

The Pengrowth – Nova Scotia Energy Innovation Grant

Application Package for Innovation Grant

Applications **will not** be considered if:

- Incomplete or missing documentation
- Faxed or emailed

Student Instructions

Completed applications are to be submitted, no later than **January 16, 2015 (4 pm)** to:

Pengrowth-Nova Scotia Energy Scholarship Program

c/o Nova Scotia Department of Energy
Joseph Howe Building
1690 Hollis Street 11th Floor
PO Box 2664
Halifax, Nova Scotia B3J 3J9
Attention: Review Committee

*Supporting letters from immediate family will not be accepted.

"Immediate family" is defined as a parent, sister, brother, grandparent, aunt, uncle, niece, nephew, child, stepchild, grandchild, ward, spouse or common-law spouse.

The Pengrowth-Nova Scotia Energy Scholarship Program is not open to "immediate family" members of Nova Scotia Department of Energy employees.

Nova Scotia's Energy

Nova Scotia has a rich and diverse energy sector with emerging resource potential for offshore, onshore and renewable sectors.

The current activity in combination with exciting energy prospects have given rise to professional and technical education and training programs in the province. These programs have led Nova Scotia to further grow its energy sector through new, innovative research and fresh ideas from recent graduates.

This grant is designed to support researchers investigating areas of importance to Nova Scotia's growing energy sector. Awards totaling \$10,000 are available each year (non-renewable) to students preparing to begin full-time studies in a Master level program in **Earth Sciences, Environmental Sciences, Business, or Engineering** at a Nova Scotia university.

In addition to meeting the high standards of academic achievement, recipients of the Pengrowth-Nova Scotia Energy Innovation Grant should be well-rounded individuals with a variety of interests that may include volunteer work, sports and/or other community-based activities.

Eligibility Requirements

- Canadian citizen or landed immigrant and a permanent resident of Nova Scotia
- Enrolled in a Master level program in Earth Sciences, Environmental Sciences, Business or Engineering at a Nova Scotia university
- Research must be directly related to one of the prescribed areas of research
- Required to submit an outline of how research meets the criteria with outcomes of the research clearly defining economic components
- Must be in good academic standing in undergraduate program
- Must have formal acceptance to graduate studies
- Must have approval by an academic supervisor to undertake a research project that falls under one of the outlined research topics:

◇ Capital Markets	◇ Human Health and Safety
◇ Cultural and Archaeological Heritage	◇ Project Finance
◇ Engineering (Facilities, Marine Technology and Management)	◇ Reservoir Analysis
◇ Environmental Studies	◇ Resource Assessment
◇ Geosciences	◇ Socioeconomic Studies

Complete this application in accordance with the responsibilities outlined below:

Student Responsibility

Part A – Personal Information*
Part B – Curriculum Vitae
Part C – Research Proposal

Supervisor Responsibility

Part D – Student Appraisal
Part E – Summary of Supervisor Background

Part A Personal Information

 To be completed by **student**:

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Citizenship Status					

Part B Curriculum Vitae

 To be completed by **student**:

Education Record

High School Attended	Address and Phone Number

Post-Secondary Record* (Attach undergraduate transcript)

Period of Study		Institution		Graduated	
From	To	Name of Institution	Discipline	Degree	Year

List current scholarships, distinctions or publications: (Add pages if required)

Part C Research Proposal

 To be completed in consultation with **Supervisor**:

Degree Program:	Institution/Department:	Area of Specialization:
Expected Date of Completion:	Topic of Research:	

Describe your research topic. Explain how your research contributes to Nova Scotia's energy sector.

Attach 2-3 typewritten pages summarizing your proposed research to this application.

||| Important: Please review the restrictions stated on the cover page of this application package |||

STUDENT DECLARATION

I declare that, to the best of my knowledge, the information provided in this application and attachments is true and that no material has been withheld.

Signature of Applicant: _____ **Date:** _____

Part D Student Appraisal To be completed by Supervisor:

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(Please Note: should extra space be required please continue overleaf or append another sheet)

Name of Applicant	Program of Study	Thesis Topic

Student accepted to graduate studies:	<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
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I have accepted the above student to conduct graduate research under my direct supervision:	<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
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Part E Summary of Supervisor Background To be completed by Supervisor:

Supervisor Contact Information

Name of Supervisor	Academic Position	Department	
Institution	Street Address	City/Town	Postal Code

Academic/Research Profile

The Supervisor is to provide, as an attachment to this application, a **typewritten 1- to 2-page overview** stating his/her academic profile **and** how the student's proposed research is directly aligned with his/her research interests and capabilities.

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SUPERVISOR'S DECLARATION

I declare that, to the best of my knowledge, the information provided in this application and attachments is true and that no material has been withheld.

Signature of Supervisor: _____ Date: _____