

Brian Innes Health Studies Rural Health Award (Faculty of Health Sciences, Health Studies)

Awarded annually to a senior undergraduate student in the School of Health Studies, with preference given to a student who has excelled in the 3rd year rural health courses, Introduction to Rural Communities (Health Sciences 3010F/G) and/or Health Policy (Health Sciences 3400 A/B). A one-page statement outlining the student's interest in rural health/rural health policy must accompany the application. Applications are available through the School of Health Studies and are due October 30th. The Scholarship and Awards Committee in the School of Health Studies will select the recipient based upon academic achievement in the above courses, career aspirations which include rural health and/or policy goals, and related personal experience. This award was established through Foundation Western by family and friends in memory of Brian Innes who was a faculty member in the School of Health Studies.

One award offered annually valued at \$1,000

**Biography**

Brian, always a proud and active farmer, was also a distinguished and popular lecturer in the School of Health Studies where he taught courses on advanced public policy. He earned a Masters of Public Administration from the JF Kennedy School of Government at Harvard, and a Masters in Political Science from Wilfred Laurier. Brian's passion and skill for public policy was always near and dear to his heart, having served as candidate for the Liberal Party of

Canada, a senior advisor to federal and provincial Cabinet Ministers, and a Councillor for South Perth. He donated many hours to community service (including the Optimist Club of Downie, the Stratford Garrison Mess – 4th Battalion and local schools).

Personal Information

Name: _____ Student ID: _____

Local Address: _____

Telephone: _____ E-mail: _____

Permanent Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Academic Information

Program of Study: _____

I give permission for the School of Health Studies to access my academic record for the purpose of adjudicating this award.

Statement of Engagement in Rural Health and/or Public Policy

Please attach a one-page description of your experiences and interests in rural health and public policy along with a discussion of your career aspirations.