Polytechnic University	BC Institute of Technology
Surrey	David A. W. J. B. Siebenga	University of the Fraser Valley	Simon Fraser University
Trail	Angela Dawn Mercer	Selkirk College	University of Victoria
Vancouver	Jonathan Ho Lam Au	BC Institute of Technology	University of British Columbia
Vancouver	Jeff Holmes	Camosun College	University of British Columbia
Vancouver	Bain Alexander Conway	Camosun College	University of British Columbia
Vancouver	Sharon Barnes	Langara College	University of British Columbia
Vancouver	Amrit Bhangoo	Langara College	University of Northern British Columbia
Vancouver	Emma Cawood	Langara College	University of British Columbia
Vancouver	Meghan Joanne Creighton	Langara College	University of British Columbia
Vancouver	Eleanor Marie Lewis	Langara College	Simon Fraser University
Vancouver	Edward Lim	Langara College	University of British Columbia
Vancouver	Lucy McNulty	Langara College	Douglas College
Vancouver	Daniel Jacob Milner	Langara College	Simon Fraser University
Vancouver	Amanda Moore	Langara College	University of British Columbia
Vancouver	Tyler Petersen	Langara College	Simon Fraser University
Vancouver	Gabriel Sheshka	Langara College	University of British Columbia
Vancouver	Avilgayle Sine	Langara College	University of British Columbia
Vancouver	Daniela Solis	Langara College	University of British Columbia
Vancouver	Tessa Trach	Langara College	Douglas College
Vancouver	Lucy Wong	Langara College	University of Northern British Columbia
Vancouver	Kelsey Lynn Woods	Langara College	Simon Fraser University
Vancouver	Scott Jacob Martens	Selkirk College	University of British Columbia
Vancouver	Margaret-Anne Murphy	Selkirk College	University of British Columbia
Vancouver	Jackson William Robinson	Vancouver Island University	University of British Columbia
Victoria	Roxanne Duigou	Camosun College	University of British Columbia
Victoria	Willow Franco-Belanger	Camosun College	University of Victoria
Victoria	Madison Innes	Camosun College	University of Victoria
Victoria	John C. G. Little	Camosun College	University of British Columbia

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Victoria	Melissa Lyon	Camosun College	University of Victoria
Victoria	Isabella Maria Marsiglia	Camosun College	Royal Roads University
Victoria	Cedar Loreena McMechan	Camosun College	University of Victoria
Victoria	Holly Moniz	Camosun College	Simon Fraser University
Victoria	Simi Ono	Camosun College	University of Victoria
Victoria	Eve Ouradou	Camosun College	University of Victoria
Victoria	Evette Patchett	Camosun College	University of British Columbia
Victoria	Kierstin Anika Sander	Camosun College	University of Victoria
Victoria	Joshua Pierce Tawse	Camosun College	University of Victoria
Victoria	Stephanie Rae Tennant	Camosun College	University of Victoria
Victoria	Hannah Thomson	Camosun College	University of Victoria
Victoria	Sheldon Vos	Camosun College	University of Victoria
Victoria	Alison White	Camosun College	University of Victoria
Victoria	Samantha Lomas	College of the Rockies	University of Victoria
Victoria	Alan Shum	Thompson Rivers University	University of Victoria
Whitehorse	Peter Joseph Densmore	Camosun College	University of British Columbia
Williams Lake	Kiani Courtenay Evans	North Island College	University of Victoria
Winlaw	Katrina Verigin	Selkirk College	University of Victoria