



ECAA

Electrical Contractors
Association of Alberta

Electrical Contractors Association of Alberta – Sheri McLean Scholarship

Provided by: Electrical Contractors Association of Alberta

\$2,000 (x2)

- **Program:** Electrician
- **School:** Any Government of Alberta accredited training provider.
- **Province:** Alberta
- **Application Window:** October 1 to January 31

Additional Notes

Recipients must reside and attend school in Alberta. We will select one recipient from Northern Alberta (including Red Deer, and anywhere North of the 52 Parallel) and one recipient from Southern Alberta.

About the Scholarship

The Electrical Contractors Association of Alberta – Sheri McLean Scholarship is named for the ECAA's long-time executive director, Sheri McLean. After an illustrious 32-year career with the ECAA, wherein Sheri supported and facilitated unprecedented growth in the electrical industry in Alberta, she transitioned to retirement in October of 2021.

This scholarship is being established not only to recognize Sheri's contributions to the electrical industry in Alberta, but also to make meaningful strides towards building a more diverse and inclusive electrical industry. The ECAA, through this scholarship, is making a tangible effort to encourage more people to consider and join this exciting trade.

We are pleased to offer these two scholarships (one north, and one south) to deserving students who make the choice to enter into the skilled trades, and specifically the electrical trade.

About the ECAA

Since 1962, the Electrical Contractors Association of Alberta (ECAA) has represented electrical contractors.

ECAA provides many services for its members such as representation on various industry boards, labour negotiations, seminars for specialized applications and management skills, industry meetings and conventions, and develops electrical apprentices through Apprenticeship and Industry Training (AIT) Alberta. ECAA also helps members work through challenges with inspection authorities and general contractors.

The Electrical Contractors Association of Alberta is the voice and information centre of the electrical industry; a self-governing body working to ensure a professional membership through education, safety and strong stakeholder relationships.

The objectives of the Association are:

1. To act as the voice of the Electrical Contractors in the Province of Alberta;
2. To unite the Members of the Association in an association for their mutual improvement, protection and general welfare;
3. To promote better relationships between the Members and between the Members, Owners, Architects, Engineers, Suppliers, Manufacturers, Education/Training, other Contractors and other segments of the Electrical Industry;
4. To establish, maintain and advance methods of practice between the Members within the Industry, including without limiting the generality of the foregoing, enacting a code of ethics;
5. To acquire and disseminate information concerning the Electrical Industry;
6. To provide the medium whereby Members, Chapters and Affiliates may exchange opinions and coordinate their efforts;
7. To make application for, to obtain, to act in respect to and to carry out the rights of an Association which is granted registration or accreditation as an employer's organization or otherwise, as provided under The Alberta Labour Relations Code, and amendments thereto, including the right to join with any other organization or association in applying for registration or accreditation or to transfer any registration or accreditation to another employers' organization or association;
8. To affiliate with Associations, Societies and Organizations having objects in whole or in part similar to those of the Association;
9. To be non-political and non-sectarian;
10. To appoint trustees to Health, Welfare, Pensions, Educational or other Trusts which are established pursuant to collective agreements negotiated by either the Association or any Members thereof;
11. To provide and render such services as the Members request;
12. To do all such things as may, directly or indirectly, seem to be incidental, conducive, convenient or proper for the accomplishment of the purposes or the attainment of the objectives of this Association or expedient for the protection or benefit of its Members.

Questions to be asked of the applicants:

1. Full Name?
2. Home Address?
3. Please tell us why you're choosing a career in the electrical industry.
4. How will this scholarship help you?
5. Why do you deserve this scholarship?
6. Tell us about yourself.

Submit your application (in either .DOC or .PDF format) via email to: scholarship@ecaa.ab.ca. If you have any questions please contact Executive Director & Registrar, Robin Bobocel at rbobocel@ecaa.ab.ca.